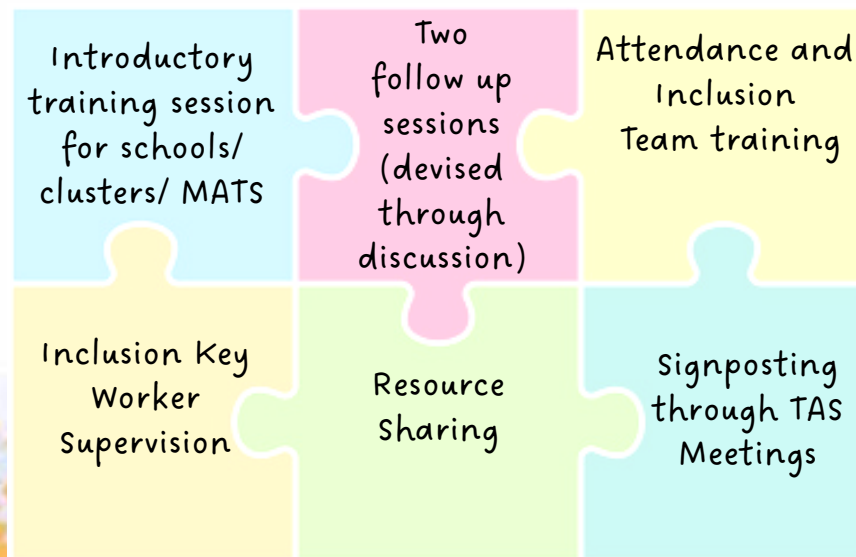


EBSNA Offer for Schools

Background to the EBSNA Core Offer

- In Newcastle in 2021:
 - Primary Persistent Absence was 122 out of 153 LAs and Secondary was 143 out of 153 LAs
 - Trend for both was rising faster than other comparators
- Pupils with poor attendance in primary rarely improve in secondary
- There is a strong link between Persistent Absence, disadvantage and SEND (particularly SEND support)
- Sharp increase in numbers of pupils missing a very significant amount of school

The Newcastle EPS Offer for 2022/23



The Newcastle EPS EBSNA offer aims to promote...

Wellbeing and resilience at a whole school level	Settings are supported to use whole school approaches which aim to increase protective/resilience factors and reduce predisposing/risk factors to EBSNA.
Targeted early intervention	Schools and professionals are familiar with the early signs of EBSNA and know how to intervene to prevent escalation. We work together to develop a shared understanding of EBSNA which is used to inform intervention planning.
A shared language	Schools and relevant professionals use a shared language when talking about EBSNA and its contributing factors.
Person-centred approaches	The views and experiences of children, young people and their families are at the centre of EBSNA support and intervention planning.
A needs-led response	Data is used to create a clearer picture around factors which correlate with non-attendance in Newcastle so that the EBSNA offer can be targeted accordingly over time.
Psychologically and evidence informed practice	EPs feel confident to apply and share psychological frameworks relevant to EBSNA to influence change across different contexts and systems (including within decision making panels).
Collaborative working	Schools and services across the city work together to provide complementary support and intervention for EBSNA.

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The Newcastle EPS EBSNA Padlet contains information for schools, young people and parents as well as tools and activities to try,



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