

**DSCP Child Exploitation Strategic Sub-Group**

**Terms of Reference**

**Purpose**

The Child Exploitation Strategic Sub-Group aims to bring key partners together to ensure that across the Doncaster Area a consistent, collaborative and coordinated response is provided to all children, young persons who are at risk of exploitation.

**Remit**

1. To oversee local strategies , unblocking barriers to effective implementation;
2. To be data intelligence driven, establishing comprehensive and accurate profiles to enable identification of individuals/groups, locations and patterns and trends across borders, to enable these to inform local partnership understanding, and enable swift co-ordinated multi-agency responses to effectively safeguard children and prevent, divert or prosecute those who facilitate and /or seek to exploit and abuse;
3. To inform local service provision and share good practice enabling appropriate support and intervention and protection to children;
4. To prevent children at risk of harm and abuse experiencing or continuing to experience exploitation, peer on peer abuse and modern day slavery by reducing vulnerability;
5. Use information intelligently to inform successful prevention, diversion and prosecution of those who seek to facilitate and/or perpetrate the exploitation, abuse and harm of children and vulnerable adults in line with the Doncaster CCE Strategic Approach
6. The DSCP, Safer Stronger Doncaster and associated sub-groups will collaborate to develop effective performance measures, policy and procedures, multi-agency training programmes and communication campaigns
7. To work closely with the MACE group to assess the impact of local strategy on operational services

**Accountability**

The Sub-Group is accountable to DSCP. The Sub-Group will escalate issues that need resolution beyond the remit of its members to the relevant Boards including the DSCP and SSDP.

**Confidentiality**

Members of the sub group are reminded that confidential and sensitive information will be discussed during the meeting and that this is to remain confidential at all times.

**Membership**

The agencies forming the core membership of the Group are:

* Doncaster Council (Children and Adult services)
* South Yorkshire Police
* Doncaster CCG
* St Leger Homes
* Doncaster College
* Rotherham, Doncaster & South Humber NHS Trust (Rotherham Doncaster & South Humber NHS Foundation Trust)
* Doncaster & Bassetlaw Teaching Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (DBTH)

The Group may co-opt additional or specialist members as required for the purposes of specific issues.

The current list of named representatives is shown at **Appendix 1** below.

**Operational arrangements**

* The Partnership will select the Chair and Deputy Chair.
* Meetings will be regarded as quorate if there are representatives from three agencies.
* Standing meetings of this Sub-Group will be held ***bi-monthly*** and additionally as required.
* Administrative support will be provided by Doncaster Safeguarding Partnership Business Unit. Agendas and associated papers will be circulated at least 5 working days in advance of the meeting.

**Voice of the child and Making Safeguarding Personal**

The Doncaster Partnership is committed to listening to the views of children and service users who use services and benefit from our protocols. We will involve them wherever possible in identifying needs and in planning, developing and improving policy and training.

**Reporting and Governance Arrangements**

Through its Chair the Sub-Group will:

* Provide a highlight report to each (quarterly) meeting of the DSCP.
* Review the business/work plan annually
* Review the Terms of Reference every year (unless appropriate do sooner) and propose amendments to the DSCP.

**Dispute**

In the event of a dispute or conflict of interest arising between agencies across or within groups, which cannot be resolved, the Chair will draw this to the attention of the DSCP Independent Convenor.

**Date agreed: March 2023**

**Date to be reviewed: March 2024**

**Appendix 1  
Current list of named representatives (March 2023):**

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| Jamie Henderson | Superintendent, Doncaster District , South Yorkshire Police |
| Andrea Ibbeson | Head of Quality & Designated Nurse for Children’s Safeguarding & LAC Doncaster CCG |
| Andy Hood | Head of Service  Doncaster Children’s Services Trust |
| Angelique Choppin | Deputy Safeguarding Board Manager (Children’s)  Doncaster Council |
| Helen Cooper | Service Manager - Intervention & Prevention Service |
| Anne-Marie Evans | DI, PVP Unit  South Yorkshire Police |
| Gary Magnay | CSE Lead, South Yorkshire Police |
| Helen Lewis | Detective Chief Inspector, South Yorkshire Police |
| Bill Hotchkiss | Head of Service, Community Safety  Doncaster Council |
| Callum Helman | Transformation Manager, Locality Delivery & Early Help  Doncaster Council |
| Carrie Wardle | Public Health Specialist  Doncaster Council |
| Dawn Lawrence | South Locality Lead, Early Intervention and Localities Service  Doncaster Council |
| Elizabeth Richardson | Named Nurse for Safeguarding Children  Doncaster Bassetlaw Teaching Hospital NHS Trust |
| Gillian Wood | Deputy Designated Nurse for Safeguarding Children & LAC  Doncaster CCG |
| Bill Hotchkiss | Head of Service, Community Safety |
| Jonny Eley | Interventions Manager, Doncaster Council |
| Helen Jones | Operational Manager  Doncaster Children’s Services Trust |
| Jayne Pezzulo | Specialist Nurse Child Sexual Exploitation Team  Rotherham, Doncaster & South Humber NHS Foundation Trust |
| Julie Jablonski | Housing Safeguarding Manager  St Leger Homes |
| Kelly O'Brien | Named Nurse Safeguarding Children  Rotherham Doncaster & South Humber NHS Foundation Trust |
| Marcus Isman - Egal | Service Manager - Young People's Services & Innovation, Doncaster Council |
| Paul Egan | Performance Analyst, Doncaster Council |
| Rebecca Mason | Head of Engagement and Partnerships, LOCYP  Doncaster Council |
| Roxanne Womack | Named Nurse Safeguarding Children  Rotherham Doncaster & South Humber NHS Foundation Trust |
| Saima Nazir | Public Health Improvement Co-ordinator  Doncaster Council |
| Shafqat Sultan | Raising Achievement Manager, LOCYP  Doncaster Council |
| Shahzad Rauf | Senior Practitioner, Adult Safeguarding Team  Doncaster Council |
| Simon Leake | Detective Inspector, Doncaster PVP, South Yorkshire Police |
| Sarah Green | Specialist Nurse for Safeguarding Children and Children in Care |
| Dawn Barraclough | Lead Practitioner - Welfare and Safeguarding, Doncaster College |
| Sally Senior | Director for Safeguarding and EDI, Doncaster College |
| Jo Howe | Safeguarding (Education), Doncaster Council |