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Children are
protected from
harm



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Children live
in safe
communities,
including online



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Children & families
recieve the right
help at the right
time



RISK OF SELF HARM



Reduction of CAMHS referrals due to earlier help interventions
Seen a significant reduction in children taking own lives
Children who have been affected by the sudden death of another child, receive coordinated support in their community

Data shows that the Neglect Toolkit is now being used to identify neglect at an earlier stage with more families accessing help earlier.



NEGLECT



Over 6000 views of the Neglect toolkit since its launch in Feb 2023
Recruited over 100 Neglect Champions accross services
Most of workforce are now aware of the Neglect toolkit and the training

SAFER SLEEP



Significant reduction in the rate of SIDs (which is now below the regional and national averages)



Over 2000 practitioners trained in 'Every Sleep a Safer Sleep'



Over 2000 visits to the WSCP webpage
No sudden death of a child associated with unsafe sleep since 2022

NON-ACCIDENTAL INJURY

No babies being seriously harmed via abusive head trauma since the roll out of ICON

Reduction in IFD contact with a 'No Further Action outcome'



Better use of Brusies, Burns, Scolds protocol

Parents feel more informed about processes



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ROBUST ARRANGEMENTS

Culture of supportive challenge is now embedded through scrutiny and sub group processes
Consistency in approach to capturing changes via evidence-led approach
Increased output of the Safeguarding Effectiveness Group in respect of quality assurance activity
Delivery Plan assurance through deep dives and ongoing actions



The Speak Up. Stand Up. Stop Exploitation section of the WSCP Knowledge Hub has had over 4,000 visits. With its distinct identity this resource has had a huge impact on how practitioners respond to child exploitation in the area:

CHILD EXPLOITATION: IDENTIFY, PREVENT, DISRUPT



Analysis shows that the district appears to be identifying the volume of children as expected but could make it clearer how children are supported where the risk of exploitation is low.



The learning exchanges have been positively received with a combined attendance of nearly 400 practitioners across the four sessions
West Yorkshire Police PIP submissions have also steadily increased



- 70% have accessed the hub since its launch
- 94% feel more confident in identifying child exploitation because of using the hub
- ~52% use it very frequently or frequently, with 44% using it occasionally
- 40% reported an increase in levels of knowledge of child exploitation after using the hub
- 84% are very likely to recommend to others, with 16% likely to do so



SHAPING THE SAFEGUARDING AGENDA

Increased presence to
communicate with children
directly on the platforms they use



Gaining direct insight into the
lived experience of a child allows
for better outcomes

Be Water Wise campaign:

- Film located on WSCP website and has been viewed over 6000 times
- Since this release, there has been no water related death of a child



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HARMFUL SEXUAL BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT

Increased
understanding
from
practitioners
on how to refer
into the



Harmful Sexual Behaviour Panel

Practitioners know where to go to
access information on
understanding sexual behaviours
and which services
can support further



Forensic CAMHS annual report
on harmful sexual behaviour
shows good evidence as to how
services are identifying
instances of problematic and
harmful sexual behaviour



CHILDREN WHO ARE BULLIED

Increase in children reporting
to the School Health Survey
2024 feeling confident in how
school responds to bullying in
comparison to 2022, although
bullying remains one of the
highest worries children have
at school

DSL FORUMS:

Feature best
practise in
anti-bullying
approaches

Encourage all schools to be
involved in ant-bullying week





UNDERSTANDING SAFEGUARDING THRESHOLDS

The No Further Action (NFA) rate is now below the target baseline of 55%
Improved recording has led to a more accurate data
Improvement in self-contacts, contacts from families and education which contributes to the improved early help pathways and embedding of the Team Around model

PARTNERSHIP WORKING

TRAUMA AWARENESS

Services such as the Education Psychology Service and Youth Justice Service are charter mark recognised as a Trauma Informed Service

The WSCP adversity, trauma and resilience webpage acts as a central repository and has had over 500 visits

The Trauma Masterclass has had over 300 views across the partnership



THE L&D OFFER

Evidence led monitored impact
Reached approx 3500 learners
Developed a culture of quality assurance driving the L&D, and the L&D improving the findings of quality assurance activity
Offer a wide-range of learning from traditional training, One Minute Guides, 7 Point Briefings, WSCP webpages, webinars, & recorded briefings

ACCESSIBILITY

The production of safeguarding resources, information and guidance is well established
1,334 practitioners are signed up to the monthly e-bulletin which provides a direct line of communication

Partnership working with 'Yorkshire Sport Foundation' gives a greater access to local sports clubs

