



# iMap Children's Services

**iMap provides individualised care and support to children and young people with autism, learning disabilities and complex health and communication needs.**

## Children's Home

We offer full time and respite care places where children and young people are able to access therapeutic support from our on-site therapy services, as well as advice and guidance from our Head of Health and Wellbeing. The home itself is based in a large manor house and lodge amid 10 acres of idyllic, rural land in the quiet village of Cuddington, Cheshire. Our residential accommodation offers single bedrooms for our young people in the manor house and in small units situated in the grounds. We have separate dining room and lounge facilities on both the ground and first floor.

## School

The school is set away from the main house in specially designed teaching areas. It is surrounded by large outdoor grassed play areas, with plenty of opportunity for a variety of leisure options on the site. Our teachers are experienced in working in the field of autism and work hard to provide our young people with the fullest possible access to the curriculum and to ensure that they are safe. We offer a range of residential, day school and term time only placements, providing wrap around care and support where required, and we are able to design an education package that meets the specific needs of each individual child or young person.

## Outreach

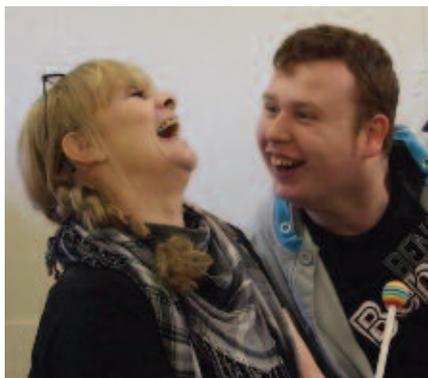
iMap will individually tailor an outreach support programme to meet the needs of the service user. We are able to offer education focussed support and assistance to access the community, as well as offering behavioural support and guidance to assist parents and carers to support and care for their children.





## Deciding on the Right Package of Support

Our highly skilled staff can be available 24 hours a day as required, as we work with families and other professionals to design individually tailored support packages for each of our children or young people. iMap staff are dedicated to keeping service users safe and healthy whilst assisting them to develop daily living skills, manage finances and maintain their emotional wellbeing. Again, our aim is for all of our service users to be supported to get the most from life.



We believe that it is essential that we are able to identify the right services to meet the individual needs of all of our service users. We complete a range of assessments that help us to work with families and professionals to identify what support and care is required, so that we can deliver the right support in the right way, at the right time. We understand that to offer the most effective support to our service users we need to promote excellent partnerships with parents, carers and professionals and we welcome the opportunity to work with you to develop the best possible support package for iMap service users.



**iMap is proud of its record of never having served notice on any of its children's or adult placements.**

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## individuals **Making autism positive - The iMap Approach**

iMap's person centred care planning approach takes careful consideration of the requirements of each service user's needs as identified within the social work assessment, and any other relevant assessment that identifies the care, support and therapeutic needs of a service user. This enables iMap to provide enhanced opportunities for children and young people to improve communication and relationships, continually develop independence skills and assist people to lead fulfilling lives and achieve the best possible outcomes.

iMap promotes an Intensive Interactive approach, so that all staff are trained and familiar with different techniques for working successfully with complex learners. We emphasise communication and empathy for service users and by drawing on SCERTS, PECS and Intensive Interactions staff within all of our supported living and residential care environments are able to provide structure, calmness and clarity to each service user to reduce their anxiety and promote their learning and development.

**iMap provides:**

- Intensive Interaction focused support to service users
- A SCERTS® informed approach to assist service users to build competence in Social Communication, Emotional Regulation and Transactional Support
- A total communication approach to speech and language therapy, including use of PECS, Makaton and social stories
- Music therapy
- Art therapy
- Multi-sensory experiences
- Behavioural support programme, informed by PROACT-SCIPr-UK® behavioural support techniques
- In house medical support and health liaison.

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