Trafficking and Modern Slavery

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Policy and Guidance

This section provides information on policy and guidance on trafficking

• Home Office has produced statutory guidance on Modern Slavery (recent version released October 2024)

• Home Office has released a <u>factsheet on the impact of the Illegal Migration Act on modern slavery victims</u> . (recent version released July 2023)

- Department of Education (DfE) provides <u>statutory guidance on caring for unaccompanied migrant children</u> and child victims of modern slavery. (recent version released November 2017).
 - Home Office has produced a <u>guidance on the roles and responsibilities of Independent Child Trafficking</u> <u>Guardians</u> (ICTGs). You can also find referral forms in the guidance. (recent version released May 2024)
 - DfE and Home Office set out <u>guidance on safeguarding children who may have experienced trafficking</u>. (recent version released October 2011). They also provide <u>statutory guidance on inter-agency working</u> <u>together</u> to safeguard children.

Resources

You can find here different resources on the trafficking

- Home Office provides an <u>useful child exploitation disruption toolkit</u> where you can find strategies to safeguard under 18s from sexual and criminal exploitation.
- NSPCC has produced <u>advice on child trafficking</u> in a free guidance for professionals concerned that a child or young person has been trafficked.
- ECPAT UK provides translated resources to inform children and young people from Vietnam at risk of exploitation.
- NSPPC provides <u>educational resources on the recognition, prevention and legislation relating to UASC</u> who have been trafficked.

- ECPAT UK and Barnardos provide support to young people with lived experience of trafficking.
- Migration Yorkshire provides a list of solicitors available to support young people with their asylum claim

• The Children's Society provides resources on identifying risk factors for child exploitation. Scroll down the page to insert your details for download.

Training

<u>ECPAT UK</u> provide paid training on child trafficking.
Barnardo's ICTG Service offers <u>free online awareness sessions</u> on trafficking and modern slavery.
The Children's Society provides <u>free online sessions</u> on preventing child exploitation. Scroll down the page to book onto the sessions.

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