

Eligibility matrix for the Surrey Early Support Service

Providing early support for children aged 0-5 years old with disabilities and special/additional needs

The level of support that will be provided by your local Surrey Early Support Coordinator depends on the services that the family access, and their situation.

Please see below:-

Specialist health services	Specialist education	Other factors	Level
Acute and community paediatricians Paediatric nursing team Dietician Speech and language therapy Physiotherapy Occupational therapy Child and adolescent mental health services	Portage Specialist teaching and educational psychology service (STEPS) Specialist Nursery/School provision Early years and childcare service – SEN Specialist social care Occupational therapy Respite/short breaks Direct payments	Housing issues Safeguarding Domestic abuse English as an additional language 'Hard to reach' families *	
Three or more from list above	Yes	Yes	A
Three or more from list above	Yes	No	A
Three or more from list above	No	Yes	B
Three or more from list above	No	No	C
Two from list above	Yes	Yes	A
Two from list above	Yes	No	B
Two from list above	No	Yes	C
Two from list above	No	No	C
One from list above	Yes	Yes	C
One from list above	Yes	No	C
One from list above	No	Yes	C
One from list above	No	No	D

Level	Details of support (will depend on the individual need of each child/family)
A	Early Support Resources, Holistic assessment, Common assessment framework, Team around the child, Family service plan, Keyworker
B	Early Support Resources, Holistic assessment, Common assessment framework. Possible team around the child, Family service plan, Keyworker
C	Early Support Resources, Holistic assessment, Common assessment framework, Lead professional from other service
D	Early Support Resources

* 'Hard to reach' is defined as a family that would not access services without support. This may be different for every area.