Emotionally Based School Non-Attendance (EBSNA) Pathway

Derby City Council

There may be times further professional support and advice is needed to make appropriate interventions. The EBSNA Pathway below outlines how Schools, Local Authority agencies and Health Services can offer support and processes to children, young people and their families in Derby City.

Stage 1	Stage 2		Stage 3	Stage 4
Emerging Concerns	**Escalating Concerns** *All of the Stage 1 interventions, and…*		**Short Term Intervention** *Stage 3 aims to help to improve the health condition of the child or young person, so they can return to mainstream education.*	**Long term interventions** *Stage 4 could be a child or young person who has accessed a Tier 4 acute service, inpatient service or needing long term intervention due to their complex Mental Health needs.*
Relational Approach Pupil voice Family engagement Parental meetings Trusted adult Safe space Reasonable adjustments School based interventions CPD and networking	EBSNA Graduated Approach EBSNA Toolkit for schools Individual Health Care Plan The ATTEND Framework EBSNA Toolkit for families Reintegration plan Virtual Learning Package Blended timetable	Health Needs Education Panel	Turnaround placement at Castle Health Needs Provision Step up or step down to the new ERP (September 2025) Alternative short term EOTIS or outreach package Early Help Social Care	Outreach service or Home Tuition Early Help Social care Multi Agency Approach CAMHS
School Health referral, including Health Needs Assessment Family Hubs	Education Welfare Service Family Hubs The Attendance Project (Educational Psychology Service)		CAMHS or other mental health support service	
Local Offer signposting to services including Mental Health Pathway Mental Health Whole School Approach Derby & Derbyshire Emotional Health and Well Being website	School Counsellor Compass Changing Lives MHST & Early Intervention Targeted Support Specialist Community Advisors (SCAs)			

	School based interventions		Local Authority interventions and packages		Locally commissioned Mental Health services