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parent carers who are registered with LPCF.**
(Mostly Tick boxes with FREE text to add your thoughts)

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Email Address _____ (Required)

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Section 1 – Awareness & Understanding

Awareness

Q01a Rate how aware you have been of the forthcoming SEND reforms and/or the SEND White Paper Proposals 😊

Understanding

Q01b Rate your understanding of them? 😊

Section 2– Inclusion in Mainstream (current situation)

Q02a Rate how well mainstream schools are **currently** set up to meet SEND needs. 😊

Q02b Rate how well trained staff are to meet SEND needs 😊

Q02c Rate the level of access to specialist SEND support 😊

Q02d Rate the adequacy of SEND funding 😊

Q02e Rate how suitable the school environment is for meeting SEND needs. 😊

Q02x Please feel free to explain why *(Open text box limited to 500 chrs)*


Section 3 – Confidence in Proposed Reforms

Q03a Rate how confident you are that the proposed reforms will improve mainstream provision for children and young people with SEND? 😊











Q03x Please feel free to explain why *(Open text box limited to 500 chrs)*

Section 4– SEND Reform Proposals

Q04a What 5 priorities from the proposals do you see as most important?

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(Multiple choice – select up to 5)

- **Inclusion in Mainstream Settings**
- **Layers of support**
- **Individual support plans**
- **Inclusion bases**
- **Specialist provision packages**
- **EHCP reform**
- **Investment in Special settings and alternative provision**
- **Your legal rights**
- **Resolution**
- **Accountability**

Q04x Other – detail (Open text box limited to 500 chrs)

Q04c. What are your 5 key biggest concerns about the SEND reforms?

(Multiple choice – select up to 5)

- Delays during transition to new system
- Health provision
- Inclusion in mainstream
- Individualised support
- Loss of tailored provision
- Qualifying for an EHCP
- Loss of support
- Schools controlling funding
- Standardised “Specialist Provision Packages”
- Unmet needs

Q04y Other – detail (Open text box limited to 500 chrs)

Section 5 – SEND Support Proposals

Q05a Rate your level of confidence that the proposed changes will improve SEND support 

Q05x Please feel free to provide details as to why (Open text box limited to 500 chrs)

Section 6 – EHCP Reform

Q06a Which 5 elements of the **current EHCP process are most important to you?**

(Multiple choice – select up to 5)

- 0–25 entitlement to support
- Accountability for delivery of provision
- Clear and specific provision written into EHCPs
- Delivery of health provision within EHCPs
- Individualised support tailored to need
- Legal enforceability of EHCPs
- Multi-agency involvement (education, health and care)
- Parental choice of school placement
- Parental right to request an EHCP
- Right of appeal to the SEND Tribunal
- Statutory assessment timescales

Q06x Please feel free to provide details as to why (Open text box limited to 500 chrs)

Q06b Which 5 aspects of the **proposed EHCP reforms are of most importance to you?**

(Multiple choice – select up to 5)

- Clarity of guidance for families
- Consistency of support across areas
- How accountability will operate under the new system
- How eligibility criteria may change
- How health provision will be included
- How individual needs will be assessed
- How support may be structured or delivered
- Impact on appeals and dispute resolution
- Impact on parental rights
- The role of schools in decision-making
- Transition arrangements from the current system

Q06y Please feel free to provide details as to why (Open text box limited to 500 chrs)

Section 7 – Early Support

Q07a. Has support been provided early enough for your child?

Yes

No

Q07b Rate how well you think the proposals will improve early support 😊

Q07x Please feel free to provide details as to why *(Open text box limited to 500 chrs)*

Section 8 –Transitions Support

Q08a Rate how confident you are about transitions support **currently**

(pre school /primary/secondary/post-16) 😊

Q08b Rate how well you think the **proposals** will improve transitions support 😊

Q08x Please feel free to provide details as to why *(Open text box limited to 500 chrs)*

Section 9 – Health & Integrated Care

Q09a Rate how well health provision **currently** supports your child's needs? 😊

Q09b Do you think the “experts at hand” ⓘ proposal for health input will make a difference ?

Yes

No

Q09x Please feel free to provide details as to why *(Open text box limited to 500 chrs)*

Section 10 – Your Priorities

Q10a What are your top 5 priorities for SEND reform?

(Multiple choice – select up to 5)

- **Clearer communication**
- **Early intervention**
- **Improved accountability**
- **Improved health input**
- **Improved SEND training**
- **Improved Social Care input**
- **Improved transitions processes**
- **Improving SEND processes**
- **Joined up working**
- **More appropriate funding**
- **Needs led individualised support**
- **Protecting legal safeguards and parents rights**
- **Timely assessments**

Q10x Other Details(*Open text box limited to 500 chrs*)

Section 11 – SEND Decision Making

Q11a Rate your level of confidence that decision making is needs led? (**currently**) 😊

Q11b Rate your level of confidence that the **proposals** will improve needs-led decision making. 😊

Q11x Please feel free to provide details as to why (*Open text box limited to 500 chrs*)

Section 12 – Accountability & Trust

Q12a Rate how accountable the **current** SEND system is when concerns arise. 😊

Q12b What 5 key things would increase your confidence in the system?

(Multiple choice – select up to 5)

- Availability of professionals
- Clear and transparent accountability of SEND funding
- Clear and concise communications with organisations
- Clear and visible co-production with Lincolnshire Parent Carer Forum
- Clear preventative pathways so issues do not escalate
- Clear understanding of who is responsible for what.
- How well individual parent voices are heard and taken in to account
- Independent oversight (e.g., Ofsted, Children’s Commissioner)
- Standard methods of redress
- Timescales being reasonable and being met
- Transparent reporting of SEND performance

Q12x Other Details *(Open text box limited to 500 chrs)*

Section 13 – Overall Confidence

Q13a Rate your level of confidence that the **proposed reforms** will improve support for young people with SEND. 😊

Q13x Please feel free to explain why *(Open text box limited to 1000 chrs)*

Section 14 – Final Voice

Q14x. In one sentence, what matters most to you in the SEND reforms?

(Open text box limited to 500 chrs)

Section 15 – Rate the Survey

Q15a Rate how well you believe your views have been captured. 😊

(Open text box limited to 500 chrs)