



Children's Rights At Cerebral Palsy ALLIANCE

Based on the National Principles for Child Safe Organisations

(This document relates to the [Child Safety Policy](#).)



What you need to know

Our aim is that every child or young person who comes in contact with Cerebral Palsy Alliance (CPA) is treated fairly and has a good life.



Rights to keep you safe

1. You have the right to:

- feel SAFE
- be HEARD

2. It is important for you to **know** and **understand** your rights. If you are unsure:

- ask an adult you feel you can trust
- ask them to explain your rights and how to tell someone if you are worried, scared or feel unsafe.





3. You have the right to a **safe environment** where:

- you can tell someone if something is worrying you
- you do not feel scared
- you can trust the people around you
- you are not physically hurt
- you say what you think, and you can trust that we will listen
- you can trust that we will keep your concerns private and only tell people who can help you
- you feel that your concern will be dealt with.



4. You should be treated the same as every other child, no matter:

- who you are
- where you live
- what your parents do
- what language you speak
- what your religion is
- whether you are a boy or girl
- what your culture is
- whether you have a disability
- whether you are rich or poor.

