



## Child Protection Guidance website and mobile app



**Guidance and best practice at your fingertips – anytime, anywhere** Website: [Child protection procedures | Right Decisions \(scot.nhs.uk\)](https://www.scot.nhs.uk/rightdecisions/childprotection/) .

Or download the Right Decisions app from the app stores (see QR code below) and search for “North Lanarkshire Child Protection Procedures”. You can then add this to ‘My Toolkits’ and it will be available to you each time you open the app.

This app has been developed by North Lanarkshire Child Protection Committee with Healthcare Improvement Scotland as part of the national decision support programme funded by Scottish Government.

**It delivers easy to use guidance and practical tools to support all staff across agencies to:**

- **Make confident decisions about Child Protection referrals, investigations and legal issues.**
- **Communicate and collaborate based on shared understanding.**
- **Assess risk and apply guidance in a timely and consistent way.**
- **Learn and develop as part of their working practice.**

**Provides:**

- **Children at risk criteria**
- **Risk factors to look out for**
- **Child Protection referral process**
- **Details of how and when to report concerns, and contacts to report to**
- **Quick reference access to legislation**
- **Flowcharts showing processes to follow for concerns about risk of harm to a child**
- **Definitions, responsibilities and timescales**



There is a section which requests feedback and we would appreciate you taking the time to provide this, so we can keep the app updated and usable.

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