

Family Factsheets

Factsheet 2

Children's Hospice Services

Children's hospice services help children and young people with life-limiting conditions who are not expected to reach adulthood, and their families, to deal with the emotional and physical challenges they face and to make the most of life. This care can be provided throughout the course of a child or young person's life.

Children's hospice services aim to meet the physical, emotional, social and spiritual needs of children, young people and their families. Care is provided by a multi-disciplinary team of specialist staff, all working closely together to ensure seamless support to the entire family (including siblings and grandparents).

Children's hospices provide a wide range of support, including:

- 24 hour telephone support
- practical help, advice and information
- specialist short break care
- specialist therapies, including physiotherapy, complementary therapies, play and music therapy
- 24 hour access to emergency care
- 24 hour end of life care
- care for a child's body after death

- bereavement support
- information, support and training for parent carers

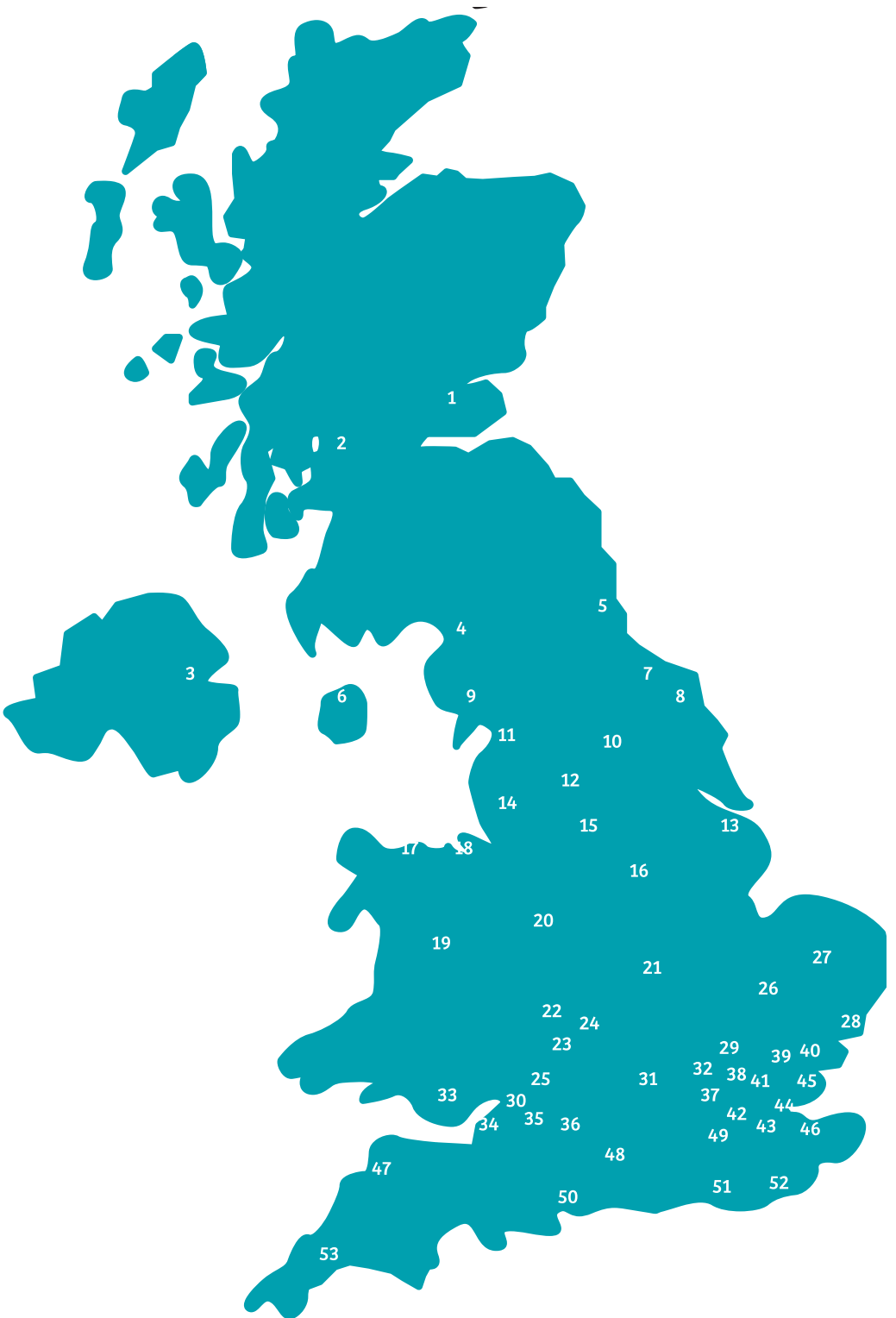
Children's hospice services can deliver this care in a child and family-friendly purpose built building and/or in the family's own home (commonly termed 'hospice at home').

For more information about the work of children's hospices or to find your nearest service, please see the map of children's hospice services overleaf.

You can find further information on our website www.togetherforshortlives.org.uk or you can call our helpline: 0808 8088 100

Find your nearest children's hospice service

1	Rachel House Children's Hospice (CHAS)	31	Helen & Douglas House
2	Robin House Children's Hospice (CHAS)	32	Rennie Grove Hospice Care
3	Northern Ireland Children's Hospice	33	Tŷ Hafan
4	Jigsaw, Cumbria's Children's Hospice	34	Charlton Farm (CHSW)
5	St Oswald's Hospice	35	Jessie May's Children's Hospice at Home
6	Hospice Isle of Man – Rebecca House	36	Julia's House – Wiltshire
7	Butterwick House Children's Hospice	37	Alexander Devine Children's Hospice Service
8	Zoe's Place – Middlesbrough	38	Noah's Ark Children's Hospice
9	Brian House Children's Hospice (Trinity Hospice and Palliative Care Services)	39	Haven House Children's Hospice
10	Martin House Children's Hospice	40	The J's Hospice
11	Derian House Children's Hospice	41	Richard House Children's Hospice
12	Forget Me Not Children's Hospice	42	Shooting Star Children's Hospices (Shooting Star House)
13	St Andrew's Children's Hospice	43	Demelza South East London
14	Zoe's Place – Liverpool	44	ellenor
15	Francis House Children's Hospice	45	Little Havens Children's Hospice
16	Bluebell Wood Children's Hospice	46	Demelza Kent
17	Ty Gobaith	47	Little Bridge House (CHSW)
18	Claire House Children's Hospice	48	Naomi House and Jackspace
19	Hope House	49	Shooting Star Children's Hospices (Christopher's)
20	Douglas Macmillan Hospice (Dougie Mac)	50	Julia's House - Dorset
21	Rainbows Hospice for Children and Young People	51	Chestnut Tree House
22	Acorns Children's Hospice – Acorns in the Black Country	52	Demelza Community
23	Acorns Children's Hospice – Acorns in Birmingham	53	Little Harbour (CHSW)
24	Zoe's Place – Coventry		
25	Acorns Children's Hospice – Acorns for the Three Counties		
26	EACH Milton		
27	EACH Quidenham		
28	EACH Ipswich		
29	Keech Hospice Care		
30	James Hopkins Trust		





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