

# WHERE TO REFER



Developmental concerns	Service Provider	Contact details - Community Health Centres
Communication and feeding skills	Speech Pathology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Liverpool - 9616 4405 Intake email: <a href="mailto:SWSLHD-LiverpoolRainbowCottage@health.nsw.gov.au">SWSLHD-LiverpoolRainbowCottage@health.nsw.gov.au</a></li> <li>Fairfield - 9794 1739 Intake email: <a href="mailto:SWSLHD-FairfieldCHSpeechPathology@health.nsw.gov.au">SWSLHD-FairfieldCHSpeechPathology@health.nsw.gov.au</a></li> <li>Bankstown - 9780 2777 (ask for Child &amp; Family intake) Intake email: <a href="mailto:SWSLHD-BankstownCHSpeechPathology@health.nsw.gov.au">SWSLHD-BankstownCHSpeechPathology@health.nsw.gov.au</a></li> <li>Campbelltown/Camden/Wollondilly – 4633 4133 Intake email: <a href="mailto:SWSLHD-MacarthurSpeechPathology@health.nsw.gov.au">SWSLHD-MacarthurSpeechPathology@health.nsw.gov.au</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Paediatric Allied Health Unit - 4634 3580</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Fine motor, sensory processing, play and self-help skills	Occupational Therapy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Liverpool - 9616 4405 Intake mail: <a href="mailto:SWSLHD-LiverpoolRainbowCottage@health.nsw.gov.au">SWSLHD-LiverpoolRainbowCottage@health.nsw.gov.au</a></li> <li>Fairfield - 9794 1700</li> <li>Bankstown - 9780 2777 (ask for Child &amp; Family intake)</li> <li>Campbelltown - 4633 4105 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Paediatric Allied Health Unit - 4634 3580</li> </ul> </li> <li>Camden – 4633 0500</li> <li>Wollondilly – 4683 6019</li> </ul>
Gross motor skills	Physiotherapy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Liverpool - 9616 4405 Intake email: <a href="mailto:SWSLHD-LiverpoolRainbowCottage@health.nsw.gov.au">SWSLHD-LiverpoolRainbowCottage@health.nsw.gov.au</a></li> <li>Bankstown - 9780 2777 (ask for Child &amp; Family intake)</li> <li>Campbelltown - Paediatric Allied Health Unit - 4634 3580</li> </ul>
Weight/Nutrition	Dietetics	<p><u>Early Childhood Community Nutritionist</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bankstown/Fairfield/Liverpool - 9780 2838 Email: <a href="mailto:SWSLHD-NutritionEarlyChildhoodBFL@health.nsw.gov.au">SWSLHD-NutritionEarlyChildhoodBFL@health.nsw.gov.au</a></li> <li>Camden/Campbelltown/Wingecarribee/Wollondilly – 4633 4179 Email: <a href="mailto:SWSLHD-NutritionEarlyChildhoodMW@health.nsw.gov.au">SWSLHD-NutritionEarlyChildhoodMW@health.nsw.gov.au</a></li> </ul>
Social & emotional wellbeing/Behaviour	Mental Health – psychology/ counselling	<p><u>SWSPHN STAR4Kids (3-12years):</u> provides free psychological therapies to children aged 3-12 years with, or at risk of, <b>developing mild to moderate mental illness</b>, including depressive, anxiety or stress disorders, with barriers to accessing Better Access (Medicare).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SWS central intake: 1300 797 746 <a href="https://phnswsws.redicase.com.au/#!/referral/create">https://phnswsws.redicase.com.au/#!/referral/create</a></li> </ul> <p><u>Karitane (0-5 years):</u> For SWSLHD - 9732 6500 Referral: <a href="https://www.karitane.com.au/referral">https://www.karitane.com.au/referral</a></p> <p><u>Child &amp; Family Psychology (0-12 years):</u> Central intake for SWSLHD- 8788 4200</p> <p><u>Perinatal &amp; Infant Mental Health Services</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bankstown/Liverpool/Fairfield: 9616 4251</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Campbelltown, Wollondilly and Wingecarribee: 4621 5000</li> </ul> <p><u>Infant Child Adolescent Mental Health Services (ICAMHS): assessment and intervention for children, young people and their families, who have <b>complex or moderate to severe</b> mental health problems + consultation about assessment and management of children with mental health problems to schools, hospitals in the LGA and general practitioners.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Liverpool/Fairfield: 9827 8011/8717 1700 Referral form: <a href="http://www.icamhs.com.au/pdf/CAMHS-LivFRF.pdf">http://www.icamhs.com.au/pdf/CAMHS-LivFRF.pdf</a></li> <li>Bankstown: 9780 2777 Referral form: <a href="http://www.icamhs.com.au/pdf/camhs-referral-form.pdf">http://www.icamhs.com.au/pdf/camhs-referral-form.pdf</a></li> <li>Macarthur/Campbelltown: 4621 5000 Referral form: <a href="http://www.icamhs.com.au/pdf/CAMHS_CCQ.pdf">http://www.icamhs.com.au/pdf/CAMHS_CCQ.pdf</a></li> </ul> <p><u>Family Mental Health Support Services</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Liverpool: Mission Australia – Happy Healthy Minds- 9732 6500</li> <li>Fairfield: Woodville Alliance - 9724 3807</li> <li>Bankstown: Break Thru People Solutions - 8700 1400</li> <li>Campbelltown: The Benevolent Society - 4633 377</li> </ul> <p><u>NSW Service for the Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture and Trauma Survivors (STARTTS) – free service, anyone can refer: 9646 6800 or <a href="https://www.startts.org.au/services/make-a-referral/">https://www.startts.org.au/services/make-a-referral/</a></u></p>
<b>Hearing</b>	<b>Audiometry</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fairfield Community Health Centre – 97941700</li> <li>Hoxton Park Community Health Centre – 97940222 (* Liverpool families also)</li> <li>Ingleburn Early Childhood Centre – 87884200</li> <li>Narellan Community Health Centre - 46330500</li> <li>Wollondilly Community Health Centre – 46330000</li> <li>Wingecarribee Community Health Centre - 48618000</li> </ul>
<b>Monitoring global development</b>	<b>Child &amp; Family Health Nurse</b>	Community Health Centres (as above) and Bankstown Community Health Centre – 9780 2777

<b>If you have significant concerns for the child's development:</b>	<p><b>1. Early Childhood Early Intervention (ECEI) – SWSLHD:</b> EACH Central Intake: 1300 003 224 Email: <a href="mailto:info@each.com.au">info@each.com.au</a> Website: <a href="https://www.each.com.au/service/early-childhood-early-intervention/">https://www.each.com.au/service/early-childhood-early-intervention/</a></p>
	<p><b>2. Developmental Paediatrician referral</b></p>
	<p><b>3. Community Health Centres and/or private services (as above)</b></p>

<b>How to find private services:</b>	
Speech Pathology	<a href="https://www.speechpathologyaustralia.org.au/">https://www.speechpathologyaustralia.org.au/</a>
Occupational Therapy	<a href="https://www.otaus.com.au/find-an-ot">https://www.otaus.com.au/find-an-ot</a>
Physiotherapy	<a href="https://choose.physio/find-a-physio">https://choose.physio/find-a-physio</a>
Dietetics	<a href="https://dietitiansaustralia.org.au/find-an-apd/">https://dietitiansaustralia.org.au/find-an-apd/</a>
Psychology	<a href="https://www.psychology.org.au/Find-a-Psychologist">https://www.psychology.org.au/Find-a-Psychologist</a>

**If a child is over 7 years of age, they can access:**

- Private services (using Medicare plans)
- NDIS (if eligible - <https://www.ndis.gov.au/applying-access-ndis/am-i-eligible>)
- Please check specific community health centres for discipline specific age cut-offs

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