

### **Kirklees Services Directory:**

**Thriving Kirklees** includes Northorpe Hall, NHS South West Yorkshire Partnership, Locala, Home Start, Yorkshire Children's Centre – **0300 304 5555** (Chat Health text for parent/carers **07520 618867**, for young people **07520 618866**)

<https://www.thrivingkirklees.org.uk/>

**SALT** – Concerns with speech and language for young people:

<https://www.locala.org.uk/your-healthcare/childrens-speech-language-therapy/>

**KIAS** – Information, advice and support relating to a young person aged 0-25's special educational needs or disability (**0300 3301504**) <http://www.kias.org.uk/>

**SEND – Kirklees Local Offer** – gives children and young people aged 0-25 with special educational needs or disabilities, and their families information about what is available in Kirklees across education, health and social care;

[www.kirkleeslocaloffer.org.uk](http://www.kirkleeslocaloffer.org.uk)

**Kirklees Safeguarding Children's Board –**

<https://www.kirkleessafeguardingchildren.co.uk/>

### **For Young People under 19**

**KOOOTH** – Free, safe and anonymous online counselling support for 11+

[www.kooth.com](http://www.kooth.com)

**Barnardos Young Carers** – young carers 8-18 years (**01484 426100**)

<http://www.barnardos.org.uk/kirklees-young-carers/service-view.htm?id=242341151>

**yOUTH Services Brunswick Centre** – HIV support and LGBT Project supporting young people and their parents/carers (**01484 541589**)

<https://www.thebrunswickcentre.org.uk/services/youth-services>

**The Base** – drug and alcohol support service for people up to 21yrs old and support for parents and carers. They also have a Hidden Harm Project providing support for young people who have concerns about parent /carers struggling with drug/alcohol issues (**01484 541589**) Alice Quarterless-Oates is the NTH lead for this.

<https://kirkleesinrecovery.com/services/cgl-thebase/>

**Luke's Lads** – Mental Health Support groups for males ages 11+ to 15 in addition to adults <https://www.lukeslads.co.uk>

**Butterflies** – Mental Health Support Group for females ages 11+ to 15 in addition to adults <https://www.butterfliesmentalhealth.co.uk/>

**Yorkshire Children's Trust** – Primarily set up by parents to support families of children with cancer, they now offer counselling for children and young people. They also offer respite breaks for families. <https://www.yctrust.uk/>

## **Supporting adults and families**

**Carers Count** – support for carers (including parent carers), access to wellbeing activities and groups (0300 120231) <https://www.carerscount.org.uk/>

**Connected Persons Support Team** – supporting all connected carers, special guardians, foster carers (Debs – 07870590283)  
[https://kirkleeschildcare.proceduresonline.com/p\\_place\\_fam\\_friend.html](https://kirkleeschildcare.proceduresonline.com/p_place_fam_friend.html)

**Kirkwood Hospice** – pre & post bereavement support for children and families (01484 557910) <https://www.kirkwoodhospice.co.uk/>

**Martin House Community Bereavement Service** – bereavement support for families following the death of a young person aged 0-25 years (01937 845045)  
<https://www.martinhouse.org.uk/>

**Chart** – drug and alcohol service for people aged 18+ (01484 353333/01924 438383) <https://kirkleesinrecovery.com/services/chart-kirklees/>

**Women's Centre** – emotional and practical support for women aged 18 years+ in Kirklees and Calderdale (01484 450866) <https://womencentre.org.uk/>

**IAPT** – Choice of services for people aged 18 years+ experiencing common mental health problems such as low mood, anxiety, panic, stress and OCD (01484 343700)  
[www.kirkleesiapt.co.uk](http://www.kirkleesiapt.co.uk)

**The Southwest Yorkshire Mental Health Trust** – provide specialist mental health and learning disability services across Kirklees, Calderdale and Wakefield;  
<https://www.cht.nhs.uk/services/mental-health-services/> SPA- 01924 316830

**Fusion Housing** – Courses and volunteering opportunities for adults 01484 532280  
<https://www.fusionhousing.org.uk/>

**PCAN** – independent, parent-led forum for parents and carers of young people aged 0-25 years with additional needs. PCAN welcomes any parent or carer, whether they are just becoming aware that their child may have additional needs or whether they have a child with a confirmed diagnosis (07754 102336) [www.pcankirklees.org](http://www.pcankirklees.org)

**The Whole Autism Family** – voluntary group in Kirklees offering support and guidance to families impacted by autism (07564 256626)  
<http://thewholeautismfamily.co.uk/>

**Huddersfield Support Group for Autism (HSGA)**– Can be contacted through the website – [info@hsga.org.uk](mailto:info@hsga.org.uk)

**Andy's Man Club** – Support for men over 18 and can be contacted via the website:  
[www.andysmanclub.co.uk](http://www.andysmanclub.co.uk)

**Men's Sheds** – Friendship building, sharing skills and knowledge, reducing isolation for men over 18 (01484 421143) <https://menssheds.org.uk/>

**Sky Positive Minds** – Free and confidential drop-in service at Dewsbury Moor and Scout Hill Children's Centre, 100 Heckmondwike Rd, WF13 3NT for women and

teenage girls providing careers advice, parenting tips, housing/benefits advice and strategies to tackle anxiety and low mood while boosting confidence and communication – [www.SkyPositiveMinds.org.uk](http://www.SkyPositiveMinds.org.uk) / **07809430845**

**Pennine Domestic Abuse Service** – targeted support, safety planning and crisis intervention for anyone (male or female) experiencing domestic violence aged 16+ in Kirklees (**01274 878117/0800 0527222**) <https://pdvg.org/>

**RELATE** – Family Counselling around parental separation and poor relationships for young people and families 10+ (**01484 425843**) <https://www.relate.org.uk/>

**BACP** – Professional body representing counselling and psychotherapy with details of BACP registered counsellors (privately funded) [www.bacp.co.uk](http://www.bacp.co.uk)

**Socrates** – Independent service of clinical psychologists (**01484 514594**) <https://www.socrates.org.uk/>

**TalkThru** – confidential counselling for men and women facing an unplanned pregnancy or baby loss (**01484 515137**) <http://www.talkthru.org.uk/>

**Aunty Pam's** – Support for pregnant women and new mums, including benefits advice, peer support and swap shop (**01484 414775/01924 438316**) <https://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/auntie-pams/index.aspx>

**Home-Start Young Parents' Groups** – Supporting young mums aged 14-24 (**01484 421925**) <https://homestart-kirklees.org.uk/>

**KRASAC** – Kirklees Rape and Sexual Abuse Centre supports survivors of sexual violence. Service can be accessed from age 13+ (**01484 450040 or text only 07983628227**) <https://www.kcrasac.co.uk/>

**KABWWA (Kirklees Asian and Black Women Welfare Association)** - supports women and children from black, Asian and minority ethnic communities who are affected by domestic violence, providing support, advice, information and safe temporary accommodation; **01484 304338/0800 0527222**

**Better Off Kirklees** – website showing the benefits people are entitled to and how to claim them ([www.betteroffkirklees.co.uk](http://www.betteroffkirklees.co.uk))

**Kirklees Citizens Advice and Law Centre** – range of services including support with applying for benefits (**0344 848 7970**) <https://kcalc.org.uk/>

**Community Links Engagement and Recovery Service (CLEAR)** – Recover-focused mental health service for individuals with mental health needs aged 18+ living in Kirklees (**01484 519097/01924 465054**) <https://www.commlinks.co.uk/cleargroups/>

**S2R Create Space** - Promoting positive mental health by providing creative and mindfulness courses for different age groups: **01484 539531** <https://www.s2r.org.uk/>

**Sprout** – Families who have children with additional needs having fun together in the outdoors **01484 549479/07845415280**  
<http://www.growingworks.org.uk/sprout/>

**GLINT** – Horse assisted development and therapy to support people in making positive changes **(07887 613670)**  
<https://www.glint.org.uk/>

**The Well-Bean Café** – A safe supportive space for adults 18+ experiencing a mental health crisis at Union House, 29 Union Street, Dewsbury on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights from 7.30 until midnight **(07867028755)**  
<https://www.touchstonesupport.org.uk/services/well-bean-cafe-hope-in-a-crisis-kirklees/>

**Peer Talk** – Support group for adults struggling with depression in Batley, every Wednesday afternoon at the Community Room, All Saints, Stocks Lane, Batley, WF17 5ED from 1.30-3pm. **(07719 562 617)**  
<http://www.peertalk.org.uk/PeerTalkA5pos-Batley-0518.pdf>