



Peterborough Neurodevelopmental Pathway

What is the Neurodevelopmental Pathway?

The pathway was created in 2015 to stop families having to wait on prolonged waiting lists without any support. The pathway is designed to ensure that children, young people, and families who need specialist assessment and associated support receive it within a reasonable amount of time.

Following support, if difficulties continue, a referral for a specialist assessment can be made.

What is needed for the Neurodevelopmental Pathway?

- The Neurodevelopmental Referral Form. There is a QR code link to this form further down this letter.
- Your child's school (or another professional) needs to complete this.

- Information from your child's school to evidence that they have been supporting them to try to manage their symptoms. This is best captured by school using a graduated response, following a clear cycle of "Assess, Plan, Do, Review".

- A copy of the most up to date and current version of the Early Help Assessment (EHA) and TAF minutes or evidence of a family based worker updated within the past 6 months. Alternatively, if your child has an EHCP (Education, Health and Care Plan), we will need the current copy of this document.

- A document called "Developmental History" should be completed, if you don't have access to this document, please contact us at younited@cpft.nhs.uk

Useful Links

Scan the QR CODE for a link to the referral form. It is crucial all information is filled out.

It is recommended that school complete the form so all information needed is submitted. If the young person is not in school, you can approach your local GP or any professional working with the family.



Neurodevelopmental
Referral Form



Early Help
Assessment



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You have concerns that the young person has neurodevelopmental needs - ASD/ADHD.

Prior to referral, please show evidence of a school based support plan e.g. Assess, Plan, Do, Review

Request referral for Early Help Assessment (EHA) and Team Around Family (TAF) approach (updated within the last 6 months).

Should all of the above approaches not reduce symptoms of concern, please complete the neurodevelopmental referral form with a professional and submit to YOUUnited with attached evidence of EHA/TAF, Parenting Course, APDR and developmental history form

Referral received by YOUUnited Hub and screened for pathway documents. Screening completed by Neurodevelopmental Team.

Enough Evidence

Not Enough Evidence

**Primary school age: referral sent to Community Paediatricians for General Developmental Assessment.
Secondary school age: referral sent to Neurodevelopmental Team.**

Referral closed to YOUUnited

Should there be separate mental health concerns, please complete a mental health referral form and submit to YOUUnited