

Welcome to the WSSCP Email Bulletin May 2020



The Child Accident Prevention Trust annually have June as their National Safety Week. This is a really good opportunity to share key messages with the children and families you work with. There are a range of topics presented in an easy to understand way to ensure the message is received loud and clear. You can also register for free resources by clicking on the link below:

- [Register for your free CAPT Child Safety Week Resources](#)
- [Burns and Scalds](#)
- [Road Safety](#)
- [Poisoning](#)
- [Choking](#)



Serious Case Review W has now been published and is available to read on the WSSCP website. Follow the links below to view the following documents

[SCR W Final Report](#)

[SCR W Partnership Response](#)

[SCR W Report and Learning Handout](#)



Practice Points: The WSSCP invite you, in team meetings or during group supervision, to discuss a child safeguarding issue. We encourage responses to be included in your team minutes and forwarded to the safeguarding lead within your organisation. Our library of Practice Points provide a range of topics to choose from and we are currently building on our collection so please check back regularly for more resources to access. You will also find some short PowerPoint slides and Bitesize Briefings. Take a look at our collection by clicking on the link below:

[Practice Points, 7 Minute Slides and Bitesize Briefings](#)



Some new LADO documents are now available on the WSSCP website to support your safeguarding practice and processes. To view the wide range of information on this service click on the link below:

[LADO - Information and documents](#)



Sussex Prisoners' Families is a community interest company which supports local families to cope emotionally and practically with the imprisonment of a loved-one. They offer support and advice to families, as well as training and awareness-raising for professionals so that they can better meet families' needs. This can be a useful resource when working with children and their families. More information on the work carried out by this organization can be found by clicking on the link below:

[Information on Family Support](#)



The NSPCC has some really informative research around Neglect available on their website. This can be used to improve your knowledge independently, inform practice and to provoke a discussion during supervisions or team meetings. Click on the links to below to read more:

[Summary of Risk Factors & Learning for Improved Practice Around Neglect](#)

[Protecting Children from Neglect](#)

[WSSCP Neglect Tools & Resources page](#)



You can also access the WSSCP tools and resources on the WSSCP website by clicking on the link below: Thresholds Workshops are now on the Learning and Development Gateway. Please click on the links below to read the full details of the course and to book your place:

- [Tuesday 1 September – County Hall North, Horsham](#)
- [Tuesday 6 October – Centenary House, Worthing](#)
- [Thursday 12 November – County Hall, Chichester](#)
- [Wednesday 9 December – Centenary House, Worthing](#)
- [Thursday 21 January – County Hall North, Horsham](#)
- [Thursday 25 February – County Hall South, Chichester](#)
- [Thursday 25 March – County Hall North, Horsham](#)



West Sussex Safeguarding Children Partnership has launched the **See Something Say Something** safeguarding campaign in association with Brighton and Hove Safeguarding Children Partnership. The aim of the campaign is to raise awareness within all communities and the general public that everyone has a role in keeping children in West Sussex safe.

The message is simple – if you **see something** that raises a concern about a child, please **say something** by reporting it to the Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH) on 01403

229900. Trained professionals from police, children's services and health are on hand to offer advice and act where needed. If you think a child is at immediate risk, call police on 999.

We are asking all partners to share this message through social media and newsletters, bulletins etc.

Resources to support sharing these messages are below:
[WSSCP Campaign Message](#)

You can also lift the images below to use in your own promotion of this campaign:



If you have any information that you would like to share in future bulletins? If so please email me directly on the email address below.

Kind Regards,

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