

## Introduction

Oldham Family Hubs, to give your child the best start in life, offers family services from conception through to 19 years old or over 25 for those with SEND.

Effective early intervention can improve children's wellbeing, educational attainment and life chances, reduce family poverty, improve mental health and lead to lower crime, unemployment and other negative outcomes which impact on families. The Family Hub centres enhance integrated working by enabling easier access to support, better outcomes for families, more effective service delivery and smarter use of budgets.

## What is distinctive about Family Hubs?

Family Hubs provide a central access point for integrated services, whether this is a building named a Family Hub, a building with another title, or a virtual access point. It's important that families know where to go and get help, and that staff and volunteers are trained to respond sensitively and effectively to families' enquiries. The Family Hub model enables every region to make the most of the buildings/delivery sites they have available. Most commonly, a Family Hub is co-located with other services and signposts families to services within the same building but is equally integrated with services provided at other delivery sites.

## **Beever Family Hub**

The relationships between the Family Hub, families and other delivery sites are equally important to ensure a whole family approach and, as far as possible, a seamless, integrated service. Beever Primary School and The Beever Family Hub have a strong working relationship, share resources and work in collaboration for the benefits of the families we serve.