

Early Help Assessment and Plan (EHAP) Pack

This pack contains all the information, forms and resources needed to understand and use the EHAP process in Ealing – offering children, young people and their families a simple route to multi-agency early help and support.

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Children & Families

Key Messages and Family Support

FREE childcare places

Families on a low income either from work or benefits may be eligible for 15 hours a week free childcare for their **two-year-olds**. Places available at nurseries and with childminders.

All **three and four-year-old** children in the UK are entitled to a free childcare place for **15 hours a week** regardless of income or residency status.

Family Information Service (FIS)

The FIS is your first point of contact for all EHAP enquiries. In addition, the FIS can answer family enquiries about:

- Ofsted registered childcare (nurseries, playgroups, childminders etc)
- Paying for childcare
- Free childcare/nursery for two-year-olds
- Family support services
- Leisure activities
- Services for young people
- Services for children with additional needs and disabilities

020 8825 5588
children@ealing.gov.uk

Encourage families with young children to register at a children's centre for:

- Childcare (nurseries)
- Stay and Play and other fun activity sessions
- Family support services
- Child and family health services (including midwives, health visitors and speech and language therapists)
- Back to work skills, courses, training and volunteering
- Information and advice



Find your nearest children's centre at www.childrenscentres.org.uk or call **020 8825 5588**

Help families to find a local GP or dentist

Do a quick postcode search on the NHS website.
www.nhs.uk

Health services near you

GP GPs Hospitals Dentists

postcode, town or practice name

Remember postcode

Only show practices accepting new patients

Find GP practices

Find everything from A&E, pharmacies and maternity services to long-term illness support

More services

Child Poverty Toolkit

Turn Awareness into Action



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Turn Awareness into Action with Ealing's Child Poverty Toolkit.

A simple resource to help you establish your own practical and achievable child poverty strategy.

www.ealing.gov.uk/CPS

SAFE 0-18 (Supportive Action for Families in Ealing)

SAFE 0-18 can help with:

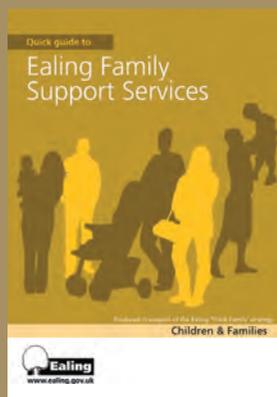
- Family relationship breakdown
 - Domestic violence
 - Child behaviour issues
 - Problems at your child's school
 - Drug and alcohol use
 - Mental health concerns
- And much more...*

Professional referrals as well as self-referrals should be made through ECIRS on **020 8825 8000**

Concerned about the welfare or safety of a child or young person?

Call our helpline on **020 8825 8000** at any time

You can talk to an experienced professional from the ECIRS (Ealing Children's Integrated Response Service) who will be able to help.



Get a copy of the Quick Guide to Ealing Family Support Services

Download a copy at www.ealing.gov.uk/EHAP or get print copies by emailing your details to children@ealing.gov.uk

In your EHAP pack

- **Quick Guide to the Early Help Assessment and Plan (EHAP)**
- **EHAP Forms**
- **Appointment Cards**
- **Early Help Assessment Diagram (portable tool)**
- **EHAP Audit Forms**

The contents of this pack are the only resources you will need to understand and use the EHAP process.

Downloadable versions of the pack contents and a link to the online EHAP form can be found at **www.ealing.gov.uk/EHAP**

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