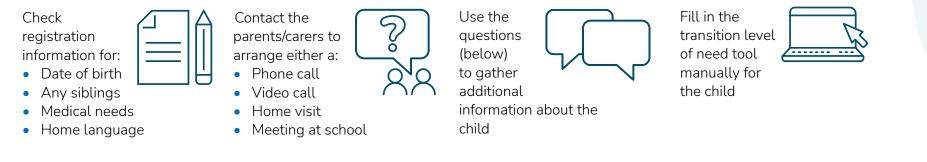
COMPLETING THE TRANSITION LEVEL OF NEED TOOL FOR CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN CARED FOR AT HOME

For those children who have not attended any form of preschool setting (day nursery, childminder, preschool, nursery school) and whom have been cared for at home, the teacher will need to complete the transition level of need tool (TLNT) after discussions with the parent/carer.



	Question to ask the parent		Supplementary questions	Link to the transition level of need criteria	Notes & Actions
1.	Are any professionals working with you to support your child, or to support you as a family? Please provide details	Yes	Check the details of the professionals involved and the level of support provided Is there a written plan in place? Confirm details of the support /activity for the child What is working well? If the parent/carer states no – check details on the registration form	CLA, CiN, CPP, FFA, Health & medical needs – SEND needs SALT support	Gather the contact details of the professionals and make contact to confirm the support for the child as they transition to school Also ask the parent/carer to share your details with the professional involved to help support the child's transition
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2.	Have you any concerns about your child starting school? It this specific to their development (language development, behaviour) Do they have any health needs; how do you manage these?	Yes	Discuss with the parent/carer their concerns What support/advice have they accessed has this helped? What support would they like as a parent/carer? What support does their child require?	Speech and language needs Medical needs Sensory need	Provide signposting to appropriate support/advice Record any requirements to meet medical needs Do staff require any training to administer medication
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3.	Can you please tell me about your family Who lives at home, who does your child see often? Have you had any recent changes to your family life for example new baby or have moved house?	Yes	What types of change (new baby, parents separated, parent terminally ill)? How did this affect the child? What support would they like for the child?	Transient families Home Circumstances Close Bereavement Special Guardianship order Shared parental responsibility	Check custody arrangements for separated parents and parental responsibility Signpost to support for bereavement
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