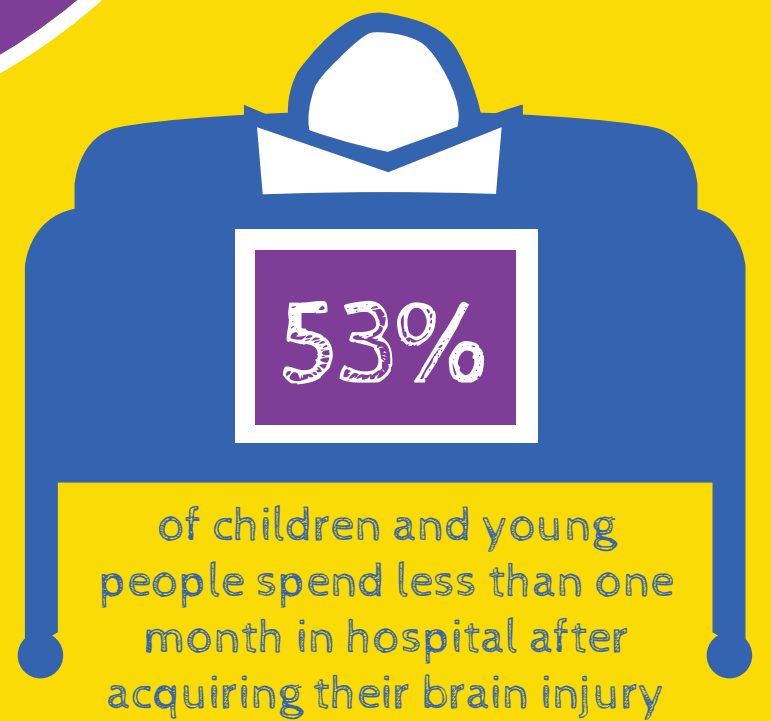


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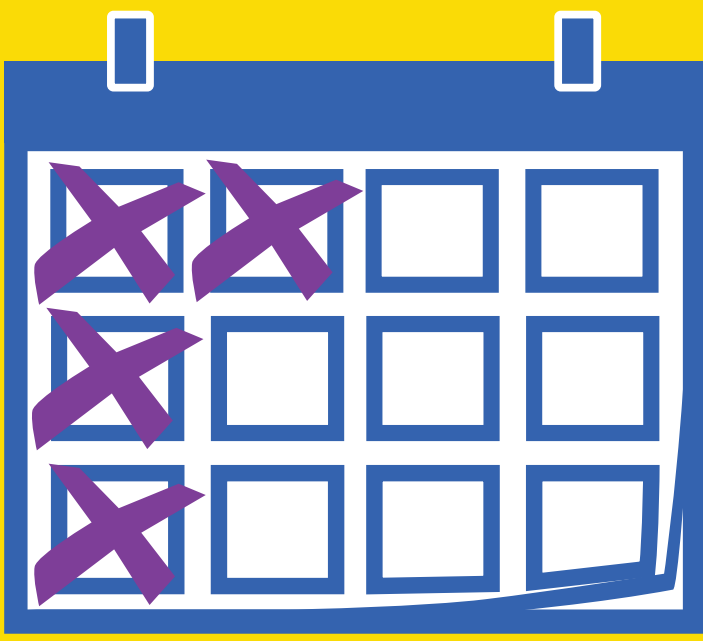
Plotting the journey back to school and the impact on socialising



Time in hospital

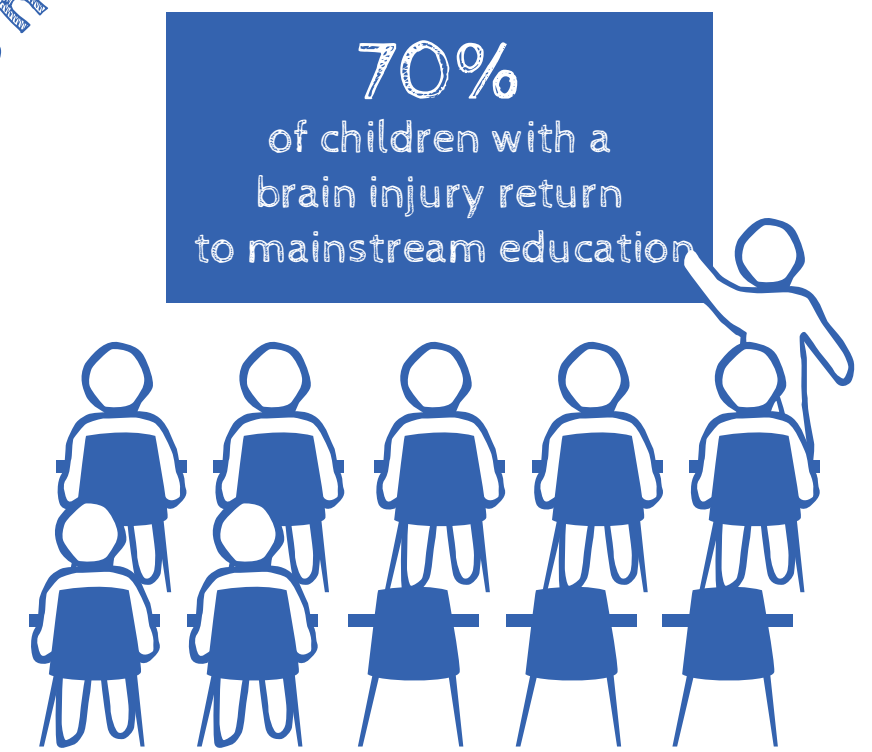


Time off school



Over 50% of children and young people were off school for four months to one year following a brain injury.

Returning to mainstream education



58%
feel acquired brain injury has negatively affected existing friendships

Friendships

Socialising

90%
feel socialising becomes more difficult after an ABI

Lost friends

67%
feel they have lost friends following an acquired brain injury.

Exclusion

79%
feel excluded because of their brain injury.

Making new friends

63%
feel acquired brain injury affects the ability to make new friendships.

89%
agree socialising would be easier if more people understood acquired brain injury

How we can help

In 2015:

- Our Family Support Team delivered awareness sessions to **53** schools and **230** visits to families in their home.
- Our webinars were listened to **688** times and **24,989** people visited our website.
- Our Helpline received **316** calls for advice and information.

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