

Carmona Children's Respite Service is flexible and responsive to the needs of children and their families.

The Children's Respite Service strives to address the holistic needs of the child in the context of their family.



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All enquiries and requests will be considered by the Respite Referral Committee.

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**St. John of God
Hospital Services**

Angels Quest is a 10 bedded child focused facility which provides for a range of supports;

- ♦ Extended day, for children from Kildarton & the Special National School
- ♦ Specific hours to facilitate skills teaching
- ♦ After school provision for children in mainstream school.
- ♦ Overnight
- ♦ Temporary breaks
- ♦ & Crisis care.

CARMONA CHILDREN'S RESPITE SERVICES

Respite for children attending Carmona Services is provided in many ways in:

- ♦ Angels Quest
- ♦ Break Away
- ♦ In home Support



Break Away is a family based respite scheme, whereby children are placed with host carers in the community.

In-Home Support is a new initiative whereby some children, who for one reason or another, may not be able to attend Angels Quest to avail of Respite, but may do so in their own home, with the support of our In-Home Support Worker.*

This staff member is also involved in providing a time limited service, offered in specific blocks, to

- ♦ individual children in order to facilitate specific skills teaching.
- ♦ offer support at times of family crisis or illness.
- ♦ respond at times of change, e.g. a new baby.