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# **Bereavement Support in Cambridgeshire and Peterborough**

This leaflet lists the main services available across the Cambridgeshire and Peterborough area, and national organisations, that offer support for people who have lost a loved one. If you feel you need support or advice, it may be helpful to first talk to your GP. They may be able to help you see a counsellor if this will be helpful. Faith communities can also be a source of support for many people.



## Hospital bereavement care services

If a person died in hospital, support for the bereaved is offered by the hospital bereavement care services.

### Addenbrooke's Hospital

Chaplaincy Team

- Email: [chaplaincy@addenbrookes.nhs.uk](mailto:chaplaincy@addenbrookes.nhs.uk)
- Tel: **01223 217769**

### Hinchingsbrooke Hospital

Chaplaincy & Bereavement Care Services Team

- Email: [nwangliaft.HinchChaplaincy@nhs.net](mailto:nwangliaft.HinchChaplaincy@nhs.net)
- Tel: **01480 847474**

### Peterborough City Hospital

Chaplaincy Team

- Email: [nwangliaft.chaplaincy@nhs.net](mailto:nwangliaft.chaplaincy@nhs.net)
- Tel: **01733 673115**

### Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Kings Lynn

Chaplaincy Team

- Email: [chaplains@qehkl.nhs.uk](mailto:chaplains@qehkl.nhs.uk)
- Tel: **01553 613441**



## Hospice bereavement support services

### Alan Hudson Day Treatment centre

(part of Arthur Rank Hospice Services) Wisbech

Offers bereavement support to the families of patients who have received care from the service.

- Email: [nee.alanhudson@nhs.net](mailto:nee.alanhudson@nhs.net)
- Tel: **01945 669620**

### Arthur Rank House Hospice, Cambridge

Offers bereavement support to the families of patients who have received care from Arthur Rank House Hospice services.

- Tel: **01223 675770** or **01223 675777**

### St John's Hospice

Moggerhanger (near Bedford).

Offers bereavement support to families and friends of those patients for whom this Hospice service has cared.

- Email: [jane.maxfield@sueryder.org](mailto:jane.maxfield@sueryder.org)
- Tel: **01767 642429** or **01767 642410**

### Sue Ryder Thorpe Hall Hospice, Peterborough

Family support team

Specially trained staff and volunteers offer family support to patients, and pre- and post-bereavement support to their loved ones on a one-to-one and group basis, including Wayfinders, a bereavement support walking group. Specialist support is also available for children and young people.

- Email: [thorpehall@sueryder.org](mailto:thorpehall@sueryder.org)
- Tel: **01733 225900**
- Ask for family support



## Hospice bereavement support services

### The Norfolk Hospice

Tapping House

Offers support in bereavement to family members of patients who have received care from the service. This includes counselling, individual support and bereavement support groups.

- Tel: **01485 601700**
- Website: [www.norfolkhospice.org.uk](http://www.norfolkhospice.org.uk)



## Support after the loss of a child, including during pregnancy and birth

### **PETALS**

Provides specialised counselling for parents suffering trauma or loss during pregnancy or birth

- Email: [counselling@petalscharity.org](mailto:counselling@petalscharity.org)
- Tel: **0300 688 0068**
- Website: <http://petalscharity.org/>

### **SANDS: Stillbirth and Neonatal Deaths Charity**

Support for anyone affected by the death of a baby before, during or shortly after birth.

- Email: [helpline@sands.org.uk](mailto:helpline@sands.org.uk)
- Tel: **0808 1643332** freephone
- Website: [www.sands.org.uk](http://www.sands.org.uk)

### **Saying Goodbye**

Provides comprehensive information, advice, support and much more to anyone who has suffered the loss of a baby, at any stage of pregnancy, at birth or infancy.

- Email: [support@sayinggoodbye.org](mailto:support@sayinggoodbye.org)
- Tel: **0845 293 8027**
- Website: [www.sayinggoodbye.org/](http://www.sayinggoodbye.org/)

### **The Compassionate Friends**

A charitable organisation of bereaved parents, siblings and grandparents who support other bereaved parents, siblings, and grandparents who have suffered the death of a child.

- Email: [helpline@tcf.org.uk](mailto:helpline@tcf.org.uk)
- Tel: **0345 1232304**
- Open every day 10.00-16.00 and 19.00-22.00
- Website: [www.tcf.org.uk](http://www.tcf.org.uk)



## Bereavement support for children

### Centre 33

Provides free counselling to young people aged 13 to 26 years in Cambridgeshire and Peterborough

- Email: [help@centre33.org.uk](mailto:help@centre33.org.uk)
- Tel: **0333 4141809**
- Website: [www.centre33.org.uk](http://www.centre33.org.uk)

### CHUMS

CHUMS Mental Health & Emotional Wellbeing Service for Children and Young People.

- Telephone: **01525 863924**
- Website: <http://chums.uk.com/>

### Child Bereavement UK

Supports families and educates professionals when a baby or child of any age dies or is dying, or when a child is facing bereavement.

- Email: [support@childbereavementuk.org](mailto:support@childbereavementuk.org)
- Tel: **01494 568900**
- Website: [www.childbereavementuk.org](http://www.childbereavementuk.org)
- National support line: **0800 02 888 40**

### Cogwheel Trust for Children

Provides low cost counselling in Cambridgeshire, for children and young people.

- Email: [admin@cogwheel.org.uk](mailto:admin@cogwheel.org.uk)
- Tel: **01223 464385**
- Website: [www.cogwheel.org.uk](http://www.cogwheel.org.uk)



## Bereavement support for children

### CRUSE Bereavement Care

This voluntary organisation has a specialist team providing support to children and young people

- CRUSE National helpline: **0808 808 1677**
- (Mon to Fri 09.30 to 17.00)
- CRUSE National website: [www.cruse.org.uk](http://www.cruse.org.uk)

### Scotty's Little Soldiers

To provide relief from the effects of bereavement to young people up to and including the age of 18 years who have suffered the loss of a parent serving with the British Armed Forces.

- Email: [hello@scottyslittlesoldiers.co.uk](mailto:hello@scottyslittlesoldiers.co.uk)
- Tel: **08000 928 571**
- Website: [scottyslittlesoldiers.co.uk/](http://scottyslittlesoldiers.co.uk/)

### Stars Children's Bereavement Support Service

For children and young people up to age 18.

- Email: [info@talktostars.org.uk](mailto:info@talktostars.org.uk)
- Tel: **01223 863511**

### Winston's Wish

Supporting bereaved children, their families, and the professionals who support them.

- Email: [info@winstonswish.org](mailto:info@winstonswish.org)
- Tel: **01242 515157**
- Website: [www.winstonswish.org/](http://www.winstonswish.org/)



## Other bereavement support and counselling services

### Bereavement UK

Provides bereavement support and information

- Website: <http://www.bereavement.co.uk/>

### BIGC in Kings Lynn

Offers support for people affected by cancer including bereavement

- Email: [kingslynncentre@big-c.co.uk](mailto:kingslynncentre@big-c.co.uk)
- Tel: **01553 818737**

### CRUSE Bereavement Care

CRUSE bereavement care promote the wellbeing of anyone bereaved by death to enable people to understand their grief and cope with their loss.

- CRUSE National helpline: **0808 808 1677**
- Mon to Fri 09.30 to 17.00
- CRUSE National website: [www.cruse.org.uk](http://www.cruse.org.uk)

### CRUSE Cambridge branch

(Cambridge, East Cambs, Fenland)

- Email: [cambridge@cruse.org.uk](mailto:cambridge@cruse.org.uk)
- Tel: **01223 633536**
- Website: [www.cruse.org.uk/Cambridge](http://www.cruse.org.uk/Cambridge)

### CRUSE Huntingdon branch

- Email: [huntingdon@cruse.org.uk](mailto:huntingdon@cruse.org.uk)
- Tel: **01480 414511**
- Website: [www.crusehuntingdon.org.uk](http://www.crusehuntingdon.org.uk)





## Other bereavement support and counselling services

### CRUSE Peterborough branch

- Email: [peterborough@cruse.org.uk](mailto:peterborough@cruse.org.uk)
- Tel: 01733 348 439

### WAY Widowed and Young

Provides a social and support network for widows and widowers up to age of 50. Members can meet and chat online through a secure website.

- Website: [www.widowedandyoung.org.uk](http://www.widowedandyoung.org.uk)



## Other information and advice

### Age UK

Provides advice and information for older people through an advice line, publications and website.

- Tel: **0800 055 6112**
- Website: [www.ageuk.org.uk](http://www.ageuk.org.uk)

### Cambridgeshire Consultancy in Counselling

Provides an individual counselling service with a range of fees according to ability to pay.

- Tel: **01223 233047** (Cambridge)
- Tel: **01733 553166** (Peterborough)
- Website: [www.cambridgeshirecounselling.org.uk](http://www.cambridgeshirecounselling.org.uk)

### Cambridge University Counselling Service

This free service is for enrolled students and staff of the University of Cambridge.

- Email: [reception@counselling.cam.ac.uk](mailto:reception@counselling.cam.ac.uk)
- Website: [www.counselling.cam.ac.uk](http://www.counselling.cam.ac.uk)

### Cogwheel Trust for Counselling

Provides low cost counselling in Cambridgeshire.

- Email: [admin@cogwheel.org.uk](mailto:admin@cogwheel.org.uk)
- Tel: **01223 464385**
- Website: [www.cogwheel.org.uk](http://www.cogwheel.org.uk)



## Other information and advice

### Healthwatch

Healthwatch offer a signposting service for health and social care services across the area. If you are unsure who to speak to you can contact them for advice.

- Email: [enquiries@healthwatchcambspboro.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@healthwatchcambspboro.co.uk)
- Tel: **0330 355 1285**


### The Samaritans

Provide confidential emotional support at all times of day and night.

- Email: [jo@samaritans.org.uk](mailto:jo@samaritans.org.uk)
- Tel: **01733 312727** (Peterborough)
- Tel: **01223 364455** (Cambridge)
- Tel: **116 123** (National)



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