

HOW DCD PATHWAY WORKS IN WIRRAL



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- All referrals are sent to Duty via generic email and added to appropriate waiting list.
- All referrals are triaged and accepted or declined.
- If within red zone on ABC Questionnaire the referral is accepted. If not the referral is rejected.
- Referrals accepted are sent to Community Paediatrician and DCD pre-diagnostic pathway ends.

REFERRAL CRITERIA – DCD

- Section A of the dual referral form must be completed in full including child's correct name/address/DOB and signed by Parent/Carer (verbal consent can be given as long as it is stated in the signature box)
- Section D – Dyspraxia (DCD) must be fully completed
- Referrals can only be accepted for children aged 5 -12 years.
- Referrals for DCD must include a completed ABC (movement assessment battery). The scores of Sections A&B will need to be totalled and in high amber or red for the referral to be accepted.

SUPPORT SERVICES FOR ADHD/ASD/DCD



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- ADHD Foundation - www.adhdfoundation.org.uk
- ADDIS – Attention Deficit Disorder Information and Support Service - www.addiss.co.uk
- CAMHS (Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service) - www.mymind.org.uk
- ADDvanced Solutions - www.addvancedsolutions.co.uk

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- Autism Together - www.autismtogether.co.uk
- Council for Disabled Children – www.councilfordisabledchildren.org.uk
- MindEd - www.minded.org.uk
- Koala North West – admin@koalanw.co.uk
- Twinkl – www.twinkl.co.uk
- NHS DCD - www.nhs.uk
- Dyspraxia Foundation - <https://dyspraxiafoundation.org.uk/>