

family voice  
norfolk



**Conference 2025**

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2025**



Expression of interest applications are now open for  
**Professionals**

to attend the annual Family Voice Norfolk conference  
on

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2025**

at the

**John Innes Centre, Norwich, NR4 7UH.**

(Scroll down for links to application forms)

**Note: Registration for parents and carers to attend the conference will be available on this page from January 2025.**

**Family Voice Norfolk members will receive an email notification when booking is open. Non-members are also welcome to register and attend. If you would like to become a member, you can join by clicking here:**

**[Join us – Family Voice Norfolk](#)**

The **free** Family Voice Norfolk annual conference is an event for parents and carers of babies, children and young people (BCYP) aged 0-25 with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND). It brings together Norfolk's education, social service and health providers, along with voluntary organisations, all under one roof. Our parents and carers will be seeking specialised information, guidance and advice from professionals to help their children and young people realise their full potential and achieve the best possible outcomes.

If you are new to the event, please do take a look at the 2024 programme (link below) to get an idea of how the day is structured and organised:

### [2024 PROGRAMME](#)

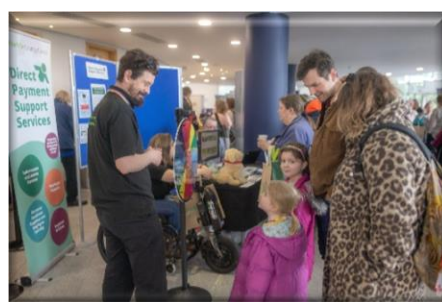
The venue itself offers ample free parking and we will also be providing complimentary drinks and a light buffet lunch to everyone attending.

Professionals interested in participating in the conference are invited to submit an expression of interest to host an **exhibitor stand**, participate in the **speed dating** event and/or to lead a one-hour **workshop**. You are welcome to express interest in just one, two or all three opportunities.

The closing date for all professional applications is:

**Thursday, 31st October 2024.**

**Exhibitor stand** - expression of interest application (for professionals only).



Please click on the link below to register your **expression of interest** to host a **complimentary stand**. Please ensure that only **one form per department or organisation** is submitted and note that each stand can have a maximum of **four people** only in attendance:

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**Speed Dating** – expression of interest application (for professionals only):



The popular ‘Speed Dating’ event in the conference auditorium is a unique opportunity for parent carers to **have a private, 15 minute, one-to-one discussion with professionals**. The appointments are pre-booked with members of the Family Voice Norfolk team at the dedicated Speed Dating desk in the main foyer, once the conference doors have opened. Please note the total time allocated to the Speed Dating is one hour (4 x 15 minute appointments).

You can apply as an individual or as part of a group from across different departments or organisations, but please ensure that only **one form per individual or group wishing to take part** is submitted with a maximum of three people per group. You do not need to be an exhibitor at the conference to participate in this event.

If you would like to offer your time and expertise at this particular event, please register **your expression of interest** by clicking on the link below:

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## Workshop – expression of interest application (for professionals only):



We would like to offer a total of **six**, one-hour workshops across the day. The workshops usually take the form of a **slide presentation**, followed by a **question and answer session** enabling our parents and carers to receive more detailed and specific information in areas they are interested in.

For an idea of the workshops presented at this year's conference (March 2024), please click on the link below and scroll down to '**2024 Workshops**':

### [CONFERENCE 2024 WORKSHOPS](#)

You are welcome to host the presentation with other colleagues or even collaborate with another organisation, **but please ensure that only one form per individual or group** wishing to take part is submitted, with a maximum of three people per group. You do not need to be an exhibitor at the conference to participate in this event.

If you would like to offer your time and expertise for this event, please register your expression of interest, together with a brief outline of your proposed presentation by clicking on the link below:

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