











HONOUR BASED VIOLENCE:



ORGANISATION	USEFUL LINKS	SUMMARY
<p>Honour based violence (HBV)</p>	<p>Support and advice for HBV can be found:</p> <p> KARMA NIRVANA Supporting victims of honour-based abuse and forced marriage Karma Nirvana - Helpline – Karma Nirvana:</p> <p>UK helpline: 08005 999247 Monday to Friday Email: Info@karmanirvana.org.uk</p> <p> HALO PROJECT Break the Silence Refuge Halo project: Forced Marriage and Honour Based Violence Charity - Halo Project Support in the UK (haloproject.org.uk)</p>	<p>Honour based violence (HBV) can affect men and women across a number of cultures and communities and is defined as a crime or incident committed to protect or defend the honour of the family. Issues including choice of dress, friends, relationships and careers can all be perceived as impacting on a family's honour. HBV has the potential to be both a domestic abuse and child abuse concern.</p> <p>Honour based violence can be distinguished from other forms of violence as it is often committed with some degree of approval and/or collusion from family and/or community members.</p>
<p>Female Genital Mutilation (FGM)</p>	<p> NHS National FGM Support Clinics - NHS - NHS (www.nhs.uk) NHS run support clinics nationwide.</p> <p>Female Genital Mutilation - Prevent & Protect NSPCC</p> <p> NSPCC Help for parents through NSPCC FGM helpline: 0800 028 3550 or email: fgm.help@nspcc.org.uk</p> <p>Support and advice for children and young people from FORWARD Youth: Female genital mutilation FORWARD (forwarduk.org.uk)</p>	<p>Female Genital Mutilation (FGM) comprises all procedures involving partial or total removal or the external female genitalia. FGM is illegal in the UK and as of October 2015 mandatory reporting commenced. If education staff or other professionals discovers that an act FGM appears to have been carried out on a girl under 18 years old there is a statutory (legal) duty on teachers for them PERSONALLY to report it to the police.</p>
<p>Forced Marriage</p>	<p> FREEDOM CHARITY</p> <p>Forced Marriage - Freedom Charity 0845 607 0133 Freedom Charity – Helpline 24/7: 0845 6070133 or Textline: text '4freedom' to88802</p> <p>Freedom charity App – quick support and can track phones: Freedom Charity's phone App - Freedom Charity</p> <p> childline Forced marriage Childline ONLINE, ON THE PHONE, ANY childline.org.uk 0800 1111</p>	<p>Forced marriage is illegal. It often happens in secret and might be planned by parents, family or religious leaders. It may involve physical, sexual or emotional abuse.</p> <p>Help is available via the Government's Forced Marriage Unit – if there is an emergency, you should always call 999.</p> <p>Forced Marriage Unit can be contacted: Email: fm@fcd.gov.uk Tel in UK: 020 7008 0151. Tel from overseas: +44 (0)20 7008 0151 Office is open Monday-Friday 9am – 5pm Out of hours: 020 7008 1500 (ask for the Global Response Centre) Forced marriage - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)</p>

<p>Faith Abuse</p>	<p> Child abuse linked to faith or belief Metropolitan Police</p> <p> Home - AFRUCA: Safeguarding Children Africans Unite Against Child Abuse</p> <p> Thirtyone:eight (thirtyoneeight.org) An independent Christian charity</p>	<p>Faith and belief-based child abuse, including practices around 'spirit possession' is a hidden crime, which makes it difficult to quantify in terms of magnitude. This kind of abuse is under-reported. A number of different organisations can be accessed via the links, additionally advice can be sought from local representatives for some faiths.</p> <p></p>
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