

Information for Parents and carers

School Nurses offer confidential advice and support to children, young people and their parent/ carers.

We work closely with other health professionals and with schools to make sure that your child's physical and emotional health needs are met

We offer health reviews and immunisations in line with the Healthy Child Programme 5-19 including a School entry health review when children first start school, immunisations at various points, and the Guernsey Child Measurement Programme in Year 1 and Year 5

We are able to offer information and advice on, helping you and your family stay healthy, enuresis, immunisations and long-term conditions. We can carry out vision and hearing tests as needed and refer to appropriate agencies if required.

We can offer advice on behaviour and run the Incredible Years Programme (see downloads) to support parents who are struggling with the behaviour and/or demands of your child. We can also refer children to the Stepping Stones Programme (see downloads) and Decider Skills course.

We work with other agencies to make sure that every child and young person is able to live and go to school in a safe environment

School Nurses are able to offer health reviews and support to children and young people who are home educated and at college.

Parent/carers are asked to complete a health questionnaire for their child at Reception, Secondary school entry and Sixth Form entry. If any concerns are raised the School Nursing may contact the parent/carer/student to discuss further