

Child Safeguarding Practice Reviews (CSPR)



These reviews happen when a child has been harmed because someone didn't take care of them properly.

Each review involves people from different services, like the council, health or police, who work together to find out what went wrong.

What they learn helps other children stay safe and helps them to improve how they work.

You might be asked to help, and this leaflet tells you more.

The people in the review do lots of things, they:

- Try to understand what happened.
- See how different helpers (like teachers, doctors, and police) work together.
- Think about what could have been done better.
- Come up with ideas to help keep children safe.
- Listen to what the child and their family have to say.
- Help everyone learn and improve.



What will happen if I take part in the review?

You don't have to talk if you don't want to.

You and your family might be asked to talk about what happened.

The grown-ups will be kind and let you take breaks.

You can ask questions anytime.

A report will be written, but it won't use your real name.

You and your family will be kept updated throughout, and at the end of the review.

Who will help me?

There is a special grown-up called a **Lead Reviewer**. They aren't involved with the people who work with you, so they can be trusted to be fair.

They make sure everyone gets to share their thoughts.

They help people learn from what has happened.

There's also a team called the **Safeguarding Children's Partnership**. They make sure the review runs properly and will answer your questions.

They will tell you what is happening and keep you updated.

What you say is really important. It can help other children feel safe and cared for and can help make things better for everyone





What do these words mean?

Abuse: When someone hurts you or treats you badly. That is never okay, and it's never your fault.

Neglect: When someone doesn't give you the things you need, like food, clothes, love, or a safe place to live.

Safe: Feeling okay, not scared, and being looked after.

Review: Looking back at what happened to see how to make things better.

For more information about the Warwickshire Safeguarding Children Partnership go to **www.safeguardingwarwickshire.co.uk**

Contact Childline if you need extra help or someone to talk to **www.childline.org.uk** or call **0800 1111**.