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| **Northamptonshire SEND and Local Offer for Parent Carers** |

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| This Code of Practice describes that local authorities must set out the support they expect to be available for local children and young people with special educational needs (SEN) or disabilities.  This has to be available online and make arrangements for those without access to the internet.  Full details of the full article can be found on our [**WEBSITE**](https://r1.technology-trust-news.org/5JV0-AMCW-1GT8P-7QDGD-1/c.aspx) |

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| **Meet Catherine 'Our Hero'** |

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| Hi, I am Cat, from Northamptonshire Carers, my role is Senior Transitional Young Adult Carer Worker.  On October 3rd 2021, in less than a year from when I started running, I will be completing the London Marathon (26.2 miles!!) virtually in my local area.  I will be running a route around Rushden, Higham Ferrers and the Greenway on Sunday 3rd October, so if you are in the area and you see me, please cheer me on.  I'll need all the motivation you can muster.  If you have got trainers on, join me to run a mile or two to help me on. Or later in the day I may be walking as I am not that fast!! I am determined to complete this task and my expected time is 6-8 hours (I don't know how I'll get through the last few miles but hopefully knowing I'm raising money for Carers will be enough.  If you would like to donate to my effort, please do, or share my page for others to read my story and donate.  You can find me [**HERE**](https://r1.technology-trust-news.org/5JV0-AMCW-1GT8P-7QFPF-1/c.aspx)  The Picture above is me recently after i had run 10k with some of the Young Adult Carers and staff |

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| **SENDS 4 Dads** |

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| **Northampton General Hospital Listening Event** |

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| Some of you who support people with Learning Disabilities may wish to attend this event being run by Northampton General Hospital by Patient Experience, open to Carers as well. |

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| **Regular Carers Groups** |

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| The vast majority of the regular Carers Support Groups, Drop-In's and Cafes are all back up and running across the county.  We have continued with some of the on-line groups for the time being to try and accommodate as many of you Carers as possible.  To find your nearest group or activity, they are listed on our  [**WEBSITE**](https://r1.technology-trust-news.org/5JV0-AMCW-1GT8P-7QHME-1/c.aspx) or call the office on 01933 677907, option 1 for details |

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| **Carers Support Line** |

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| **Community Lotteries** |

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| |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | Contact us Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm  Office & Carers Support Line: 01933 677907  Email: carers@northamptonshire-carers.org  Website: www.northamptonshire-carers.org  Fundraising donations: www.localgiving.com/northampotnshire-carers |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | [A picture containing text, clipart  Description automatically generated](https://r1.technology-trust-news.org/5JV0-AMCW-1GT8P-71PJA-1/c.aspx) | [A picture containing text, clipart  Description automatically generated](https://r1.technology-trust-news.org/5JV0-AMCW-1GT8P-71PJB-1/c.aspx) | [A red and white flag  Description automatically generated with low confidence](https://r1.technology-trust-news.org/5JV0-AMCW-1GT8P-71PJC-1/c.aspx) | |  |  | | --- | | CNorthamptonshire Carers is incorporated as a non profit Company Limited by Guarantee No. 3328459  Registered Charity No. 1061417 | | |