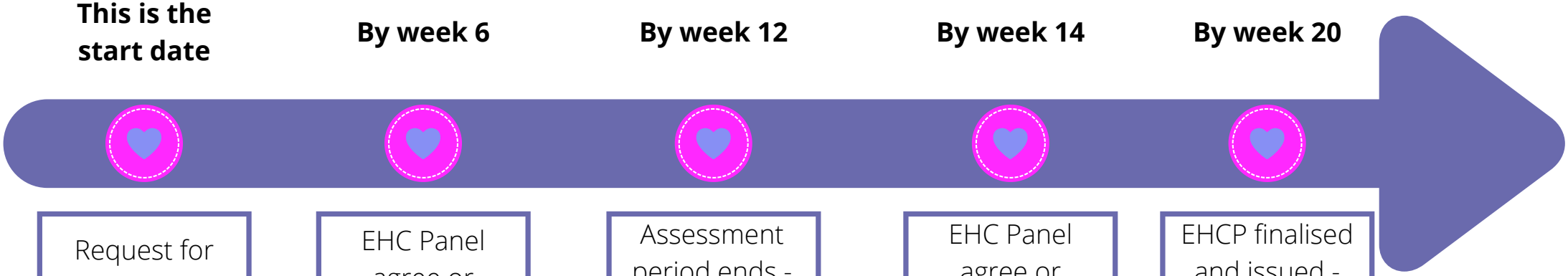
Stages of the EHCP process

Timeline: 0 to 20 weeks

Wakefield
Parent Carer Forum



This is the start date

Request for Assessment sent to Local Authority by school or parent

By week 6

EHC Panel agree or refuse assessment. If refused appeal can be made. If agreed move to next step.

By week 12

Assessment period ends - information gathered from appropriate agencies & parents.

Statutory Assessment Meeting (SAM) to agree possible content of EHCP

By week 14

EHC Panel agree or refuse to issue EHCP. If refused appeal can be made. If agreed move to next step.

By week 20

EHCP finalised and issued - reviewed annually