

Abuse/Exploitation:

- [Child exploitation disruption toolkit](#) Home Office
- [Child sexual exploitation: definition and guide for practitioners](#)
- [Commissioning framework for child sexual abuse support](#) Home Office
- [Communicating with children: a guide for those working with children who have or may have been sexually abused](#) Centre of Expertise on Child Sexual Abuse
- [Controlling or coercive behaviour: statutory guidance framework](#) Home Office
- [Criminal exploitation of children and vulnerable adults: county lines](#) Home Office
- [Domestic Abuse Act 2021: statutory guidance](#) Home Office
- [Helping education settings identify and respond to concerns](#) Centre of Expertise on Child Sexual Abuse
- [Multi-agency practice principles for responding to child exploitation and extra-familial harm](#) Non-statutory guidance for local areas, developed by the Tackling Child Exploitation (TCE) Support Programme, funded by the Department for Education and supported by the Home Office, the Department for Health and Social Care and the Ministry of Justice
- [National action plan to tackle child abuse linked to faith or belief](#)
- [NICE guideline on child abuse and neglect](#) NICE
- [Signs and Indicators: a template for identifying and recording signs of child sexual abuse](#) Centre of Expertise on Child Sexual Abuse
- [Supporting parents and carers: a guide for those working with families affected by child sexual abuse](#) Centre of Expertise on Child Sexual Abuse
- [What to do if you're worried a child is being abused: advice for practitioners](#)

Crime/Court:

- [Achieving best evidence in criminal proceedings: guidance on interviewing victims and witnesses, and guidance on using special measures](#) Ministry of Justice
- [Asset plus: assessment and planning in the youth justice system](#) Youth Justice Board
- [Children Act 1989: court orders and pre-proceedings](#)
- [County lines offending: the Crown Prosecution Service legal guidance](#) Crown Prosecution Service
- [DBS barring referral guidance](#) Disclosure and Barring Service
- [Disclosure and Barring Service](#)
- [Police response to concern for a child](#) College of Policing
- [Prison and Probation Ombudsman's fatal incidents reports](#)
- [Prison, probation, and rehabilitation: public protection manual](#) HM Prison and Probation Service
- [Probation Service Serious further offence procedures policy framework](#) Ministry of Justice
- [Protocol for liaison and information exchange when criminal proceedings coincide with child safeguarding practice reviews in England](#) Crown Prosecution Service
- [Serious and organised crime toolkit: an interactive toolkit for practitioners working with young people](#) Home Office

Female Genital Mutilation (FGM):

- [Female genital mutilation protection orders: factsheet](#) Home Office
- [Female genital mutilation resource pack](#) Home Office
- [Mandatory reporting of female genital mutilation: procedural information](#)
- [Multi-agency statutory guidance on female genital mutilation](#)
- [Understanding the female genital mutilation enhanced dataset: updated guidance and clarification to support implementation](#) Department of Health and Social Care

Forced Marriage:

- [Apply for a forced marriage protection order](#) Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office
- [Forced marriage](#) Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, and Home Office
- [Forced marriage protection orders \(application\)](#) HM Courts and Tribunals Service
- [Forced marriage resource pack](#) Home Office
- [Forced marriage: statutory guidance for heads of safeguarding organisations, and non-statutory guidance for front-line professionals](#) Home Office, and Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office

Homelessness/Fostering:

- [Children Act 1989: private fostering](#)
- [Homelessness code of guidance for local authorities](#) Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities
- [National minimum standards for private fostering](#)
- [Prevention of homelessness and provision of accommodation for 16 and 17 year old young people who may be homeless and/or require accommodation](#)
- [Private fostering](#) CoramBAAF

Young Carers:

- [Carers strategy: second national action plan 2014-2016](#) Department of Health and Social Care
- [Recognised, valued and supported: next steps for the carers strategy 2010](#) Department of Health and Social Care

Mental Health:

- [Mental Health Act 1983: Code of Practice](#) Department of Health and Social Care

Online Safety:

- [Cyber aware](#) National Cyber Security Centre
- [Cyberbullying: understand, prevent, respond – guidance for schools](#) Childnet International
- [Supporting children to stay safe online](#) National Crime Agency/CEOP Education
- [UK Safer Internet Centre: Online safety advice and resources](#) UK Safer Internet Centre

Prevent/Radicalisation:

- [Channel and Prevent Multi-Agency Panel guidance: protecting people vulnerable to being drawn into terrorism](#) Home Office
- [Counter-terrorism strategy \(CONTEST\)](#) Home Office
- [Managing risk of radicalisation in your education setting](#)
- [Prevent duty guidance: for England and Wales](#) Home Office
- [The Prevent duty: support for those working in education with safeguarding responsibilities](#)

General:

- [Care of unaccompanied migrant children and child victims of modern slavery](#)
- [Child maltreatment: when to suspect maltreatment in under 18s](#) NICE
- [Child Protection Companion](#) Royal college of Paediatrics and Child Health
- [Children Act 1989 guidance and regulation volume 2: care planning, placement, and case review](#)
- [Children's Commissioner](#)
- [Children's rights and the law guide](#) Children's Rights Alliance for England
- [Developing local substance misuse safeguarding protocols](#) Public Health England
- [Every child matters: statutory guidance \(arrangements to safeguard and promote the welfare of children\)](#) UK Visas and Immigration
- [Guide to UK General Data Protection Regulations \(UK GDPR\)](#) Information Commissioner's Office
- [How we protect children's rights](#) Unicef
- [Independent Scrutiny and Local Safeguarding Children Partnerships](#) Vulnerability Knowledge and Practice Programme
- [Inter-parental relationships](#) Early Intervention Foundation
- [Keeping children safe in education: for schools and colleges](#)
- [Listening to and involving children and young people](#)
- [Missing children and adults: a cross-government strategy](#) Home Office
- [Modern Slavery Act: statutory guidance](#) Home Office
- [Multi-agency public protection arrangements \(MAPPA\): Guidance](#) Ministry of Justice, HM Prison and Probation Service
- [National service framework: children, young people, and maternity services](#) Department of Health and Social Care
- [Non-Maintained Special Schools \(England\) Regulations 2015](#)

- [Pathways to harm, pathways to protection: a triennial analysis of serious case reviews, 2011 to 2014](#)
- [Practice direction 12A – care, supervision, and other part 4 proceedings: guide to case Management](#) Ministry of Justice
- [Pre-proceedings and family justice hub](#) Research in Practice and Essex County Council
- [Preventing and tackling bullying](#)
- [Protecting children and young people: doctors' responsibilities](#) General Medical Council
- [Protective measures and civil orders](#) College of Policing
- [Safeguarding and social care for children](#)
- [Safeguarding children who may have been trafficked practice guidance](#)
- [Safeguarding children, young people and adults at risk in the NHS: Safeguarding accountability and assurance framework](#) NHS England
- [Safeguarding children: toolkit for general practice](#) Royal College of General Practitioners
- [Safeguarding strategy: unaccompanied asylum seeking and refugee children](#)
- [Safer young lives research centre](#) University of Bedfordshire
- [Social work post-qualifying standards: Knowledge and skills statements](#)
- [Standards for safeguarding and protecting children in sport](#) NSPCC
- [Statutory guidance for integrated care boards on executive lead roles](#) NHS England
- [Statutory guidance on children who run away or go missing from home or care](#)
- [Statutory visits to children with special educational needs and disabilities or health conditions in long-term residential settings](#)
- [Sudden unexpected death in infancy and childhood: multi-agency guidelines for care and investigation](#) Royal College of Pathologists
- [The Child Safeguarding Practice Review and Relevant Agency \(England\) Regulations 2018](#)
- [United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child: how legislation underpins implementation in England](#)
- [Violence against women and girls](#) Home Office
- [Visiting children in residential special schools and colleges statutory guidance](#)
- [Whistleblowing advice line](#) NSPCC
- [Working Together with Parents Network: update of the DoH/DfES good practice guidance on working with parents with a learning disability \(2007\)](#) University of Bristol