

Publications for professionals

The following pages contain information to guide professionals in their work with deafblind people:

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- [Getting a Result! - A guide to participating in the transition planning process](#) This booklet has been designed for use by families and young people who are deafblind and multi-sensory-impaired who are going through the formal process of moving from school to adult life.
- [Support for professionals - Working with deafblind children, young people and their families](#) This leaflet describes how the Sense Children Specialist Services team can assist you in supporting and working with families who have children who are deafblind or multi-sensory impaired.

How Sense helps

- [Training and consultancy service](#) Explains how Sense offers specialist assessments, advice and training to individuals and groups working with deafblind people.
- [One-to-one support services](#) One of a series of leaflets published to inform social services departments about Sense services.
- [Living Options](#) Illustrates the range of living options provided by Sense - from group homes to independent supported living.
- [Day opportunities, vocational training and employment](#) Describes the wide range of day opportunities Sense offers to deafblind people – from educational programmes to leisure and vocational training.

About deafblindness

- [Quality Standards: Vision care for deaf children and young people](#) Sense and NDCS have been working together to develop these guidelines. They are aimed at those who have a duty of care for deaf children. The guidelines aim to draw attention to the need for vision care for children born deaf.

Education

- [Quality Standards in Education Support Services for Children and Young People who are Deafblind/ Multi-Sensory-Impaired](#) Written for the professionals, this document explains how to ensure deafblind children and young people access education through high quality support.

Deafblind rights and entitlements

- [Reaching Out - A toolkit for deafblind children's services](#) This toolkit explains how to put the Deafblind Guidance into action for children.
- [Fill in the Gaps toolkit](#) This booklet explains how you can help to make sure that older deafblind people get the support they need.
- [Fill in the Gaps toolkit for Wales](#) This booklet explains how you can help to make sure that older deafblind people get the support they need.

Technology

- [Make Technology Work - Report on technology access for deafblind people](#) For full details of our findings, read a copy of the report.