

Education, Health & Care plans & statements of special educational needs, what's the difference?

EHC assessments and plans	Statutory assessment and statements of SEN
<p>EHC assessment looks at the child or young person's needs in education and take into account health and care needs in relation to their education.</p>	<p>Statutory assessment only considers the child or young person's educational needs.</p>
<p>Parents/carers have a key worker to help them, if they wish. The key worker will help families to give their views of the child or young person's needs and their hopes for the future.</p>	<p>Parents/carers can give their views in writing.</p>
<p>Parents/carers are involved in writing the EHC plan with the education, health and care staff who have assessed the child or young person.</p>	<p>Parents have the right to object to the statement which is written by a council officer.</p>
<p>EHC plans will be personalised. This means that all the child's or young person's individual needs in education, health and care will be considered and the provision required identified.</p>	<p>The statement considers educational needs and describes the provision required.</p>