



Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Act 2014

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PART 4

MEETING NEEDS

Meeting care and support needs of children

39 Duty to maintain family contact

- (1) This section applies to a child—
 - (a) who is within the area of a local authority,
 - (b) whom the local authority considers has needs for care and support in addition to the care and support provided by the child's family,
 - (c) who is living apart from the child's family, and
 - (d) who is not looked after by the local authority.
- (2) If the local authority considers it necessary in order to promote the well-being of the child, it must take such steps as are reasonably practicable to—
 - (a) enable the child to live with the child's family, or
 - (b) promote contact between the child and the child's family.