



Does your child have a visual / hearing loss?

Touching Lives Transforming Families is an innovative new project aimed at supporting families with children aged 0 - 12 affected by sensory loss and additional needs

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The project will focus on:

- ◆ Putting together a support programme working directly with the child at home, school or in a community setting to support families to develop their understanding and confidence.

This Includes:

- ◆ Assessments that look at the child as a whole, including helping parents to understand a child's vision and / or hearing loss.
- ◆ Specialist advice, support, and information to families.
- ◆ We also offer practical advice about adapting the sensory environment to meet a child's needs and offer advice on suitable play equipment.
- ◆ Developing and supporting a number of events for families-
-for siblings and extended families.
- ◆ Working with a range of local organisations to provide advice, training and support.



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