Nottingham's Autism Strategy: An update for Children's Partnership Board



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Identifying and supporting children, young people and adults with autism

National data suggests that 1 in 100 people are autistic although not all these people will have received a diagnosis of autism. Current data collection and collation makes it challenging to state accurately the number of children, young people (CYP) and adults with autism in Nottingham. Children and young people with higher level needs are more easily identified:

- 340 children/young people have an EHCP for autism, 40% of all EHCPs.
- Nottingham City Council's Autism Team are working with roughly 970 autistic CYP across city schools and supporting 86 year 6 pupils with transition to secondary school in September 2018.





Linking the autism strategy and the SEND agenda





Increasing understanding of autism

- Autism Education Trust training for schools
- Autism Awareness sessions for partners
- Autism Champions training





Visualising autistic children, young people and adults

Severely autistic people with learning disabilities and high care needs

People with autism and a learning disability who access support through adult social care

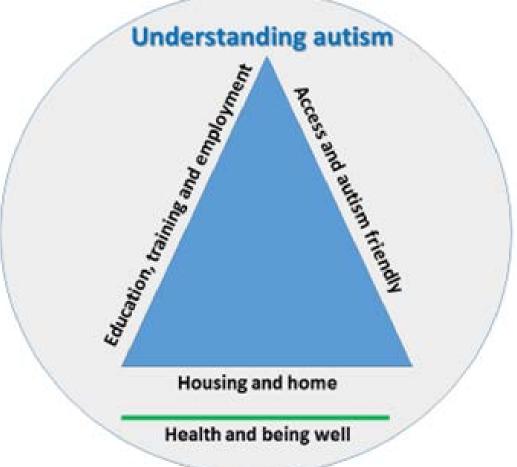
People with autism and Asperger's who need reasonable adjustments to succeed in education and employment

People with autism and Asperger's who will succeed in education and employment, live independently and participate in their local community if Nottingham becomes more autism friendly





The interconnecting areas of the autism strategy







Autism Champions





Questions and comments



