## Short breaks update



## Parent Carer Forum - Agenda

## Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2024. 11:30am – 1:30pm.

Jubilee Library Conference Hall, Jubilee Street, Brighton, BN1 1GE

We recognise that the summer holidays are a very busy time for parents and carers. For this reason, our August forum will be run as a drop-in session, allowing you to come at any time without needing to stay for the entire duration. We encourage attendees to let us know if they plan on coming so we can better prepare – please RSVP to <u>Short.Breaks@Brighton.Hove.gov.uk</u> to let us know.

At the drop-in session, you'll have the opportunity to speak with a member of our team about any questions, queries, or concerns you may have. Refreshments will be provided, and if you inform us in advance, we will also be able to provide some activities for children and young people while parents / carers meet with us. Knowing the number of attendees beforehand is important to allow us to plan accordingly.

We recognise that those unable to attend do not have the same opportunities to speak to colleagues from the local authority as those attending in person. For this reason, we will be running **Short Breaks surgeries** during the week commencing 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> August.

Please use the link below to book a call with Jacqui Parfitt (Head of Commissioning, Families, Children and Learning Services) or Katie Rowe (SEND & Alternative Provision Commissioning Officer) at a time that suits you.

Click here to book a call with colleagues from Brighton & Hove SEND Short Breaks Team.

If you have any other questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us: <u>Short.Breaks@Brighton-Hove.gov.uk</u>

Questions were shared with PaCC representatives at the previous Parent Carer Forum. Responses from the Short Breaks team in Brighton and Hove to those questions will be shared via email on 14<sup>th</sup> August and copies will be printed and available for those who can attend on the day.