



Karl, aged 8

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Karl is a cheerful, energetic and friendly boy with Down's syndrome. He lives happily within his own large Asian family with love and support from his parents and four siblings. He is currently in a mainstream school where he has settled in well.

Background Factors -

Like many young people with his condition, Karl has a short attention span and needs a lot of attention and patience to help him stick to one activity, even those he likes, such as table football, board games and watching sport on TV. Although he is a much-loved member of his family, he can be exhausting and monopolise the attention of his parents to an extent that they feel they can't give enough time and attention to his brothers and sisters.

Family required -

Karl's parents need short term relief care from a family who would be able to commit themselves to perhaps a weekend every month so that they can spend some time with their other child.

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