We are relaunching the Glosfamilies Directory and Gloucestershire's Local Offer

Welcome to the glosfamilies directory Welcome to Glosfamilies, an online directory bringing together information, services, resources, and things to do in Gloucestershire. If you are a young person aged 0 - 19 years (or up to 25 with SEND), a parent, prospective parent, carer, or you work with children and families then read on to see what Gloucestershire has to offer you! For more information on how to use the directory please click here. Information for Support for Families Future Me, Young Parent Workshops Information for Families with SEND. People's Local Offer and Practitioner Practitioners





Gloucestershire's

Local Offer











Training





It will make it easier for young people and families to find information and support



Support for Families with SEND - Gloucestershire's Local Offer for Parent & Carers

The Local Offer is a central source of information on services for children and young people aged 0-25 years with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) and their families in Gloucestershire. It includes specialist activities and support.







Childcare















Travel and Transport





















It's a one stop shop for families

- ✓ Created in partnership with parents, young people, the county council and NHS, it is an interactive online hub to help people find what they need in an accessible way
- ✓ Families can search for everything they need to know about childcare, education, activities, and support in their area









Education























It is more accessible

- ✓ We have worked with the Gloucestershire Parent Carer
 Forum to make sure information and resources are more
 accessible to young people and families with SEND
- ✓ A 'Parent Carer Approved' logo is displayed throughout, so families can have confidence the information is supported by

parent carers who have experience with

SEND in Gloucestershire

















It is easier to use

- ✓ A helpful activity checker helps families find things to do today, tomorrow and this week
- ✓ Inclusive activities are highlighted with a Local Offer flag to make them easier to see



















Made by young people, for young people

✓ Young People with SEND have developed, designed, and provided content for part of the directory named 'Future Me'



Future Me Gloucestershire

Future Me helps you share your views and feedback about being a young person with additional needs or disabilities in Gloucestershire. There are many ways to get involved and have your say. We also put together information that will help you prepare for adulthood. Click through each section to find out more.





My Education



My Employment and Training



My Health and



My Travel & **Transport**





My Support and





Preparing for





My Home











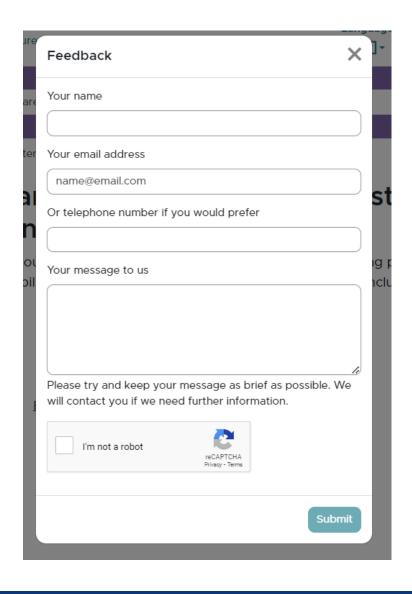






The new site includes:

- ✓ Up to date and accessible information on services and pathways from Autism to Youth Support, Childcare to Employment support
- ✓ Information and guidance on SEND
- ✓ An easy to use feedback form to help us learn what works well and not so well



















It is designed to support:

- ✓ Families with children aged 0-25
- ✓ Children & Young People Future Me
- Practitioners in education, health, care, private and community-based services
- ✓ Commissioners in the local area learning from feedback

















Here's how we'll keep you up to date

- Page carousels let you know what's happening and when
- Easy-to-use activities search function
- More videos: <u>Watch our introduction video</u>
- Families In Partnership newsletters: Sign Up here
- Annual 'You said, we did' reports based on your feedback:
 Access latest reports using the Local Offer Feedback page
- We will also post regularly on social media: Visit our Facebook

















Here's how you can help us

We'd love you to help us share this message with the young people and families you work with.

- Share the weblink and encourage them to take a look www.glosfamiliesdirectory.org.uk
- Like and share our posts on social media
 Visit GCC Facebook Page
- Tell us what works well and what could be improved, using the feedback option - it's on every page



















