

About Claire Crossley



Personal Background

Parent carer with lived experience and a graduate of Partners in Policymaking. Combines professional knowledge with everyday parent insight.

Charity & Leadership Roles

Served on local and national charity boards, shaping policy and strategy with a strong family voice.

Policy & Government Work

Worked with UK government ministers on sleep provision, care rates, and services for children with complex needs.

Expertise in Law & Care

Special educational needs law, disability rights, social care needs assessments, cross-system navigation across education, health, and care, and forensic audits for the national regulator.

Speaking & Training

Recognised national speaker and trainer; delivers sessions for families, schools, professionals, and regulators. Learning Disability England – One Page Profile: <https://www.learningdisabilityengland.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/06/Claire-Crossley.pdf> · In Control – Recommended Trainer: <https://in-control.org.uk/claire-crossley/>

Approach

Built on decades of hands■on advocacy and training. Focused on clarity, courage, and consistency — practical and human.