



Christina Wilks

Case Manager



Chrissy is passionate about providing the highest quality of service to the children, young people and families we work with. She strives to promote opportunities for them and to ensure they are treated with dignity and respect in all aspects of their lives.

Chrissy has over 25 years of experience working with children, young people, transition case work and adults with profound multiple disabilities and physical disabilities, liaising and working closely with their families and carers. She has wide ranging depth of knowledge and experience in health, social care and educational settings.

She is adept at undertaking initial needs assessments and identifying relevant therapeutic support needs to facilitate rehabilitation, as well as organising and chairing complex multi-disciplinary meetings. Chrissy is very experienced in supporting clients and their families through diverse, complex, sensitive and often traumatic circumstances.

Specialisms

- Registered Nurse
- Qualified SCPHN (health visitor)
- Learning difficulties
- Brain injury

Professional Qualifications

- Registered General Nurse (DPSN)
- Qualified SCPHN, Health Visitor BSc (Hons)

Memberships

British Association of Brain Injury Case Managers (BABICM)
Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC)
Royal College Nursing (RCN)

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Experience

When Chrissy was director at Outreach, a voluntary organisation in Greater Manchester, providing support to adults in the community, Chrissy made the decision to obtain a professional nursing qualification. She studied at the University of Manchester and achieved her DPSN in adult general nursing. Chrissy was then accepted to study specialist nursing in community public health at Bolton University, with the Pennine Foundation Trust. Once qualified, she worked as a health visitor in Greater Manchester and Derbyshire. Chrissy is skilled and knowledgeable in child health and development: her work has involved assessing the health needs of babies and children; advocating on behalf of the client; and working closely with a wide range of health professionals and external agencies.

At the Together Trust, Chrissy was the registered manager with the Commission for Social Care Inspection (CSCI), now the Care Quality Commission (CQC). She was part of the original team who developed a new service – a fully adapted 5-bedroom bungalow for children and young people with profound learning difficulties and disabilities with complex needs in the community. Chrissy liaised closely with the young people, their families, therapists, local authorities and CSCI to ensure a consistent and high-quality service.

Chrissy has experience of working at specialist further education colleges. At Langdon College, she was the registered manager with CSCI and had a lead role on the senior management team and deputised for the principal in his absence. Chrissy represented the college when attending meetings with other NATSPEC colleges, external agencies and professionals.

Chrissy has the experience, knowledge and understanding of what it undertakes to deliver specialist home support; specialist educational, residential service and community services; and to facilitate a high level of support for clients, their families and support workers.