

## **Bereavement Support Organisation's**

### **Winston's Wish**

Winston's wish provide specialist bereavement information and resources including following a bereavement by accident, or illness, suicide, murder or manslaughter and deaths in the military.

For information and resources please click the link below:

<https://www.winstonswish.org>

### **Daisy Dream**

Established in 1996, Daisy's Dream is a professional support service which responds to the needs of children and families affected by life threatening illness or bereavement.

Originally set up to meet the needs of children who had been bereaved, over recent years we have expanded our service to encompass families where there has been a serious illness diagnosis.

For information and resources please click the link below:

<https://www.daisysdream.org.uk/Pages/Category/how-to-talk-about-bereavement>

### **Cruse Bereavement Care- Northern Ireland**

The death of someone we love is likely to be one of the most distressing experiences we will ever face. Our mission is to offer support, advice and information to children, young people and adults when someone dies and to enhance societies care of bereaved people. Cruse also provide an extensive training programme for volunteers, professionals and community groups.

For information and resources please click on the link below:

<http://cruse.org.uk>

### **Child Bereavement UK**

Child Bereavement UK is a registered charity that supports families and educates professionals when a baby or child of any age dies or is dying, or when a child is facing bereavement.

For information and resources please click the link below:

<http://www.childbereavementuk.org>

### **Barnardo's Child Bereavement Service**

Barnardo's Child Bereavement Service provides individual and group support to children and young people up to 18 years old who have been bereaved. Their group sessions for bereaved children and young people give the opportunity to meet with other people their age who have been bereaved.

Referrals for individual support can be made by telephone, email, or in writing. They also offer an advice line for adults concerned about a bereaved child, and offer Training and Information nights for parents and professionals to assist in developing ways of helping bereaved children.

For information and resources please click on the link below:

<http://www.barnardos.org.uk>

### **CLIC Sargent Cancer Care**

CLIC Sargent cancer care for children is a registered charity in Northern Ireland, England, Wales and Scotland. CLIC Sargent fights tirelessly to stop cancer destroying young lives. The charity offers support in the following areas:

Financial, Day to day, a free place to stay, For teens and young people, When a child dies and Participation at CLIC Sargent.

For information and resources please click the link below:

[www.charitychoice.co.uk>clic.sargent-northern-ireland](http://www.charitychoice.co.uk>clic.sargent-northern-ireland)

### **Cancer Fund for Children (Daisy Lodge)**

We're here for children and young people diagnosed with cancer, or living with a parent diagnosed with cancer. We offer support in their home, community, on the hospital ward and at our residential centre, so that no family has to face cancer alone. Daisy Lodge is a purpose-built therapeutic centre located in Newcastle, Co Down, for families affected by cancer. Designed with your comfort in mind, during your stay you will be able to spend quality time together in a safe and supportive environment.

For information and resources please click on the link below:

<http://cancerfundforchildren.com>

### **Sudden**

Sudden is a charitable initiative for suddenly bereaved people and the people caring for them. Our mission is to ease the suffering of people bereaved by sudden death.

For information and resources please click on the link below:

<https://www.suddendeath.org>

### **Brake**

Brake is a road safety charity working with communities and organisations across the UK to stop the tragedy of road deaths and injuries, make streets and communities safer for everyone and support people bereaved and seriously injured on roads. The **Amy and Tom** project is run by Brake and have produced a book, 'Someone has died suddenly' for adults caring for children who have been suddenly bereaved. The book has been developed in consultation with experts in sudden child bereavement and bereaved parents and children, and piloted with bereaved families to ensure they offer the best possible support.

For information and resources please click on the link below:

<http://www.brake.org.uk>