



# Children and Families Act 2014

## 2014 CHAPTER 6

### PART 3

#### CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE IN ENGLAND WITH SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS OR DISABILITIES

*Children and young people for whom a local authority is responsible*

#### **24 When a local authority is responsible for a child or young person**

- (1) A local authority in England is responsible for a child or young person if he or she is in the authority's area and has been—
  - (a) identified by the authority as someone who has or may have special educational needs, or
  - (b) brought to the authority's attention by any person as someone who has or may have special educational needs.
- (2) This section applies for the purposes of this Part.