

Dear Parent or Carer.

The School Health Team would like to inform you of the Healthy Child Programme Universal Core Service we are currently commissioned to offer secondary school aged children.

Year 9 Health & wellbeing Questionnaire

The questionnaire will be for pupils to complete about themselves on a range of health & wellbeing topics.

The questionnaire will be confidential and completed electronically. Pupils can access the questionnaire during a session in school or externally via a personal device if preferred. The questionnaire will be available between set dates for each school and will be accessed via a web link taking them directly to Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust web site, once the questionnaire has been completed it will close and the information will be sent securely to the School Health Team and placed on their record.

If you wish to review the questionnaire, please click on the appropriate school Year link below:

Year 9 <https://www.merseycare.nhs.uk/our-services/liverpool/school-health-service>

The information we gather from the health and wellbeing questionnaire alongside school profiles generated by the Local Authority Public Health Service, and input from school will help formulate a school profile, evidencing themes and topics where pupils may benefit from further information. Please note- individual information will not be shared.

The School Health Team will liaise with school to highlight the themes / topics from the profile and discuss how we can best support school with any health promotion sessions required.

An individual contact by a member of the School Health Team will be offered if a young person indicates on their questionnaire that they would like this.

Should you wish to contact you School Health Team at any time please follow the link above and select 'location of School Health Team' link where all the schools are listed with the current contact number. This will get you to the School Health Teams office.

Our service hours are 08.30 – 17.00

Yours faithfully

School Health Team