

Child Sexual Exploitation: **SAFEGUARD**

Sexual exploitation of children and young people under 18 involves exploitative situations, contexts and relationships where young people (or a third person or persons) receive 'something' (food, accommodation, drugs, alcohol, cigarettes, affection, gifts, money) as a result of them performing, and/or another or others performing on them sexual activities.

S Sexual health & behaviour

A Absent from school/home/care & repeated runaway

F Familial abuse/problems at home

E Emotional/physical condition

G Gangs & older groups

U Use of technology & sexual bullying

A Alcohol & drug misuse

R Receipt of unexplained gifts/money

D Distrust of authority figures



Remember...

Members of the public may refer to reports of CSE as Operation Willow. Call **101**, quote 'Operation Willow' or call the Say Something Helpline anonymously on **116 000**.