



Working With Neglect: Partnership Self-Assessment

Following the publication of the Child Safeguarding Practice Review Panel's report *Child Neglect: A Thematic Analysis*, HSSCP are undertaking a self-assessment to help us better understand our strengths and areas for development as a partnership in regards to working with Neglect. As part of this work, we have developed a professional self-assessment questionnaire for professionals to feed in their experiences and insights. To take this survey, follow the link [here](#). This survey will stay open until Friday 2nd October.

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National Child Safeguarding Rapid Reviews

The Child Safeguarding Practice Review Panel has published 3 quarterly reports providing an overview of rapid reviews submitted to the Panel between April and December 2025. The quarterly reports highlight key risks and emerging themes based on rapid reviews undertaken in England. They are intended to be used to help identify emerging risks earlier; compare local and national trends; reflect on learning from reviews; and inform local planning, practice and training. [Quarter 1](#), [Quarter 2](#), [Quarter 3](#).

**NSPCC
'Learning'**

Keeping Children Safe in Education 2026: Summary of Changes

NSPCC Learning has published a summary of changes briefing for Keeping Children Safe in Education (KCSIE) 2026.

The Department for Education (DfE) has published updates to the statutory safeguarding and child protection guidance for schools in England, Keeping children safe in education (KCSIE). To read the summary, follow [this link](#).

Centre of
expertise
on child
sexual abuse

Scale and Nature of Child Sexual Abuse: Review of Evidence

The Centre of Expertise on Child Sexual Abuse (CSA Centre) has published a report on the scale and nature of child sexual abuse in England and Wales. The report includes an analysis of official data for 2024/25, data from the Crime Survey for England and Wales, and an overview of international developments.

To read the report, follow the link [here](#).



HSSCP Learning from Reviews Briefings: September

HSSCP will now be running Learning from Reviews briefings twice per year, with the next briefings taking place on 4th September and 28th September.

The briefing will cover local reviews that have taken place in the last 6 months, National Reviews that have implications for our partnership, and work that is happening within the partnership.

To book a free place on the briefing, follow the link [here](#).

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Adolescent Suicide

The Child Safeguarding Practice Review Panel has published a briefing paper on adolescent suicide in England. The paper collates learning from serious child safeguarding incidents relating to adolescents who died by suicide. The paper sets out key facts and figures and highlights common issues from the reviews such as: escalating risk over time; ongoing and repeated service involvement; and mental health needs and ongoing distress. To read the briefing, follow the link [here](#).



Child Welfare: State of the Nation Annual Report

The Centre for Young Lives has published its annual State of the Nation report, collating data and indicators to track trends in poverty, mental health, education, safeguarding, housing, special educational needs and disabilities, youth justice and employment in England. The report aims to provide a snapshot of childhood vulnerability and the scale of need, and to identify where further investment is required.

To read the report, follow the link [here](#).



AI-Generated Abuse: Close to Home

The Survivors Trust has launched a new film on AI-generated child sexual abuse material. It highlights the prevalence of the problem and the impact it has on young people and their families, looking at how online harm can lead to real-world grooming, coercion and abuse. The film is part of a campaign to encourage people to start talking openly about online harms, grooming and child sexual abuse.

To watch the film, follow the link [here](#).



Children's Social Care in England 2026

Ofsted has published inspection data and information about the providers of children's social care in England, covering the period 1 April 2025 to 31 March 2026. Findings include: the children's social care sector now has 6,700 providers, a 20% increase on last year; and the number of new children's homes (including short-break-only) in England continues to rise and has increased by 70% since March 2022.

To read more, follow this link: [Children's Social Care in England 2026](#)



Tees Procedures

Have you checked out the latest information regarding safeguarding procedures on the Tees Safeguarding Children Procedures website?

To access all of the Tees Safeguarding Children Procedures, please click on the following link: <https://www.teescpp.org.uk/>



HSSCP Safeguarding Training & Resources

Are you up to date with your multi-agency safeguarding children training? The HSSCP safeguarding children training programme for 2026-2027 is available, along with a wide range of safeguarding children resources in the professionals section of the HSSCP website. For further information, please click on the following link: [HSSCP / Training](#)
For information relating to the latest LCSRP's please click: [LCSRP's](#)



Tees Safeguarding Adults Board (TSAB) Update

The Teeswide Safeguarding Adults Board is a statutory body working across the four local boroughs to effectively prevent and respond to adult abuse.

For the latest TSAB newsletters, please click on the following link: [TSAB](#)

Information on the latest safeguarding adults reviews can be found at: [SAR's](#)