

## What's new?



Norfolk & Waveney Children's SaLT transferred to Cambridgeshire Community Services on 2nd August making closer working with Health Visitors, School Nurses and other Healthy Child Programme professionals much easier.

The service is being redesigned to better meet the needs for all children and young people in Norfolk and Waveney.

Agreed service priorities for the next year are:

- Reducing the waiting times whilst carrying on with essential work
- Joining speech and language therapy with Just One Number and Just One Norfolk so there is a single place to go for all speech and language therapy enquiries
- Developing the Balanced System® Framework for all speech, language and communication needs in Norfolk & Waveney

## Priority changes



## What is The Balanced System® framework?

A new way of working in Norfolk & Waveney to support families, caregivers and professionals to develop the skills and confidence needed to support children with speech, language and communication needs. This is a long term plan, developing with your support over the coming months.

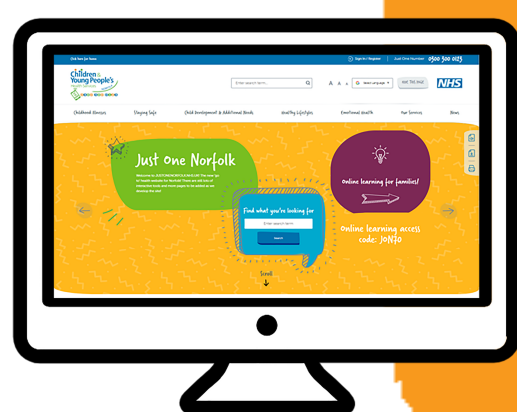
## Managing the waiting list

We are already working actively with 2400 children, families and the team around the child. There are approximately another 1500 children waiting for advice. The Speech and Language Therapy team will continue to work with children who need specialist support and are working hard to reduce waiting times.



If you are waiting for support, we will be in touch as soon as possible.

## Where to go for help:



Visit [www.justonenorfolk.nhs.uk/salt](http://www.justonenorfolk.nhs.uk/salt) for information and resources to support children's communication development.

If you need more information or advice call Just One Number on 0300 300 0123 to speak with a member of the team.

