

# Children's rheumatology parents' forum

Patient information factsheet

The children's rheumatology parents' forum is a place for family members to talk together and help support each other through their child's illness.

On the forum you can share your top tips, experiences and problems with other parents.

You will need a Facebook account to join the forum. If you don't have an account you can sign up easily online.

The forum is a closed group so you will need to select the 'ask to join' option on the group page. Once your request to join has been accepted you will be able to post updates, chat with other members and share information.

The group can be seen on Facebook; however, information exchanged within the group will only be seen by members.

If you have any questions please contact the paediatric rheumatology specialist nurse on **07760 158 924** or **s.hartfree@nhs.net**

To join the forum go to **[www.uhs.nhs.uk/childrensrheumatology](http://www.uhs.nhs.uk/childrensrheumatology)** and follow the link for the parents' forum.

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