

Family Hubs Solihull



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Family Hub Offer for Solihull

The Family Hub offer includes a combination of **hub buildings, outreach and digital services for families with children aged 0-19 (25 SEND).**

In Solihull we now have:

- **4 Hub buildings** Operating **weekdays** and **evenings**.
- **Outreach** venues, where part-time services and activities take place in **community venues such as Shirley Heath Primary School and Meriden Primary School, exploring Dorridge, Monkspath, leisure centres and libraries.**
- **Digital offer for the whole borough – website and App.**
- **Family Line – Early Help Support for Parents and Professionals:**
0121 788 4327.



Hub buildings

Elmwood Family Hub – Smith's Wood

Riverside Family Hub – Chelmsley Wood

Evergreen Family Hub – Kingshurst (Colebridge Trust)

Hatchford Brook Family Hub - Elmdon



Principles:

- Warm, welcoming, accessible, attractive and safe
- Drop-in for advice/support/use facilities (space to feed/change/access to the sensory room/youth space), ICT
- Multi-use space – make the most of the available space
- Activities/sessions run alongside clinics/ advice sessions/ peer group support
- A space where all families feel it's a place for them



DfE/DHSC Service Expectations



Age range:
0-19 (25 SEND)

- Armed forces families
- HAF
- Immunisations
- Screen Time
- Attendance Support
- Adopted, kinship and foster families
- Families affected by imprisonment

1	Activities for children aged 0-5	13	Maternity Services
2	Employment Support	14	Nutrition & weight management
3	Debt and welfare advice	15	Oral health improvement
4	Domestic abuse support	16	Parent-Infant Relationships & Perinatal MH Support
5	Early Language and the Home Learning Environment	17	Parenting Support
6	Early Childhood Education and Care (ECEC) and financial support	18	Reducing Parental Conflict
7	Health Visiting	19	SEND support and services
8	Housing	20	Stop smoking support
9	Infant Feeding Support	21	Alcohol/drug use support
10	Intensive targeted family support	22	Support-separated parents
11	0-19 public health services	23	Youth justice services
12	Mental health services	24	Youth services

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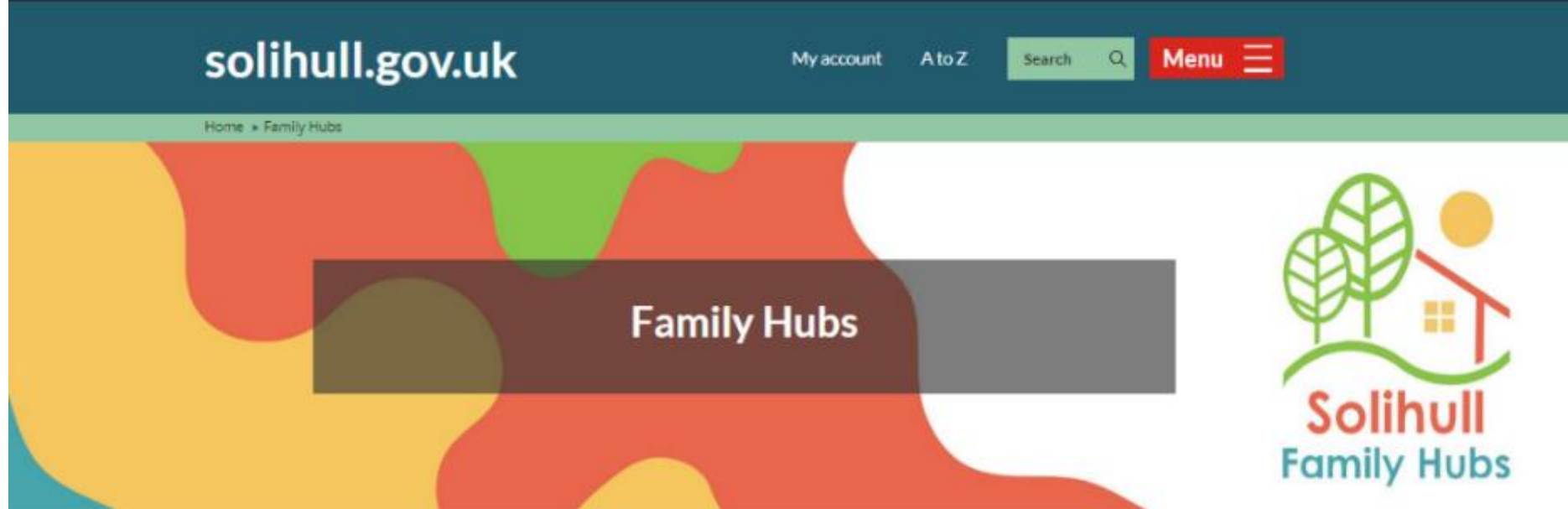
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Family Hub Website



UK Government



A family hub is a place where children, young people and their families can go when you need help and support.

The people working in the family hub will be from the Council, NHS and voluntary partners, working in partnership with you and your community.



How Family Hubs can help



Find your local Family Hub



What's on

<https://www.solihull.gov.uk/children-and-family-support/family-hubs>

Search: Solihull Family Hubs -

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Hub Activities

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How we can support Families:

- Information about activities and services taking place within the Hubs and also wider across Solihull.
- We are part of the Early Help team and are linked to the Early Help Co-ordinators and Family Support Teams.
- Weekly Family Support drop-ins
- Food Bank referrals
- Emergency support for Household items and food.
- Help with travel and access to free Bus travel for adults.
- Activities during the school holidays.



Solihull Start for Life offer “Best Start”

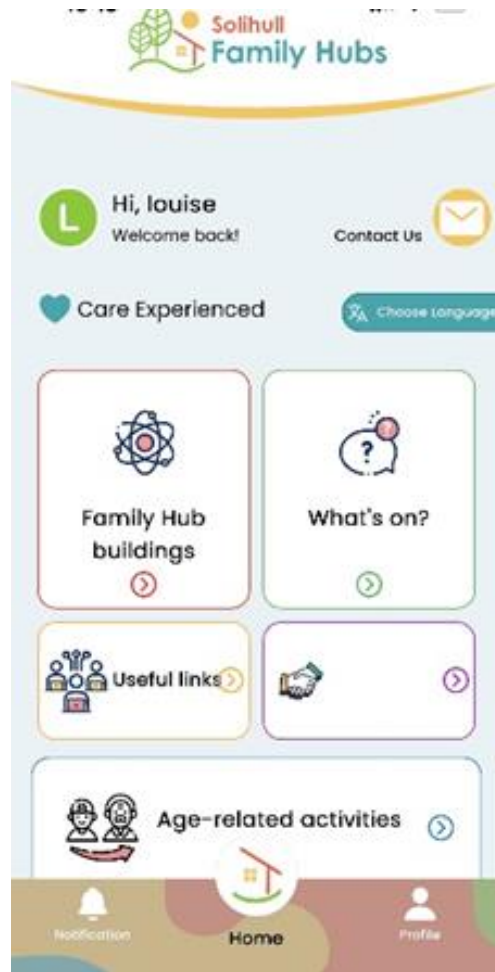


[Start for Life offer | solihull.gov.uk](https://solihull.gov.uk)

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Family Hub App



19 community languages.
Partner section just developed.

The app is on [Google Play](#)
and [Apple App Store](#)



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Contacting the Hubs

Download the Solihull Family Hubs app!



Android



Apple

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