

FAMILY LIAISON COORDINATOR

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WHAT IS A FAMILY LIAISON COORDINATOR?

As a Family Liaison Coordinator, I provide compassionate support to families experiencing the loss of a baby. I can help families access services, information, support networks and ongoing care at an extremely difficult time. No matter what's needed; a listening ear, guidance towards appropriate resources or practical assistance, my role is to offer understanding, reassurance and a helping hand wherever it is needed. My aim is to ensure no family feels alone as they navigate their bereavement journey.



PRACTICAL ADVICE

We are so sorry that you, or someone you know, is going through this. Losing a baby is an unimaginable loss, and during such a difficult time it is important to have clear, compassionate guidance, compassionate advice, and access to the right support.

No one truly knows what to expect when faced with such a loss. My hope is to walk alongside you through the processes ahead, helping you understand your options, answering questions you may have, and advocating for you every step of the way.

PEER TO PEER SUPPORT

No one quite understands the impact of losing a baby like someone who has experienced it themselves. I hope to create opportunities for peer to peer support, bringing together those affected by baby loss in a safe and compassionate environment.

Support should be available to not only mothers and fathers, but also grandparents and siblings, whose grief is often overlooked. Connecting with others who share similar experiences can provide comfort, understanding and reassurance that no one has to face their loss alone.



SIBLING SUPPORT

Siblings grieve too. I aim to provide support and guidance for families on breaking bad news, explaining death and loss in an age appropriate way, and helping children understand and express their feelings.

Where possible, I hope to create opportunities for peer support, allowing bereaved siblings to connect with others who have experienced a similar loss. Supporting siblings early can help them feel included, understood, and less alone.



CONTINUING SUPPORT

Grief does not have a timeline. While support is often available in the immediate days and weeks following loss, many families find that their need for support continues long afterwards. I aim to help families access ongoing bereavement support, community connections, remembrance opportunities and resources that recognise grief as the life long journey that it is.

HOW TO MAKE CONTACT

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