



## Referrals to Children and Young People's Service (Newcastle)

The Children and Young People's Service provides a single service to all children and young people aged 0-18 years living in Newcastle and Gateshead who present with mental health difficulties. This includes children and young people who may have learning difficulties and those living in a range of difficult and challenging circumstances.

Services for children and young people with a learning disability are provided through collaboration between the Children and Young People's Service and Community Learning Disability Team.

Services for children and young people experiencing psychosis are provided through collaboration between Children and Young People's Service and the Early Intervention in Psychosis Team.

The service is able to provide:

- Assessment, diagnosis and intervention on a range of mental health issues;
- Intensive response and home-based treatment for those children and young people whose mental health is causing significant concern;
- An intensive Eating Disorder Service to support children and young people on the eating disorder pathway who are at risk of inpatient admission;
- Training, consultation, support and advice to front line staff working in targeted services for children.

### How to refer

Referrals will be accepted from any professional working with child, young person or their family and self referrals can also be made. Referrals are accepted in written form by letter or fax.

Referrals can also be made on the telephone: **0191 2466913**

Email contact: [NTAWNT.NoTCYPS@nhs.net](mailto:NTAWNT.NoTCYPS@nhs.net)

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Newcastle,  
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Newcastle CYPS opening hours are Monday - Friday 8am-8pm.

A professional's referral form for CYPS can be found [here](#).