

It's your  
social worker's  
job to:

- Help support you and your family to keep you safe
- Listen and talk to you; talk to you in private and somewhere you feel safe and comfortable
- Help you to think about the good things and things that are worrying you
- Help you understand what is happening
- Only share information with others when they have to
- Treat you and your family with respect



If you are not happy  
with or have a worry about  
your social worker, you can  
talk to them or to their  
team leader.

Social Worker's Name:

Tel No:

Team Leader's Name:

Tel No:



## Children's Leaflet

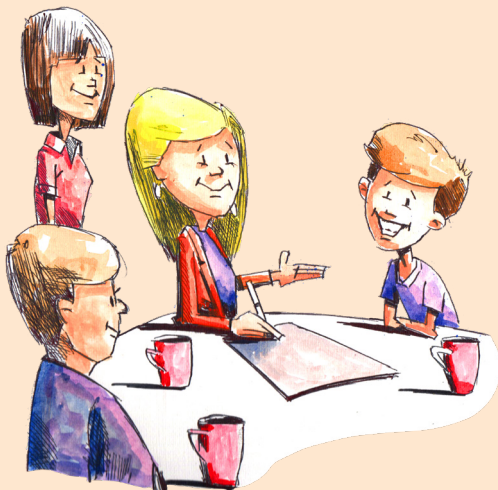


## What do social workers do?

Social workers work with children and their families when there is a worry that a child has been hurt, is scared, is not being looked after or does not feel safe.

Your social worker wants to support your family to make things better at home. You can help them figure out who are the people that they need to talk to and who will help you feel safe.

The social worker's job is to talk to you and the people that know and love you, so that they can find out what has happened and help to change things so it doesn't happen again.



## What will happen?

Your social worker wants to meet with you so that they can listen to and talk with you about all the good things and worrying things in your life.

They will use The Three Houses to help figure out what needs to happen to keep you safe.



House of Worries

House of Good Things

House of Dreams

Or they could talk to you about fairies and wizards to help you explain how you feel and what you would like to change or stop.

After this, everyone will come up with a plan that will show you, and everyone else, how the people who love you can keep you safe.

Your social worker will also help you know what to do if you ever get worried again. You will know all about this plan, and you will always be included in discussions, as you are the most important person.

