

Safeguarding for Equestrians – Quiz Answers

Q1 In England a child is defined as someone under the age of:

- A. 25 years if child has a disability B. 21 years **C. 18 years** D. 16 years

Q2 Name the principal piece of government safeguarding guidance for all organisations working with children.

Answer: Working together to Safeguarding Children 2018 (updated 2020)

Q3 How many categories of child abuse are there? Can you name them?

Answer: 4 categories Physical, Sexual, Emotional & Neglect.

Q4 How many categories of adult abuse are there? Can you name them?

Answer: 10 categories of Adult Abuse listed in the Care Act 2014 Physical Abuse • Sexual Abuse • Psychological or Emotional Abuse • Neglect or Acts of Omission • Financial or Material Abuse • Discriminatory Abuse • Self Neglect • Domestic Abuse • Modern Slavery • Organisational Abuse

Additional Types of harm and links to further information:

[What is Self-Neglect?](#)

[What is Modern Slavery?](#)

[Disability & Domestic Abuse](#)

[What is Discriminatory Abuse?](#)

[What is Organisational Abuse?](#)

[What is Physical Abuse?](#)

[What is Sexual Abuse?](#)

[What is Financial Abuse?](#)

[What is Neglect?](#)

[What is Emotional Abuse?](#)

[What is Cyber Bullying?](#)

[What is Forced Marriage?](#)

[What is Disability Hate Crime?](#)

[What is the Prevent Agenda?](#)

Q5 When surveyed, what do the majority of children identify as their main concern?

- A. Online grooming **B. Peer bullying** C. Street Crime D. Intimidation by Adults E. Sexual Assault

Q7 Sports Organisations report the majority of safeguarding cases they deal with involve:

- A. Physical abuse **B. poor practice** C. peer bullying D. sexual abuse E. online grooming

True or False

- Those abused are usually abused by strangers True/**False**
90% of abuse is carried out by someone who is known and trusted
- Disabled children are more likely to be abused True/**False**
60% more likely (30% adults)– talk through why
- Those being abused may not know they are abused True/**False**
Particularly when young or if lacking capacity
- Abusers come from deprived backgrounds and are of below average intelligence True/**False**
no socio-economic commonality between abusers
- By June 2020 the average number of weekly calls and contacts to Refuge's National and Domestic Abuse helpline had increased by 77% True/**False**
Reports further reached new heights as restrictions eased partly driven by the need for emergency accommodation
- Children are resilient and recover quickly from abuse True/**False**
9/10 children who are abused develop mental health issues
- Female adults are more likely to be abused than male adults True/**False**
(60% F / 40% M) Around one in four women (25%; 5.1 million) and around one in six men (16%; 3.3 million) experienced abuse before the age of 16 years.
- Physical abuse is the most common form of abuse reported True/**False**
Neglect is the most common for both adults 32% and children 46%
- Older Children are twice as likely to report seeing something worrying or nasty online compared to younger children True/**False**
Lockdown increased the online use for education and entertainment online purposes and also increased the risk of online abuse with less supervision and intervention by overstretched moderators.
- The proportion of Childline counselling sessions with adolescents about mental/emotional health has increased every year for the last six years. True/**False**
- Being regular contact with children qualifies a person for a DBS Check. True/**False**
Anyone employed to be a coach or instructor of children's sports whose duties include teaching, training or instructing children, or providing advice or guidance to children relating to their physical, emotional or educational well-being, is eligible for an enhanced check with a children's barred list check. This is because they are performing regulated activity with children if the period condition is met. The period condition is: • at any time on more than three days in any period of 30 days, or • at any time between 2am and 6am with the opportunity for face-to-face contact with children.
Important to note - If they are performing these activities more than once but not enough to meet the period condition they are eligible for an enhanced check without any barred list check.

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These statistics are for all of UK and are NOT sports based. We don't mean to scare you... but this is the reality of the society we are in today. THESE STATISTICS REINFORCE THE REASON WE ARE ALL HERE TODAY ON A SAFEGUARDING WORKSHOP.