



Addendum to The STAR MAT Access to Education for School Age Children and Young People with Medical Needs Policy

At Monk Fryston and Saxton Primary Schools, the responsibility for the implementation of the policy rests with Mr R Weights, Executive Headteacher.

The SENDCo, Mrs D Starr, is responsible for liaising with families, medical professionals, and other external services to ensure that the medical needs of children are fully understood and plans are prepared to support those needs.

Once a family knows that their child has a medical need they should contact Mrs Starr through the school office and arrange for a time to discuss the needs. This discussion will include an outline of the needs, any implications for adjustments that might be needed in school, any current medication plan, and the contact details of the professional services supporting the family. This discussion will normally lead to adjustments made to provision, which might be recorded in the child's 'My Support Plan' document, or an individual healthcare plan (A model IHCP is provided in Appendix 1 of the STAR MAT Policy [Click Here to View](#)).

Plans will be shared with relevant staff, and any appropriate training will be pursued to ensure that the plan can be enacted fully.