



Autism inclusive practice

These resources aim to support the development of practice that is inclusive of autistic children, young people and their families. Sometimes social care practice can lead to autistic children and young people's voices not being heard and their individual needs not being met. These resources support practitioners in developing inclusive and strength-based approaches.



Read

Short read: [Understanding autism with children, young people and adults: Views \(2024\)](#)

Short read: [Neurodiversity in the social work profession: Views \(2024\)](#)

Longer read: [Using a needs-led eligibility framework to provide services to disabled children and their families: Strategic Briefing \(2024\)](#)

Longer read: [Working with Autistic parents: Frontline Briefing \(2025\)](#)



Tools

[Enabling decision-making by children and young people with speech, language and communication needs - Four part: Practice Guide \(2024\)](#)



Watch

40 minutes (6 short films): [Understanding autism - a neurodiversity approach to supporting children and young people: Video learning resources \(2024\)](#)

30 minutes (5 short films): [Supporting neurodivergent practitioners in your social care organisation: Video learning resources \(2024\)](#)



Reflect

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