| ***Service***  | ***Who is this service for?*** | ***Expertise***  | ***Support includes*** | ***Support does not include*** | ***How do I obtain this support?*** |
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| **cohealth****(School Readiness Funding SRF Allied Health)**  | **For Educators****For Families**  | * Inclusion of all children to funded Kindergarten programs in relation to the three SRF priority areas
* Knowledge about typical child development / red flags
* Trauma Informed
* Partnerships with families
 | **Capacity building of Educators in funded Kindergarten to support children's development within the SRF priority areas of *Communication, Wellbeing and Access and Inclusion**** Coaching, mentoring and training opportunities for educators and parents
* Reflective conversation regarding practice and challenges such as raising developmental concerns with families.
* Can facilitate professional learning sessions for Educators and/or families

SRF: [MORE INFO HERE ON THE SRF ALLIED HEALTH PROGRAM](https://www.vic.gov.au/school-readiness-funding)  | Individual child Observations, assessments and support are **NOT** part of this service | cohealth is the SRF Allied Health provider for eligible Wyndham services. All services will receive different levels of funding for cohealthContact Dept Ed to find out what your service is entitled to receive from cohealth  |
| **PSFO (Preschool Field Officer)**  | **For Educators** | * Inclusion and participation for children with learning and developmental needs in funded kindergarten programs
* Knowledge about typical child development / red flags
* Trauma Informed
* Referral pathways eg: paediatricians, speech therapy, Psychology, NDIS
* Partnerships with families
 | **Capacity building for Educators to provide for the inclusion and participation for children with learning and developmental needs in funded Kindergarten (3yo & 4yo kinder)****General Support*** Provide general support, via phone or email at any time, with or without a referred child (general support = up to 2 hours per enquiry)

**Support for Individual Children (parent consent required)** * Provide a tailored action plan based on Educator needs and requests
* PSFO can complete individual child observations - summaries can be provided for Paediatrician or other specialists, combined with Educator's observations
* Provide strategies for individual children to use at Kinder/home
* Professional conversations with Educators about individual children
* Supports Educators to build the capacity of the family
* Support Educators in parent meetings: discussing the child's strengths, needs and supports
* Assist Educator/family in referring children to other supports e.g. NDIS (Brotherhood of St Laurence), IPC Health, Paediatricians, therapists etc
* Provide support for current NDIS participants
* Provide transition to school support for individual children

PSFO Service: [MORE INFO HERE ON PSFO](https://www.wyndham.vic.gov.au/services/childrens-services/other-childrens-services/preschool-field-officer-psfo-service) | Group observations and support are **NOT** part of this serviceAssessments of individual children are not part of this service, however PSFO’s can help you refer to other professionals for assessments | All 3 & 4 Year old funded Kindergarten programs have access to this free service at any time of the yearRequest for Support form available on Wyndham City Council website (parent consent required) **OR**Call the service for general support ***9742 8199*** |