

Safeguarding Newsletter

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National Centre for Domestic Violence

A free, fast emergency injunction service to survivors of domestic abuse and violence regardless of their financial circumstances, race, gender or sexual orientation.



Domestic abuse is common in the UK and anyone can be a victim, regardless of gender, age, ethnicity, socio-economic status, sexuality or background.

NCDV's award-winning free service allows anyone, who has recently experienced or been threatened with domestic abuse or violence, to apply for an emergency court injunction.

This can sometimes be issued within 24 hours of making contact with them. NCDV works in close partnership with the police, solicitors and other support agencies (Refuge, Women's Aid, Mankind etc) to help victims obtain speedy protection.

Source: <https://www.ncdv.org.uk>

Online safety bill

The NSPCC has published an article on the passing of the Online Safety Bill through Parliament. The legislation will require technology companies to ensure their websites are safe for children and protect them from sexual abuse and harmful material. The story contains an outline of the Bill, a statement from Peter Wanless, CEO of the NSPCC, and statements from campaigners.

Read the news story: [The Online Safety Bill has been passed in "a momentous day for children"](#)

Read the government press release: [Britain makes internet safer, as Online Safety Bill finished and ready to become law](#)

Childline

NSPCC Learning has published a new page with information about Childline, the UK's free 24-hour service for children and young people, up to the age of 19, run by the NSPCC. This new page is to help anyone who works with children and young people to signpost to Childline's support and advice. The page collates information on: Childline and its confidentiality promise; the support provided by the service; and campaigns and posters.

Read the webpage: [Childline](#)

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