



'On a voyage of discovery; flourishing together in God's love.'

Below is an outline of the care plan for the medical support of one of our children. This support is a part of the Medical Teaching Assistant role at our school. For further details please contact us directly or arrange a visit; we would be happy to provide more information to any potential applicants.

Care Plan Outline:

In October 2021 Childs MRI showed that her spinal cord had become tethered and therefore in November 2021 Child underwent surgery to untether her spinal cord. Without this operation, it would have caused mobility issues and Child would likely have been in significant pain. This operation was successful however there was only a 30% chance that this operation would improve the bladder and bowel symptoms and as yet there is no evidence to suggest that this operation has been helpful in that respect.

Child is catheterized at 3 hourly intervals. Once this is fully established, Child will be able to start new medication (Anticholinergic) with the aim of using these combined to allow Child to come out of nappies and be more independent with her treatment.

Daily care requirements:

- 2-3 hourly catheter. Check pull ups. (2-3 times within the school day)
- Help to clean herself/liaise with parents if a bowel accident occurs.
- Designated private space for personal care to clean when needed.
- Spare clothes and personal cleaning kit supplied by mum on regular basis to school