

Children's Centre Core Purpose	What do centres currently deliver?	What do HVs currently deliver?	Health Visiting service key objectives
Improving outcomes for young children and their families and reducing inequalities			Improve the health and well-being of children and reduce inequalities in outcomes as part of an integrated approach to supporting children and families
child development and school readiness	Baby massage groups; My Baby's Brain; stay and play sessions; Toy libraries: distribution of Bookstart Corner packs; access to 2 year old funded palces; information about 3/4 year old funded places; transition sessions	Ante-natal review;New baby review; health review at 6-8 weeks; distribution of first Bookstart pack; 1 year old assessment; 2 year old health review	
parenting aspirations and parenting skills	Advice and guidance, family support, universal parenting classes	Promotion of health and wellbeing; Solihull approach	
child and family health and life chances	Breast-feeding support, healthy eating sessions	Breast-feeding support, Screening, immunisations; health promotion	
Assessing strengths and need across the area to inform local commissioning of services	Contribute to JSNA	Contribute to JSNA	Ensure a strong focus on prevention; health promotion; early identification of needs and clear packages of support
Providing access to high quality, universal services in the area			Ensure delivery of a universal core programme to all children and families starting in the ante-natal period
early learning and childcare	links to all local childcare, early education providers and schools; some direct delivery of groups		
information and activities for children	information related to education, childcare, traing, work, benefits etc.	health related information; well baby clinics	
adult learning and employment support	Links to Job Centre Plus and employment and training providers. Offering adult learning opportunities		
integrated child and family health services		Child health clinics, home visiting	
Using evidence-based approaches to deliver targeted family-centred support			Identify and support those who need additional support and targeted interventions e.g. parents who need support with their emotional or mental health and women suffering from post-natal; depression
parenting and family support	outreach/home visits; Graded Care Profile	outreach/Home visits; Graded Care profile	
targeted evidence-based early intervention programmes	Family Nurturing links	Solihull approach	
links with specialist services	as required	as required	
Acting as a hub for the local community, building social capital and cohesion	Building strengths of parents;	Building strengths of parents;	Improve services for children, families and local communities through expanding and strengthening health visiting services to respond to need at individual, community and population level
Sharing expertise with other early years settings to improve quality	Share good pratice via networks and individual visits to settings		Work in full partnership with all early years services in the local area
Respecting and engaging parents	Parent forums; advisory boards; case studies; you said we did; parent satisfaction survey	Feedback from individual parents; Family and Friends question	Work with families on positive parenting through motivational interviewing and strengths based approaches, and to support behaviour change leading to positive lifestyle choices
Partnership working	Advisory board, links with local providers including childminders, networks	Developing community-based project, partnership working	Lead a local partnership approach to developing and sustaining families and communities' resilience to support the health and wellbeing of their 0-5 year olds