One Voice Parents’ Group

Parents of disabled children working together for change
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We are a group of parents of children with disabilities who have joined together to help influence and shape services for disabled children in Coventry.

The Group was formed as part of the Aiming High for Disabled Children transformation programme.

We aim to:
- raise awareness of the impact of a wide range of disabilities
- influence decision makers
- provide views based on personal experiences
- share information and provide support to other parents and carers

How can we make a difference?

“I wanted to make a difference because I feel strongly about issues affecting disabled children in Coventry. I joined the group because ‘One’ voice starts a change but a group of voices ‘Make’ a change”

Claire, Mum of Henry

“Being involved in the parent group has been informative and empowering. Knowing that our opinions have been listened to is a great feeling. Also, realising that you are not on your own and we can all support each other”

Kellie, Mum of Ryan

“The One voice Group brings together parents of disabled children, who can support each other and can influence others who can help”

Tracy, Mum of Harry

What do you mean by disability?

We want to include as many parents as possible. The definition of disability we use is:

"Disability is: Disadvantage experienced by an individual... resulting from barriers to independent living or educational, employment or other opportunities... which impacts on people with impairments and/or ill health"
Who do I contact to find out more?

We would love to have more parents involved, so if you would like to be part of the group and help make a difference please contact us.

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