

## Referral to Speech & Language Therapy for children and young people

Referrals can be made by anyone **providing there is parental consent**.

Young people assessed to be competent by the referrer are able to give consent for this referral.

**Please complete all sections in black ink. Any forms which are illegible will be returned to the sender.**

Name of parent(s)/carer(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child/young person: \_\_\_\_\_ Who holds parental responsibility? \_\_\_\_\_

Language(s) spoken at home: \_\_\_\_\_ Interpreter needed: \_\_\_\_\_ yes/no

Forename:	Surname:
Gender: M/F	Date of birth:
Address:  Postcode: Land line: Mobile(s):	Protected address: yes/no
	Name of school/nursery/pre-school:
	Permission to contact via text: yes/no

Safeguarding information (if applicable):

What support/advice has the child/young person received to date? Please include any referrals to other services e.g. Educational Psychology, CAMHS.

Medical information:  
  
Does the child/young person have any specific diagnoses?

What difficulties is the child/young person having?	
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What impact is this having at home?	
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What impact is this having at nursery/pre-school/school/college?	
What are you hoping for from this referral?	

	None					Significant			
Level of parental concern	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Level of referrer's concern	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Level of child/young person's concern (if appropriate)	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	

Has the child been referred to Speech and Language Therapy before?  
**Yes**  **No**

Please provide any other information you think may be helpful to us.

Does the young person wish to be seen without their parent/carer? **Yes**  **No**   
 If yes, have they been assessed to be Fraser Competent? **Yes**  **No**

Referred by (please print):  
 Full name: \_\_\_\_\_ Job title: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contact address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of referrer: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
**By signing this form you are confirming that you have obtained parental consent**

*Thank you for completing this form. You will be informed of the outcome of this referral.  
 Please return the completed form to the appropriate address below:*

**Speech and Language Therapy  
 Out of Hospital Care Services  
 University Hospital of Hartlepool  
 Holdforth Road  
 Hartlepool  
 TS24 9AH**

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