

Education Safeguarding Contacts Bristol 2025-26

If you have concerns about a child/young person in Bristol:

If a child is at immediate risk call the POLICE	POLICE 999	
To make a referral, i.e. a child is likely to suffer or is suffering significant harm, call children's social care.	FIRST RESPONSE – 0117 9036444	
Out of Hours Referrals	EMERGENCY DUTY TEAM – 01454 615 165	
Mental Health Crisis (24 hours, 7 days a week)	Bristol Mental Health – 0300 555 0334	
To raise concerns and ask for advice about radicalisation (also contact First Response).	PREVENT DUTY – 01278 647466 PreventSW@avonandsomerset.police.uk	
To liaise with the specialist Safeguarding Police unit	Lighthouse Safeguarding Unit (Avon and Somerset police) 01278 649228 LighthouseBristol@avonandsomerset.police.uk	
For advice and guidance about whether to make a referral	Family Help	
South 0117 9037770	East Central 0117 3576460	North 0117 3521499

If you have concerns about a professional working with a child:

To raise concerns and ask for guidance in relation to the conduct of someone who works with children	Local Authority Designated Officer – (LADO) T: 0117 9037795 KBSP LADO notification form
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For information, advice and guidance in relation to safeguarding policy and procedures:

Child and Adolescent Mental health (CAMHS)		
Primary Mental Health Specialists (advice) Child and Adolescent Mental Health		
South	East Central	North
0117 3408121	0117 3408600	0117 3546800
Avon and Wiltshire Mental Health Partnership NHS Trust 24/7 crisis line: 0800 953 1919		
Advice around harmful sexualised behaviour.	Be Safe 0117 3408700 W: https://www.awp.nhs.uk/camhs/camhs-services/HSB-services/be-safe	
	Brook Traffic Light Tool CPD: Brook Sexual Behaviours Traffic Light Tool (RSE) Course	