"We want Brighton & Hove to be the best place in the country for children and young people to grow up" David Hawker, Director of Children's Services

From 1 October 2006, all children's services in Brighton & Hove have become part of the Children and Young People's Trust.

The Children and Young People's Trust brings together education, health and social care for all 0-19 year olds in Brighton & Hove (up to 25 years for those with special needs). It works in partnership with other health services as well as community and voluntary organisations in the city.



### How to get in touch with the Children and Young People's Trust

For general enquiries call01273 290000Mon-Fri 9am-5pmIf you are concerned about a child's welfarecontact our Duty Assessment teams:Central01273 294470West01273 296527East01273 295920For information on early years services contact

the Children's Information Service helpline on 01273 293545

#### Our children's centres are:

Hollingdean (Central area)	01273 295623	
Tarner (Central area)	01273 296700	
North Portslade (West area)	01273 294062	
Moulsecoomb (East area)	01273 294040	
Whitehawk (East area)	01273 290300	
They are open Mon-Fri 9am-5pm		

#### How to comment or complain

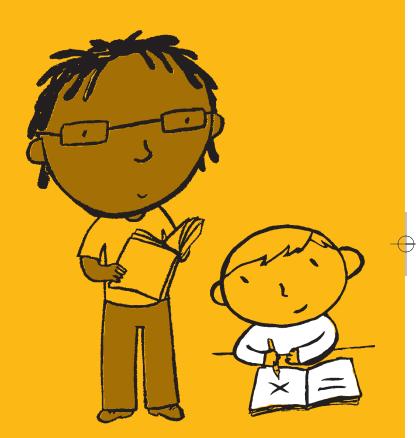
We are a new organisation and we welcome comments and complaints because they will help us to make improvements. Contact our team on Freephone 0500 291229

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# Introducing Brighton and Hove Children and Young People's Trust



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Wherever you live in Brighton & Hove, we offer...

# Schools and learning support from early years to adults, including:

- Nursery education and childcare
- Primary schools
- Secondary schools
- Special schools
- School advisory services
- Learning support services
- Music, arts and study support
- Leisure, sport and recreation
- Adult skills and learning

## Social Care and Special Needs support for children and young people aged up to 18, including:

- Fostering and adoption
- Special school and care placements
- Child protection services
- Special educational needs assessments
- Support for children with disabilities and learning difficulties
- Support for young offenders

# Health, including:

- Developmental child health
- Speech and language therapy
- Community nurses and paediatricians (specialists in children's health)
- Audiology (hearing tests)
- Healthy living advice
- Support for young people with specific health issues such as substance misuse, sexual health, emotional and mental health



#### In your area...

There are three areas in Brighton & Hove: Central, East and West.To find out which area you live in, phone (01273) 290000. In each area there are four multi-disciplinary teams.

## The Early Years team

This team provides support for families with children up to five, based in our new children's centres (see back page for details). Services include:

- Midwives
- Health visitors
- Parenting and family support
- Childcare and early education
- Access to specialist services e.g speech therapy

# The Safeguarding team

This team includes social care staff who work with families needing extra support, with children in the public care system, and with children at risk.

# The School and Community Support Team

This team works to provide support to children of school age and their families. It includes:

- Educational welfare officers
- Educational psychologists
- Specialist teachers
- School nurses
- Mental health services for children and young people

## The Youth and Connexions team

This team provides support and activities for 13-19-year-olds. It includes:

- youth workers
- personal advisers
- access to specialist services for young people with specific needs

Each area has a Commissioning and Partnership team which works with schools and GPs in their area to help meet the needs of families and children.

