

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

A Toolkit for General Practice

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Annex C: External Links

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Every Child Matters

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Adoption

<http://www.education.gov.uk/b0072314/guidance/>

Child Accident Prevention Trust

www.capt.org.uk

Child death review process

<http://www.education.gov.uk/childrenandyoungpeople/safeguarding/safeguardingchildren/childdeathreview/a0070753/child-death-review-process>

Children in Care

<http://www.education.gov.uk/childrenandyoungpeople/families/childrenincare>

Children leaving care

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Common Assessment Framework

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Common Core of Skills and Knowledge

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Directgov – public services all in one place, England and Wales

www.direct.gov.uk/en/index.htm

Directgov – Parents

www.direct.gov.uk/en/Parents/index.htm

Directgov – Kids

<http://kids.direct.gov.uk/>

Disabled Children

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Family Nurse Partnership

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Female genital mutilation

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Guidance on people who present a risk to children

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Home Office

www.homeoffice.gov.uk/

Information Sharing

<http://www.erewashpbc.com/safeguarding/latest/page10.html>

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Internet safety

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Looked After Children Team

<http://www.education.gov.uk/childrenandyoungpeople/families/childrenincare>

Lead professionals

<http://www.cwdcouncil.org.uk/lead-professional>

Missing Children notifications

<http://www.dh.gov.uk/en/AdvanceSearchResult/index.htmsearchTerms=Missing+Children+notifications>

Multi-agency working

<http://www.cwdcouncil.org.uk/multiagencyworking>

Participation of children and young people

<http://www.cwdcouncil.org.uk/participation>

Private fostering

http://www.privatefostering.org.uk/?gclid=CLvorZLL_qcCFUkfAod9Tsatg

RCGP Child Health Strategy

http://www.rcgp.org.uk/pdf/CIRC_RCGP_Child_Health_Strategy_2010_2015_FINAL.pdf

Substance misuse

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Teenage Relationship Abuse

<http://www.homeoffice.gov.uk/crime/violence-against-women-girls/teenage-relationship-abuse/>

Think Family

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Violence against Women and Children

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Voluntary and Community Sector

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Support for Children & Families

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Children's Charter, 2004

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Children Bill Policy Statements – statutory guidance Wales

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Implementation of the Adoption and Children Act 2002

<http://wales.gov.uk/topics/childrenyoungpeople/publications/implementingact?lang=en>

Important transitional guidance for adoption

<http://wales.gov.uk/topics/childrenyoungpeople/careandprotection/adoption/regsandguidance/importanttransitionalguidance?lang=en>

Safe Guarding Working Together Under the Children Act 2004 [2006 , WAG]

<http://wales.gov.uk/topics/childrenyoungpeople/publications/safeguardingunder2004act?lang=en>

Tackling Domestic Abuse: The All Wales National Strategy

<http://wales.gov.uk/topics/health/nhswales/healthservice/homeless/publications/tacklingdomestic/?lang=en>

The Health and Social Care (Community Health and Standards) Act 2003 (Commencement No. 1) (Wales) (Amendment) Order 2004

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Mental Health Policy Guidance

<http://wales.gov.uk/topics/health/publications/health/guidance/mentalhealthpolicyguidance?lang=en>

National Service Framework – Children, Young People and Maternity Services in Wales

www.wales.nhs.uk/sites3/home.cfm?orgid=441&redirect=yes

Practice Guidance on Assessing the Support Needs of Adoptive Families (Wales)
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Reference Guide to Consent for Examination or Treatment
<http://wales.gov.uk/topics/health/publications/health/guidance/consentexam?lang=en>

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etreatmentguide/?lang=en](http://wales.gov.uk/publications/accessinfo/drnewhomepage/healthdrs/Healthdrs2008/substancemisus
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Northern Ireland

(Assembly)
www.niassembly.gov.uk/

Children in Northern Ireland [resource and email alert service for Safeguarding matters]
www.ci-ni.org.uk/

GP practices
www.healthandcareni.co.uk/index.php?link=gps

Health & Social Care in Northern Ireland , the access portal
www.hscni.net/

Multicultural Handbook for Staff
www.shsscouncil.net/pdfs/Cultural%20Handbook%20-%20Partners%20PDF%20File.pdf

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http://www.dhsspsni.gov.uk/ssi_safeguardingboard

The new system for any child protection referrals or concerns called the Gateway service
http://www.dhsspsni.gov.uk/gateway_service_processes_guidance_for_northern_ireland_health_and_social_care_trusts.pdf

UNOCINI [Understanding the Needs of Children in Northern Ireland] for centralised recording of information
http://www.dhsspsni.gov.uk/ssi_safeguardingboard

Child Safeguarding Inspection report overview which includes child protection standards
<http://www.dhsspsni.gov.uk/oss-child-protection.htm>

Channel Islands

Data Protection in Jersey

www.dataprotection.gov.je/cms/default.htm

Health and social care in Jersey

http://www.jerseylaw.je/law/display.aspx?url=lawsinforce%2Fconsolidated%2F12%2F12.200_ChildrenLaw2002_RevisedEdition_1January2006.htm

Children (Jersey) Law 2002

http://www.jerseylaw.je/Law/display.aspx?url=lawsinforce%2Fconsolidated%2F12%2F12.200_ChildrenLaw2002_RevisedEdition_1January2006.htm

States of Guernsey

www.gov.gg/ccm/navigation/health---social-services/

Rehabilitation of offenders (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law 2002 (Commencement, Exclusions and Exceptions) Ordinance 2006

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The Children (Prescribed Orders – Isle of Man and Guernsey) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006

www.opsi.gov.uk/sr/sr2006/20060480.htm

Other legislation

Disability Discrimination Act 1995

www.opsi.gov.uk/acts/acts1995/ukpga_19950050_en_1.htm

Disability Discrimination Act 2005

www.opsi.gov.uk/ACTS/acts2005/20050013.htm

Disability and Equality Act 2010

http://www.direct.gov.uk/en/DisabledPeople/RightsAndObligations/DisabilityRights/DG_4001068

Health Act 1999

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/1999/14/contents>

Learning and Skills Act 2000

http://www.opsi.gov.uk/Acts/acts2000/ukpga_20000021_en_1

Protection of Children Act 1999

www.opsi.gov.uk/acts/acts1999/19990014.htm

Useful contacts and information

This list is not exhaustive but provides useful contacts for children and young people. The organisations aim to help children and young people and provide freephone services.

National Society for the Protection of Cruelty to Children (NSPCC)

24-hour helpline for adults on 0808 800 5000 [textphone service on 0800 056 0566 for people who are deaf or hard of hearing]. Multilingual advice available, NSPCC Asian Child helpline/ NSPCC CYMRU/ Wales Child Protection helpline- contacts available via 0808 800 5000

NSPCC ChildLine

Runs a free 24-hour helpline for children and young people in the UK, with counsellors to help.

Scotland

Tel: 0870 3367 2910

www.childline.org.uk/scotland.asp

England and Wales

Tel: 0800 1111

www.childline.org.uk

CHILDREN 1ST

One of Scotland's leading childcare charities. Its mission is to ensure every child in Scotland has a safe and secure childhood

www.children1st.org.uk/

ChildLine

Scotland. For anyone who is worried about a child and for children themselves.

Tel: 0800 1111

<http://www.childline.org.uk/Pages/Home.aspx>

Children in Scotland

Children in Scotland is the national agency for voluntary, statutory and professional organisations and individuals working with children and their families in Scotland.

www.childreninscotland.org.uk

Scotland's Commissioner for Children and Young People (SCCYP)

SCCYP promotes and safeguards the rights of children and young people living in Scotland. Tel: 0131 558 3733

www.sccyp.org.uk

Children's Rights Officers and Advocates

Provide rights, advocacy and participation services to children and young people who are 'looked after' and 'in need', as well as those involved in child protection procedures.

94 White Lion Street

London N1 9PF

Tel: 01773 820100

www.croa.org.uk

Care Quality Commission

Care Quality Commission
Citygate
Gallowgate
Newcastle upon Tyne NE1 4PA
03000 616161
www.cqc.org.uk/

National Leaving Care Advisory Service

Helps under-supported young people to lead emotionally and physically secure and fulfilled lives.
Catch 22
3rd floor
Churchill House
124-6 Old Street
London EC1V 9BW
0200 7336 4824

<http://www.leavingcare.org/>

A National Voice

An organisation run by and for young people who are or have been in care.
Central Hall
Oldham Street
Manchester
M1 1JQ
Tel: 0161 237 5577
www.anationalvoice.org

National Youth Advocacy Services

Offers advice, information, support and representation to any child or young person who wants their wishes and feelings taken into account when decisions are made about them.
99-105 Argyle Street
Birkenhead, Wirral
CH41 6AD
Tel: 0151 649 8700;
0800 616101
www.nyas.net

Scottish Children's Reporter Administration

Central contact point for information on local Children's Reporter offices, Panels and so forth.
01786 459500
communications@scra.gsi.gov.uk

The Office of the Children's Rights Director

Part of the organisation that sends inspectors to check on how children and young people are being looked after.
33 Greycoat Street
London SW1P 2QF
0207 979 2000;
0800 528 0731
www.rights4me.org.uk

The Who Cares? Trust

Offers confidential help and advice to children and young people in care, as well as anyone who has been in care in the past.

Kemp House
152–160 City Road
London EC1V 2NP
0207 251 3117;
0500 564 570

www.thewhocarestrust.org.uk

Voice for the Child in Care

Offers information, advice and support to children and young people in residential care. Unit 4, Pride Court

80-82 White Lion Street
London N1 9PF
0207 833 5792

http://www.voiceyp.org/ngen_public/default.asp

Children's Commissioner for Wales

Penrhos Manor
Oak Drive
Colwyn Bay
Conwy
LL29 7YW
01492 523333

<http://www.childcomwales.org.uk/en/about-us/>

Funky Dragon

The Welsh Assembly Government website aims to give children and young people the opportunity to get their voices heard.

www.funkydragon.org/

Voices from Care Cymru

Voices from care Cymru was set up in 1990 to help young people who are or have been looked after by local authorities in Wales.

www.voicesfromcarecymru.org.uk/main.htm