

Children's Disability Network Team 6 mid - Wicklow Update December 2024





Caseload

Active: 361 Waitlist: 153

338 Children have an Individual Family Support Plan in place with identified goals.



We have commenced waitlist for those referred January 2022 – was March 2021 at previous Family Forum

Children <12 month continue to be activated on referral as per national access policy.

CDNT continue to prioritise supports provided and waitlist activation as per PDS prioritisation policy.

Assessment of Need continues to be prioritised as per legal requirement.



Team Members Left	New/Returning Team Members	Recruitment		
 2x Basic Grade Occupational Therapy 1x Senior Social Work (Mat Leave) CDNM (Mat Leave) 	 0.5 Positive Behaviour Support Post 0.5 additional Occupational Therapy Assistant post recruited 1 Basic Grade Physiotherapist 1 Senior Speech and Language Therapist CDNM Olive return January 2025; 1 Senior OT returning to team 	Recruitment continues for 2x Basic Grade OT 1x Basic Grade SLT 1x Basic Grade Psychology 1 0.5 Senior SW Mat Leave Cover		
27% vacant posts at present				



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	August	September	October
Children/young people who had 1:1 support.	90	134	119
Number of appointments.	181	316	320
Children/young people who had group intervention	18	19	69
Appointments not attended	7	19	26

Intervention Programmes Provided June - December

Planning for Adulthood

AAC Workshop

Managing Emotions
10 - 12 year olds

Parent Plus Early Years

Baby Massage

Parent support sessions

Special Event: Inclusive Halloween Sessions hosted

Transitioning to Secondary School

Parent Sensory and Individual Follow Up

Hanen More than Words and It Takes Two to Talk

Have vou seen our YouTube channel?



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We regularly add videos and webinars on common topics of interest for families. Examples include independence skills, handwriting and how to encourage emotional regulation.