

Overview & Scrutiny

Safeguarding Plan – Glossary of Terms and Acronyms

AFI	Area for Improvement
APA	Annual Performance Assessment
C&YPS	Children & Young People's Service
CAF	Common Assessment Framework
CAIT	Child Abuse Investigation Team
CAMHS	Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service
CiC	Children in Care – children in care to the local authority
CiN	Children in Need – children in receipt of a service from Children & Families after assessment identified a particular need
CLU	Children With Disabilities (looked after under a series of short-term placements)
CP	Child Protection
CPP	Child Protection Plan – the agreed plan by which the statutory (and other) agencies will protect a child from significant harm, agreed at a multi-agency child protection conference
CT	Children's Trust
CTEMPG	Children's Trust Executive Performance Management Group
CYPP	Children & Young People's Plan
DCSF	Department for Children, Schools & Families
DV	Domestic Violence
ECM	Every Child Matters – government initiative with 5 themes of activity to focus activity in support of children and young people
FRMAT	First Response Multi-Agency Team
FII	Fabricated or induced illness
FWi	Framework-I – computer system used for children & families casework
GAG	Gangs Action Group
GOSH	Great Ormond Street Hospital in Haringey
HCT	Haringey Children's Trust
HSP	Haringey Strategic Partnership
JAR	Joint Area Review
LAA	Local Area Agreement
LAC	Looked After Child(ren) – children in care
LC	Leaving Care – usually referring to that group of children in care, over the age of 16 and still in receipt of services or support
LCT	Leaving Care Team – the specialist team that take responsibility for (most) children in care from age 16 and see them through to the end of their care episode. The team helps to find accommodation and either work or continued study.
LPM	Legal Planning Meeting
LSCB	Local Safeguarding Children's Board
MACIE	Multi-Agency Child Investigation Exercise
MARAC	Multi-Agency Risk Assessment Conference
MAPPA	Multi Agency Public Protection Arrangements

MPS	Metropolitan Police Service
NMUH	North Middlesex University Hospital Trust
NAI	Non accidental injury
NQSW	Newly Qualified Social Worker
Ofsted	Office for Standards in Education – undertake inspections on children’s services including safeguarding
PCT	Primary Care Trust
PEP	Personal Education Plan – required for every looked after child in education
R&A	Referral & Assessment
SCR	Serious Case Review
SPE	Single Point of Entry
SPSG	Safeguarding Plan Steering Group
SPPP	Safeguarding Policy & Practice Panel
SW	Social Worker(s)
UNM	Unaccompanied Minor(s) – children under 18 who have come to this country from abroad without a parent or other attached adult