Supporting well-being for children in care

What is the project about?

You are already part of the STrAWB study – thank you for taking part! You really helped us out by filling in the surveys. We would really like to find out what it was like being part of the study, so we can decide whether it is working well enough for us to run it with a larger group of children.

Why me? What will I need to do?

We have asked you to help us because you are already taking part in our project. You are the experts! We hope that we can talk to you and ask you some questions about what it has been like taking part in the study. This would include questions about the information you received on the study, how you decided to take part, and how easy or hard the surveys were to answer. We would like to record the conversation (sound only), if that's okay with you. We might include some of the things you say in our project report, but we would never use your name or any other details that identify you.

Will joining in help me?

By joining in this part of the project you will be helping us to support other children in care in future. We have an extra-special researcher working with us on the study, who has spent some time living in care. They would be the person talking to you, if you decide to take part. With our answers and their experience, we feel like we can make the best decision about whether STrAWB is a good thing or not.

Do I have to help?

No. The adults who are looking after you have our phone numbers, so if you want to ask questions before choosing whether you want to join in, they can contact us. If you do decide to take part, you can change your mind or stop at any time, and that's fine.