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London SCP Newsletter

Welcome to the relaunch of the London Safeguarding Children Partnership's quarterly newsletter. We hope that this will help us to engage with you as stakeholders; updating you on the work of the Partnership and also providing an opportunity for you to feedback to us. If you have suggestions of what you would like to see included in the newsletter, please email the Partnership Coordinator Victoria Hilliard.

From the Executive

The Executive meets quarterly, with the last meeting held on 6th March. The Executive is made up of our Chair Ade Adetosoye CBE (Chief Executive of Bromley and CELC lead for Children) and representatives from the MPS, NHS, ALDCS and MOPAC.

Child Sexual Abuse (CSA) has been a priority for the London SCP for a number of years. Following the Casey Audit on Group Based CSA, the Executive has been working closely with the Metropolitan Police Service (MPS) and other partners on the multi-agency aspects of the London operation. A significant proportion of the March meeting was focussed on a Pan-London approach to CSA, the work of the London CSA Delivery Group and the potential for a London CSA Strategy.

Review of the Threshold Document

The Pan-London Threshold Document sits as part of the London Safeguarding Children Procedures. It is currently under review as required by the Families First reforms, with initial work carried out by MASH Stakeholders and the Editorial Board. There will be a consultation carried out across June and July, with the finalised document launched as part of the Procedures six monthly update in October 2026. The Procedures are hosted by Tri-x and were recently moved to a new platform and can be found here: [London Safeguarding Children Procedures and Practice...](#)

The London Rapid Reviews Analysis

The London SCP has published its second annual analysis of Rapid Reviews carried out by Local Safeguarding Children Partnerships (LSCPs) in London between April 2024 and March 2025. The analysis is carried out with the aim of helping the Partnership to prioritise work around emerging themes, informing the training offer and providing information and resources to LSCPs. This year's report focusses on the changes in trends and themes from last year's report, in particular housing, children not in education and cross-border information sharing. The full report is available here [London Rapid Review Analysis Report 2024-25 | London SCP](#)

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Safeguarding Adolescents in London Resource

The London Safeguarding Children Partnership's Executive has launched the Safeguarding Adolescents In London (SAIL) digital resource.

[The SAIL guidance](#) provides comprehensive guidance designed to transform how practitioners, managers, and service leaders work to keep young people safe across the capital. Co-produced with contributions from respected voices across the sector, and developed by the [London Innovation and Improvement Alliance \(LIIA\)](#), SAIL represents a significant step forward in bringing coherence to adolescent safeguarding practice.

The guidance describes the principles and practice that, as statutory safeguarding partners, London's local authorities believe should underpin the work of all agencies working with vulnerable young people.

Upcoming Training

The Training Managers sub-group is working hard along with Green Light to deliver an excellent Pan-London training offer which is free of charge for all London based practitioners. Upcoming topics include Information Sharing, Pan-London Threshold Document, Working with Neglect, Misogyny and the Manosphere and Child Exploitation. Details of upcoming training and how to book can be found here: [Training | London SCP](#) To receive emails about upcoming training courses, you can register here stats.sender.net/forms/dG3vJd/view

Our new website!

We now have a new website www.londonscp.org.uk . We are still developing the website – if you have any thoughts on what you would like to see there, or what you would like to see in this newsletter, please share here [London SCP Website – Fill in form](#)

Contact Us!

The Partnership is here to add value to the work of LSCPs across London and to improve the safeguarding of the city's children. If you have any suggestions, please contact the Partnership Coordinator Victoria Hilliard at Victoria.hilliard@londoncouncils.gov.uk