

#SayNO says new Europe-wide campaign

Europol has launched a new campaign against sexual extortion and coercion online.

The awareness-raising resources include short films and designs explaining how the crime works.

More detail is at:

www.europol.europa.eu/sayno



New guide to combat child and adolescent neglect

We have published a one minute guide to child and adolescent neglect for practitioners.

The guide gives an overview of the signs and effects of neglect including adolescent neglect, what should be done if neglect is suspected and links to recent research.

Read it at www.saferchildrenyork.org.uk/child-protection-procedures.htm

Updated guidance and procedures

CYSCB has refreshed multi-agency guidance on child sexual abuse and exploitation which now includes a screening tool for use by professionals endorsed by all Safeguarding Board partners.

There is also a new procedure on children missing from home and care.

You can find these documents at: www.saferchildrenyork.org.uk/child-protection-procedures.htm

Pilot launched to cut alcohol-related crime

York is taking part in a pilot scheme to reduce alcohol-related offences using electronic 'sobriety tags'.

The impact of alcohol misuse on parenting, pregnancy and children is significant, so Humberside, Lincolnshire and North Yorkshire Community Rehabilitation Scheme launched the trial, funded by each area's Police and Crime Commissioners.

Courts can now require offenders to wear a 'sobriety tag' for up to 120



days. The tag detects the presence of alcohol and attempts to stop it working.

Using rehabilitative intervention and the sobriety tag, aims to reduce alcohol-related re-offending

For more information please email beckybailey@interservefls.gse.gov.uk

CYSCB commissions training

A range of free courses have been commissioned for the Board for practitioners and volunteers working in York with children and young people, directly or indirectly.

Full details - including learning objectives and learning requirements - are at www.saferchildrenyork.org.uk/learning-and-development.htm

Please book by emailing wdu@york.gov.uk, calling 01904 553017 or via www.yorkworkforcedevelopment.org.uk/how-to-book.htm



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