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HELPING FAMILIES BUILD A BRIGHTER FUTURE

FACT SHEET

Residential Family Assessment

Our Services

As market leader in Residential Family Assessment, we offer a broad range of comprehensive assessments with detailed reports produced by qualified Social Workers. Our multi-disciplinary staff teams have the skills and abilities to work across a range of complex cases.

Families are placed in a safe and comfortable environment that gives them every opportunity to succeed in parenting assessment. Every family is made to feel welcome and shown respect and courtesy from our staff team. They will give them all the encouragement and support they need in reaching their full potential as parents.

Location & Accommodation

We are able to provide a high-quality standard of accommodation within our Residential Assessment Centres. We have centres located in the Yorkshire, North West and East Midlands regions. Accommodation can range from:

- Self contained apartments
- Family Group Living

Assessments

Our Residential Assessments are tailored to the individual needs of each family which are completed by Qualified Registered Social Workers. Assessments include:

- Parenting Assessments
- PAMs Assessments
- Person Posing Risk Assessments
- Viability Assessments
- Pre-birth Assessments
- Attachment Assessments
- Assessment of Risk

As a standard each Family:

- Have their own bedroom or apartment (dependent of Service location)
- Staff available on site 24/7
- Allocated a Social Worker to undertake an assessment as directed by the Placing Authority/Court
- Allocated a Key Worker
- Tailored support package
- Basic child care observations
- Weekly appraisals shared with the family and social care
- Mid-way Interim Assessment
- A comprehensive assessment completed by an allocated Social Worker
- Safe & secure environment



Monitoring and Surveillance:

Monitoring is based on the family's needs and depended on risks posed by the parents. The level of monitoring is agreed between the Service and the Placing Authority and can include:

- **Full** CCTV and Audio Monitoring
- **Intermittent** CCTV and Audio Monitoring
- **Physical** welfare checks
- Full child care observations
- Random child care observations

Parenting Programmes

Our services provide individual parenting programmes where parents can feel comfortable and develop their parenting skills at a pace that best meets their needs. Each family will have a package tailored to best meet their needs.

Parenting Skills	Life Skills
Practical Parenting	ASDAN Independent Living Skills
Importance of Routines	Cooking on a Shoestring
Child Development	Money/Debt Management
Baby Massage	Dealing with Benefits
Play & Learn	Feeling Good About Yourself
Coping with Behaviours	Building Confidence
Stress/Emotional Management	Relationships
What does being a parent mean?	Support with Employability
Identifying Risk and Safe Parenting	Accredited Training Programmes
Accredited Parenting Courses	<i>The latter 2 are offered by our Training Centre</i>
Health Care	Personal Care
Exploring Healthy Eating	Learning About Personal Hygiene
Fitness	Personal Safety
Sexual Health	Body Image
Drugs and Alcohol	Bullying
Looking After Yourself	Time for Me

Client Groups:

Parents:

- 13+ years old
- Female and/or male
- Parents who are not currently taking illegal substances (risk assessed on an individual basis by the Centre Manager and in consultation with the Placing Authority)
- Parents or children with learning needs
- Parents with mental health issues
- Parents who are not physically or verbally abusive to the point that they are a risk to their children and/or other people

Children:

- Age 0-8 years
- Male and/or female



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