

EXPERT TEAM

Frühchen & Neokinder Schweiz is supported by a team of experts.

The cooperation aims to represent the interests of all affected parties, both in the medical and in the scientific environment. The experience gained will help specialists to continuously improve the current state of knowledge in parental work. In addition, the team is involved in ongoing projects where their perspective is included.

The following figure shows which 11 disciplines are represented in the expert team:



EXCHANGE GROUPS PARENTS SUPPORTING PARENTS

Frühchen & Neokinder Schweiz is committed to establishing parent support groups in various regions of Switzerland. Parents with older children can use their experiences to support families currently in the neonatal unit with their newborns.

Peer parents trained by *Frühchen & Neokinder Schweiz* visit affected families in the hospital or exchange ideas with them online.

For Frühchen & Neokinder Schweiz, it is a heartfelt priority to ensure that affected families do not feel alone.

On an online platform, both peer parents and affected families can register and are connected through shared information. This allows *Frühchen & Neokinder Schweiz* to ensure that every request for an exchange is appropriately matched.

To make this service possible, *Frühchen & Neokinder Schweiz* is supported by a large number of volunteer peer parents.

Access to the online peer tool:



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CREATING ADDED VALUE

Frühchen & Neokinder Schweiz actively advocates for the needs of prematurely and critically ill newborns, their parents, relatives, as well as medical and social professionals in the neonatal environment.

At both local and national levels, *Frühchen & Neokinder Schweiz* provides support through reliable information, awareness-raising, and various aid and support projects.

Additionally, it promotes networking and exchange between those affected. Public awareness and prevention work related to pregnancy are also key focus areas.

WHAT FRÜHCHEN & NEOKINDER SCHWEIZ OFFERS

- Networking and exchange among affected people (peer-pool)
- Understanding and solidarity
- Reliable information for parents and professionals (education, advice, guidance)
- Targeted regional support (List of specialized professionals)
- National and international partnerships
- Raising public awareness (advertising, public relations, campaigns)
- Participation in research work
- Education and collaboration with specialized personnel

PREMATURITY

If a baby is born before the 37th week of pregnancy (WOP) is completed, it is called a premature birth. The earlier a child is born, the less developed and more fragile their organs and bodily functions will be.

Depending on the time of delivery, a distinction is made between an extremely early premature birth (before 28 WOP), an early premature birth (28 to 32 WOP) and a late premature birth (from 32 to 37 WOP).



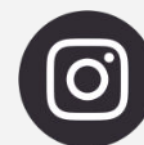
NATIONAL PARENT GROUP

The national parent group includes parents of prematurely born children from different regions across Switzerland. Regular meetings are intended to encourage networking and also lead to further improvements for parents, premature babies and specialists in the future.

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