

Young people's sexual health: CORE



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Introductions

- Name
- Pronouns
- Role
- Organisation





Introductions and setting the scene

Talking about bodies and sex

Gender stereotypes and young people's relationships

Inclusive sexual health and understanding LGBT+ identities

Pleasure and safeguarding

Consent

Pornography

Signposting to sexual health services



Increased confidence in supporting young people with their sexual health needs

Increased understanding of the impact of gender stereotypes, media and social norms on young people's sexual health and relationships

Gain knowledge of inclusive sexual health and LGBT+ identities

Increased knowledge of current sexual health issues for young people (For example, consent, pornography and signposting to services)

Learning Outcomes

Poll

Safer space agreement

word cloud

- Language
- Respect
- Challenge the statement
- Confidentiality
- Participate at your own space



Education, Services and Information



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Scottish national RSHP resource for 3-18 years <u>WWW.rshp.scot</u> POIL

exual health and parenthood (RSHP) education for children and young people. The colleges and community-based learning. It is organised to sit within Curriculum for

ribed, you will be kept informed of any developments in the delivery of RSHP ed.

/ resource will, in the course of this school year, be provided in Gaelic. To undertake the /S Western Isles to complete the work. Please watch out for updates across the coming term

∠an, fallaineachd feise agus Foghlam phàrantachd (RSHP) do chloinn agus do dhaoin' òga. Le , dh goireas RSHP air a thoirt thugaibh ann an Gàidhlig thairis air a' bhliadhna sgoile seo. Gus seo , aidh a' ghoireis ag obair còmhla ris an t-seirbheis slàinte sna h-Eileanan an Iar. Cumaibh sùil a-mach





- Safe place to talk about sexual health and relationships
- ✓ Local trusted adult
- Confidential
- ✓ Non-judgemental & friendly







<u>Find services near me – Healthy Respect</u>



Information

- ✓ Up to date sexual health and relationship information
 ✓ Great tool to support
 - conversations with young people

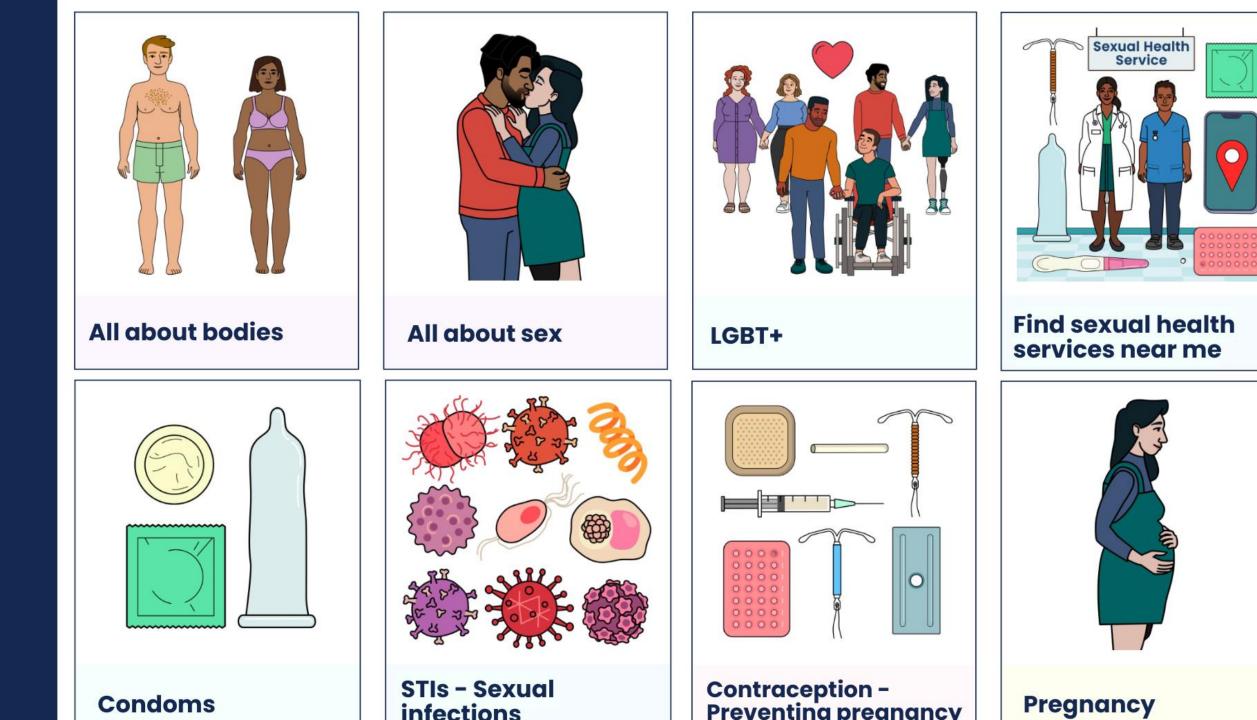
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 Easy to Understand (ETU) accessible sexual health and relationships information for young people with learning disabilities









Coming soon



My sexual health rights



Online safety



Relationships

What is sexual health?





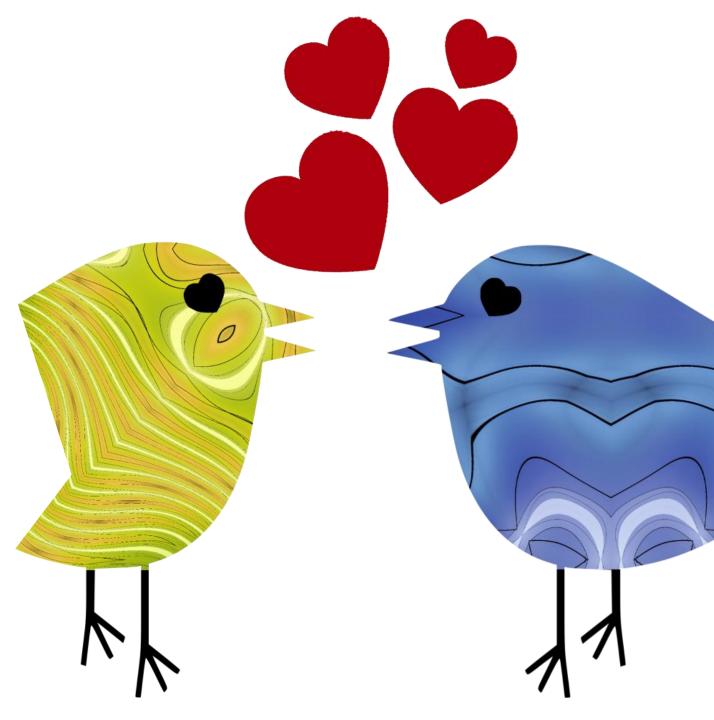
World Health Organization

"...a state of physical, emotional, mental and **social wellbeing** in relation to sexuality; it is not merely the absence of disease, dysfunction or infirmity. Sexual health requires a positive and respectful approach to sexuality and sexual relationships, as well as the possibility of having pleasurable and safe sexual experiences, free of coercion, discrimination and violence. For sexual health to be attained and maintained, the **sexual rights** of all persons must be respected, protected and fulfilled." (World Health Organisation)

Achieving sexual health & well-being

depends on a persons;

- access to comprehensive, goodquality information about sex and sexuality;
- knowledge about the risks they may face and their vulnerability to adverse consequences of unprotected sexual activity;
- ability to access sexual health care;
- living in an environment that affirms and promotes sexual health.





What is going on for young people and their sexual health?



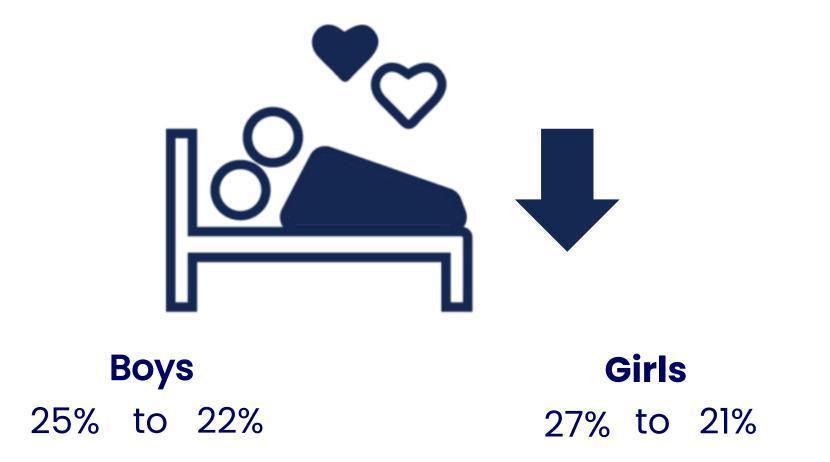
What do we know about young people's sexual activity? Poll

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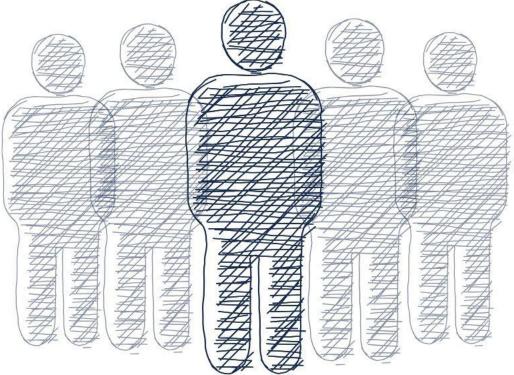


Findings from the HBSC 2022 Survey in Scotland Executive Summary (gla.ac.uk)

Since 1990, prevalence of sexual intercourse among 15-year-olds has fallen



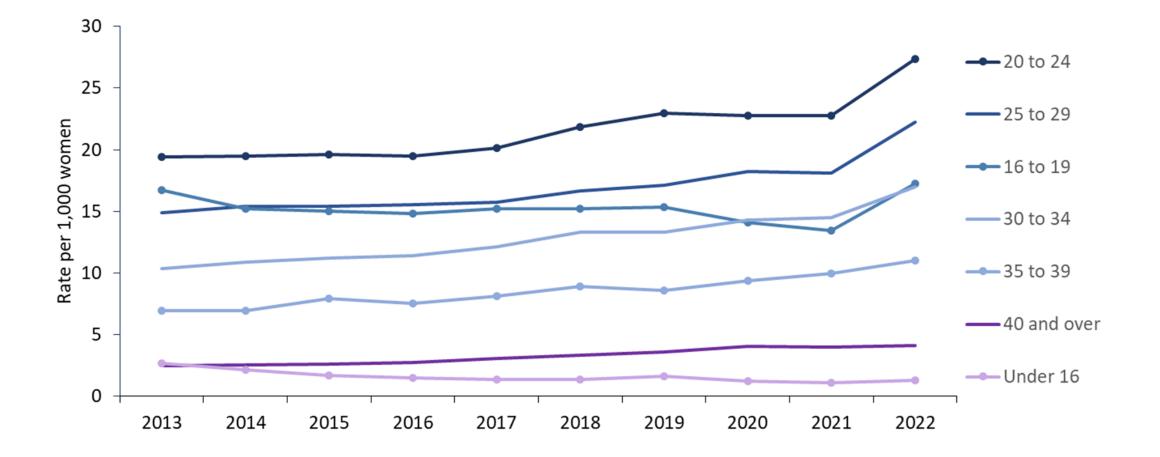


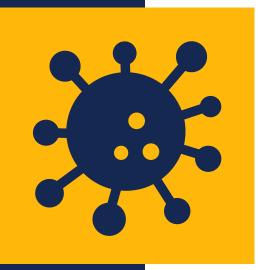


Teenage pregnancy

- The teenage pregnancy rate in Scotland rose for the first time in over a decade.
- Increasing from 23.2 per 1,000 women in 2021 to 27.1 in 2022.
- Published in July 2024, end date of info Dec 2022.
- Increase mostly driven by pregnancies in those aged between 17 and 19 years.
- Under 16's accounted for 5% of teenage pregnancies and under 18's for 32%.
- The vast majority (68%) were to those aged 18 and 19 at conception
- Under 18s accounting for around a third of teenage pregnancies in recent years

Abortion rates





Long term impact of Covid

- Access to services
- Inequalities
- RSHP Gaps
- Cost of living crisis
- Hormone hesitancy

Talking about bodies & sex





Why can it be so difficult?

- Anatomically correct words for body parts
- Growing up not talking about sex & bodies
- Uncomfortable seen as sexual words
- Reflects society's shaming attitudes towards bodies and sex
- Often it is easier to resort to slang or euphemisms (early years)
- It can be embarrassing, and that's ok





Sexual Activity	



Discussion

- Common/slang words
- Clarify words you have not heard of
- Discuss words that are liked and those that are disliked or create a strong emotive response
- Any words around power or gender?

Intimate	body	parts
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Sexual Activities

Fanny Vagina Slash Hole Cunt Flower Penis, Willy, Cock, dick, Bell end, Knob Boobs, tits Vulva

'Doing it', shagging, riding Sex, humping Sexual intercourse, banging BJ, Oral sex 69er shifting Pearl necklace Anal Touching **Kissing**



Pleasure



Boys produced negative narratives in relation to sex and relationships; frequently used words were **"bad"** and **"dirty"** to describe sexual acts. Lack of any positive words or pleasure.

Discourses surrounding perceptions of sexual health repeatedly produced a clean versus dirty dichotomy.

Personal hygiene, visual appearance of genitals, and the absence of infection were incorporated into the meaning of being clean and therefore sexually healthy.

This reflected the focus on the negative consequences of sex from the messages often received in experiences of sex and relationships education within schools. **MacGilleEathain, R (2017)**

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Do we talk to young people about pleasure?

1. Do you talk about the pleasurable & enjoyable aspects of sex with young people?

2. If you don't, what are some of the reasons why?

Pleasure & Safeguarding

- Understanding pleasure is an essential part of safeguarding – if young people don't know how it's supposed to feel, how will they know if it doesn't feel okay?
- If they are not enjoying it (emotionally as well as physically) –why are they doing it, are they being coerced or pressured? Is it about expectations?

Supporting resources









Good sex guide - LGBT Youth Scotland

Supporting resources

- www.rshp.scot
 - Second level: My senses things I like, things I don't like <u>https://rshp.scot/second-level/#mysenses</u>
 - Third and fourth level: My body now: Part 2: How my body changes as I grow <u>https://rshp.scot/third-fourth-</u> <u>level/#mybodynow</u>
 - Third and fourth level: My body now: Part 4: Masturbation
 https://rshp.scot/third-fourth-level/#mybodynow
 - Third and fourth level: Sexual intercourse: Pressure, pleasure and first-time sex <u>https://rshp.scot/third-fourth-level/#sexualpleasure</u>
 - Senior Phase: Make it good relationships Part 4: The sexual relationship I want <u>https://rshp.scot/senior-</u> <u>phase/#makeitgood</u>
- <u>www.childline.org.uk</u>

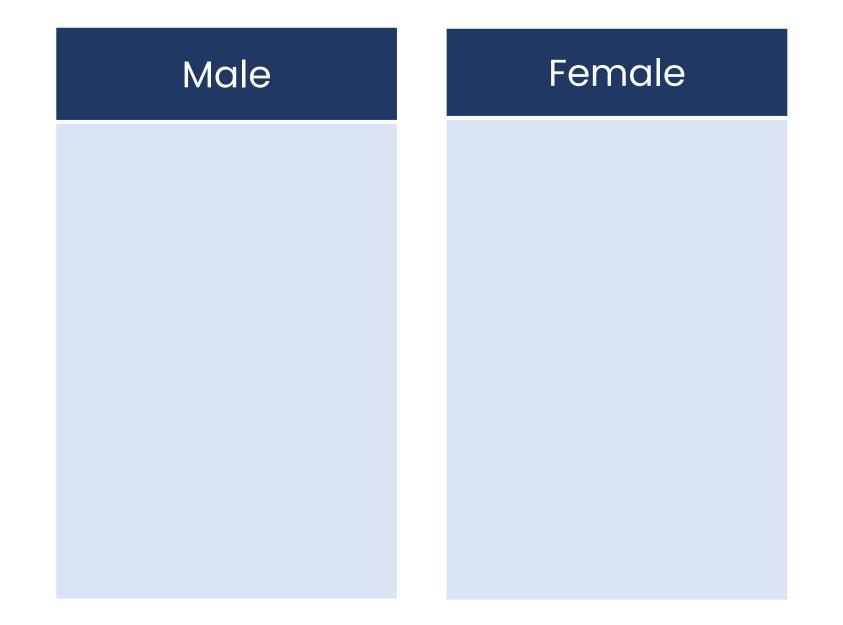




Break



Gender stereotypes, relationships, sexual health and wellbeing



GENDER BOX

FEMALE

MALE

slut whore

bitch

slag

caring, should look good, gentle, kind, passive, peacekeeper, carer, Mum, emotional, weak, needs looking needs after, protecting, responsible, pretty, petite, Easy to talk to, able to compromise, look after people, submissive, sex object,

tramp

jessie

gimp

tease

easy

gay

strong, dominant, doesn't cry, in control, can handle things, muscular/fit, brave, powerful, hero, sporty, earns money, drives fast cars, player, can get women, doesn't show emotions, fighting, macho protector, provider, drinker, football, DIY, builder, manager,

poof

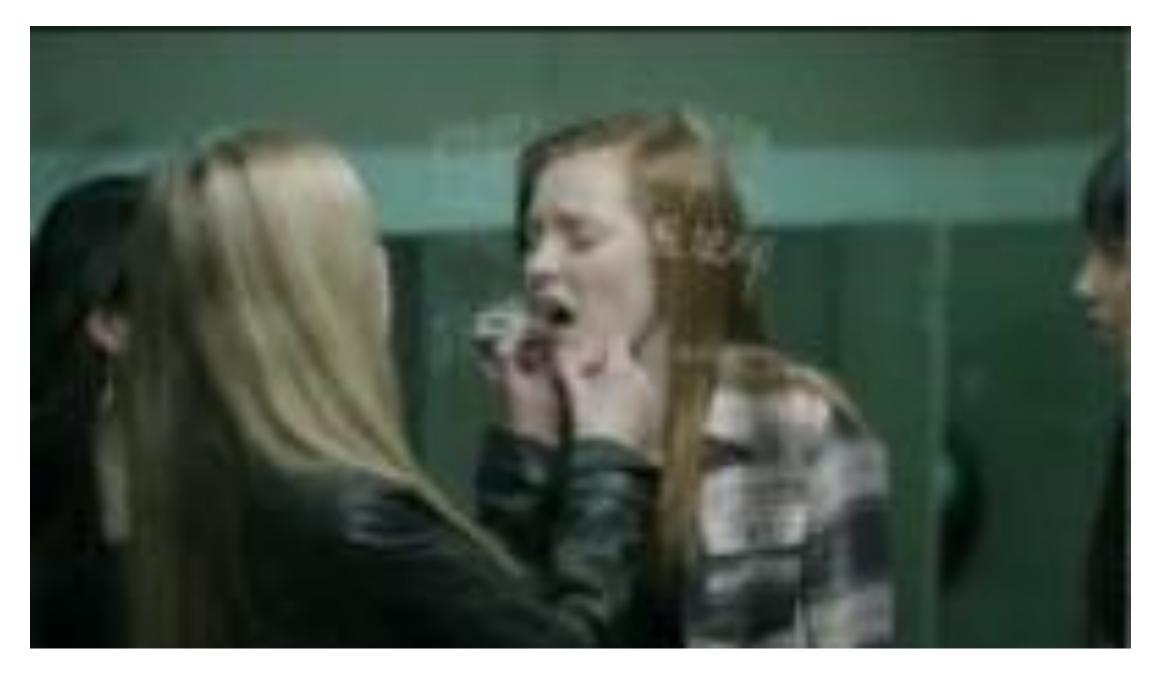
big girls blouse

wuss

sissy



mentors in violence prevention



(78) TAASA - Break The Box - YouTube

Impact on young people's sex and relationships Influence of porn

Healthy relationships

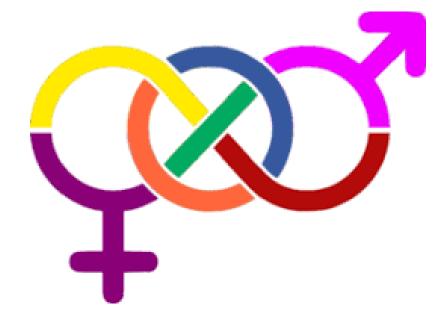
Consent

Contraception, condoms, STI's & pregnancy

- What do we mean by an inclusive approach?
- What groups or types of needs might we need to consider?

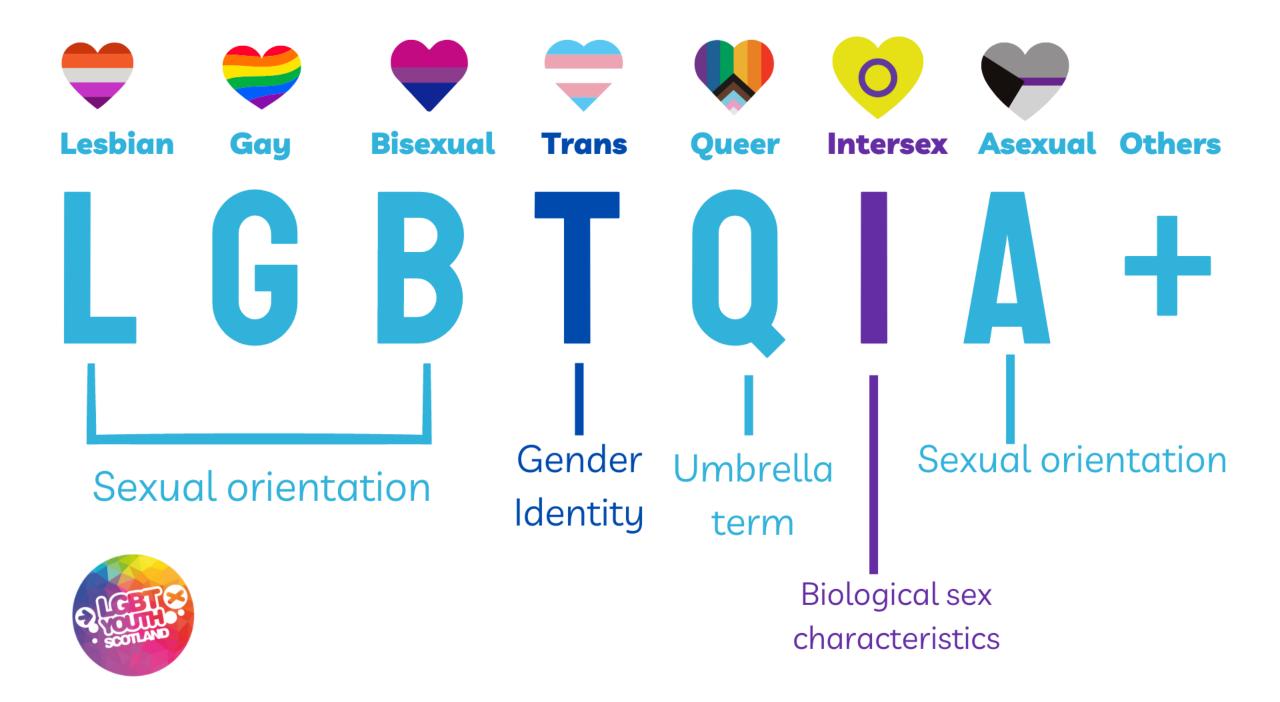


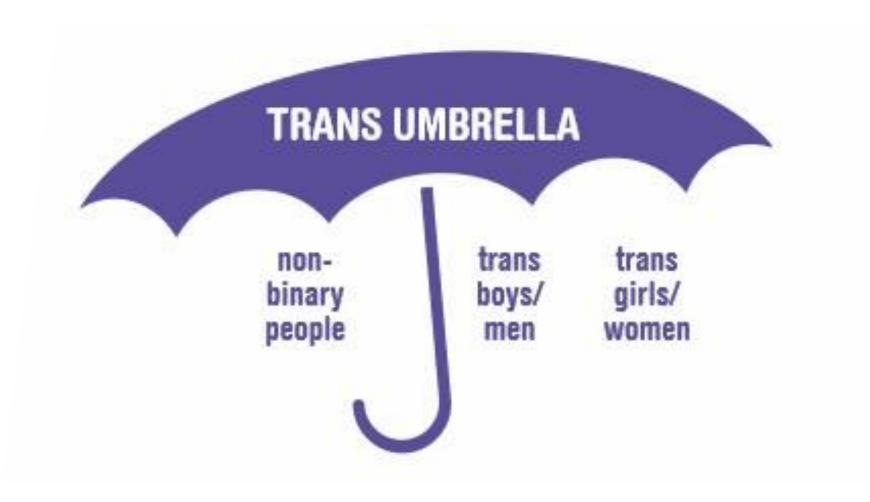




Understanding LGBT+ identities







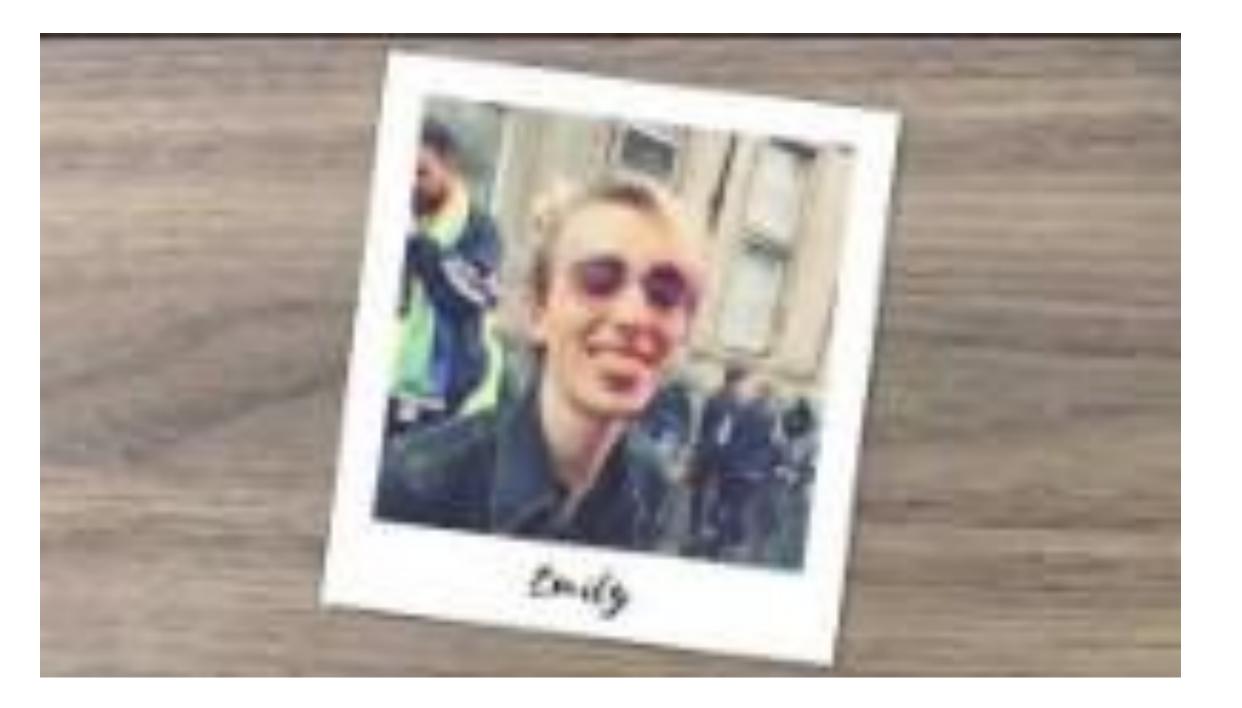
The Transgender Umbrella







<u> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PivoF1SFBqk&t=1s</u>



Intersex (VSC)

Someone whose biological sex is different in some way from what is traditionally considered clearly male or female.

VSC - Variations of Sex Characteristics

What's It Like To Be Intersex? What It's Like To Be Intersex (youtube.com)



Is Scotland a good place to be LGBT?



- Only 25% of the people who have received formal sex education classes have seen LGBTI topics discussed within them.
- Only 10% of participants rated the experience of school for LGBT people as 'good'.
- 70% of gay/lesbian participants report experiencing bullying due to their sexual orientation



LGBTYS LiS e-use (lgbtyouth.org.uk)

Sexual Orientation <u>www.rshp.scot</u> (First and second level)

Lesbian A woman who falls in love with another woman. Gay A man who falls in love with another man AND A woman who falls in love with another woman.

Bisexual A person who can fall in love with either a man or a woman.



Sexual Orientation <u>www.rshp.scot</u> (First and second level)

Lesbian A woman who is emotionally and/or physically attracted to another woman. Gay Someone who is emotionally and/or physically attracted to people of the same gender. Bisexual Someone who is emotionally and/or physically attracted to people of more than one gender.

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Transgender in RSHP

Transgender – (Primary)

If a person describes themselves as **transgender** (sometimes people just say **trans**) they feel that the sex they were born doesn't match how they feel inside.

A **transgender woman** lives as a woman today but was born a boy.

A transgender man lives as a man today but was born a girl.

Transphobia

https://rshp.scot/second-level/#fairandequal

Transgender (S1+)

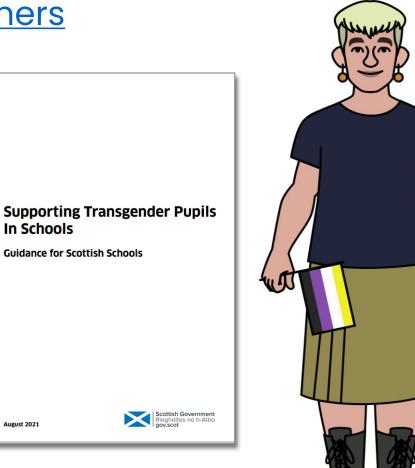
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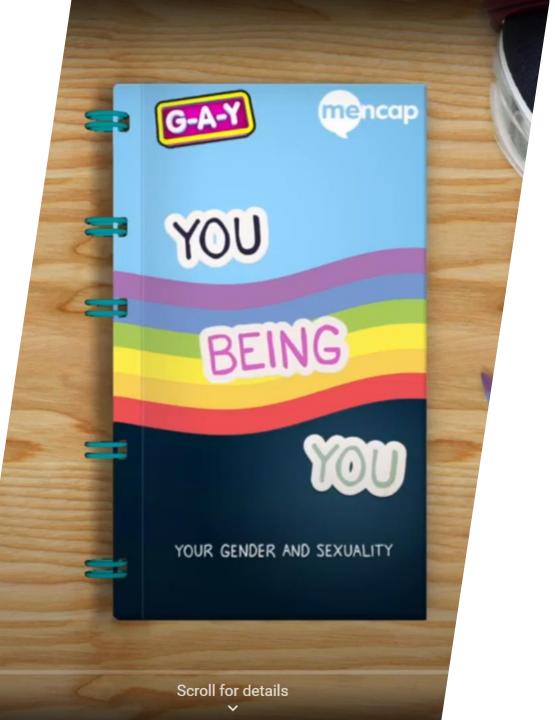
<u>Supporting transgender pupils in</u> <u>schools - Guidance for practitioners</u>

Key messages

- Best interests of the young person
- Rights
- Confidentiality
- Not a child protection concern
- Responsibility to stay up to date with inclusion (Managers/Staff)







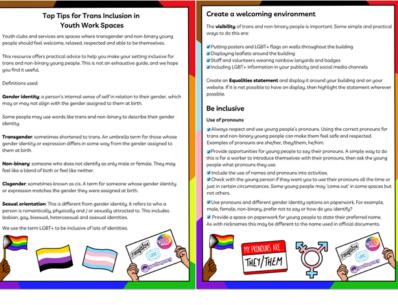
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Top tips for trans inclusion and youth workspaces

- Definitions
- Creating a welcoming environment: visibility, equalities statement
- Be inclusive: use of pronouns •
- Use gender inclusive language •
- Create a safe environment
- Challenge Homophobia biphobia transphobia and gender stereotypes
- Youth work programmes and activities
- Recognise intersectionality ٠
- With useful links and support •
- Download here Blog: Introducing the Top Tips for Trans Inclusion in • Youth Work Spaces | LGBT Youth Scotland | LGBT Youth Scotland





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Implications for our practice

Don't assume.....

- Everyone is heterosexual
- Everyone is cisgender (anyone who is not trans or nonbinary)
- That everyone will want a relationship and/or sex
- > That everyone will want or be able to have children
- **That babies come into families in the same way**

LGBT Youth Scotland

www.lgbtyouth.org.uk

Life in Scotland for LGBT young people

https://lgbtyouth.org.uk/media/1354/life-in-scotlandfor-lgbt-young-people.pdf

#OurLives: Trans Youth in Focus

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PivoF1SFBqk







Lunch break

Recap group agreement

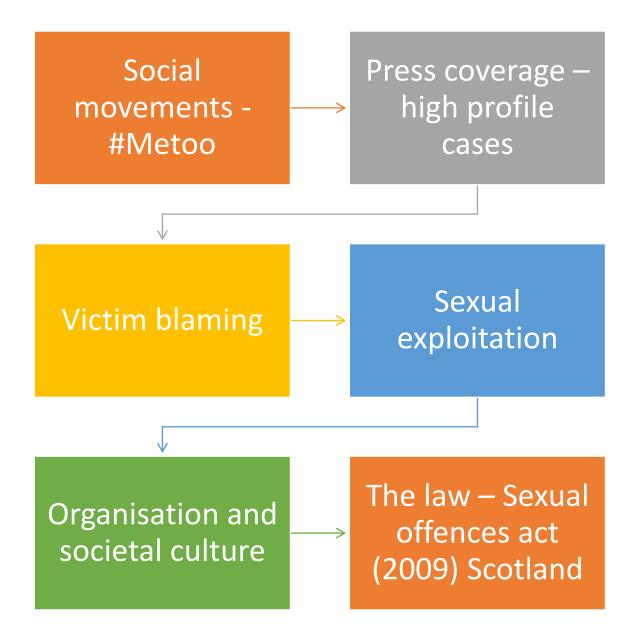








How is our current understanding of consent shaped?





Sexual Consent and the law

In Scottish law consent is now defined as "free agreement".

 Can you list up to 6 situations where a person may not be able to give proper consent?



Unable to give consent

- Drugs or alcohol
- Held against their will
- Asleep or unconscious
- Mental disorder where they do not have the capacity to consent.
- Being forced with fear of violence



What is free agreement?

Free agreement' is: willing, freely chosen, active, positive participation. It must be actively given at the time and not presumed. It can be withdrawn at any time, by anyone. For example, just because someone agreed to sex the last time, does not mean they have agreed to sex every time.



Rape

Rape, attempted rape and assault with intent to rape: 'rape' is when a penis is used to penetrate someone's vagina, anus or mouth without their consent (the person did not agree to it). The victim of the offence can be of any gender.



Sexual assault by penetration

....is when the someone sexually penetrates the vagina or anus of another person without their consent. The penetration could involve a part of the attacker's body (for example a finger) or an object (for example a bottle or a vibrator).



The offence of **'sexual assault**' makes it a crime to do any of the following without the person's consent and any reasonable belief that they consented:

Penetrate	Sexually penetrate the vagina, anus or mouth
Touch	Sexually touch the victim
Engage in	Engage in any other form of sexual activity which results in physical contact with the victim, directly, through clothing, with a part of the body or an object
Ejaculate	Ejaculate semen onto the victim or urinate or emit saliva onto the victim sexually

What is the age of consent in Scotland?

16 years old, regardless of sexual orientation or gender Local Underage sexual activity guidance National Under-age Sexual Activity Guidance

For under aged sexual activity the law splits children into two groups

Older children are those who are **13, 14 or 15** years old, Sexual Offences (Scotland) Act 2009

Younger children are those who are **12 and under** (up to and including 12 but not yet 13)

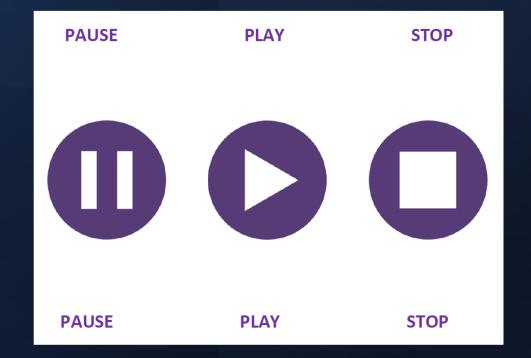
Older group 'Teenage consensual sex'

In some circumstances the age of consent rises to 18 years

 It is an offence for a person in a position of trust (e.g. a teacher, youth worker or a carer) to engage in sexual activity with a child under the age of 18 or a person with a mental disorder.

Consent Activity





In small groups (10 minutes)

'Play' means if you see/hear this, this person is consenting

'Pause' means if you see/hear this it's not clear so pause and check it out

'Stop' means if you see/hear this they do not consent so you have to stop what you're doing





A sexual health campaign about consent

Targeting 16 – 19 year olds



NHS Awkward Moments

<u>Link to key-</u> <u>messagesforyoung</u> <u>people about healthy-</u> <u>relationships & consent</u>

Key Messages for Young People on Healthy Relationships and Consent

A resource for professionals working with young people



Key messages for consent....

Sought not assumed Under the influence Alcohol/Drugs

Consent for each sexual activity

Consent can be withdrawn at anytime

You need consent in a relationship

Check-in and communicate with your partner

Enjoyment and pleasure

Further Resources and support

Thinkuknow (CEOP Education)

Aimed at 14+ but also clear importance key messages for workers to refer to.

Viewing pornography online

Childline

For children 12+

https://www.childline.org.uk/infoadvice/bullying-abuse-safety/onlinemobile-safety/online-porn/

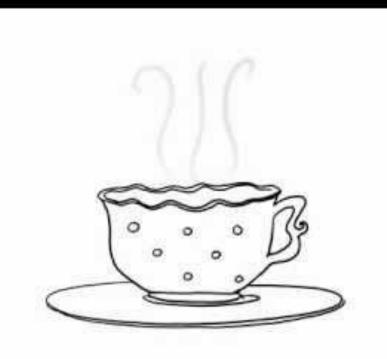
Shore

A safe space for teenagers worried about sexual behaviours.

Home - Shore (shorespace.org.uk)



Tea & Consent (199) Tea and <u>Consent -</u> <u>YouTube</u>









Lunch break

Recap group agreement





Ice breaker



INTRODUCTION

The word "pornography" has come to the English language from the Greek language i.e. 'Pornographos' (porne prostitute + graphien write)

- The word 'porno' means 'prostitution', that implies that the subject is not love, or love at all, but domination & violence against women.
- The word "graphos" means 'writing about' o 'description of which puts still mon distance between the subject & object'.

Pornography and young people

Aim of session:

Explore how we can support young people who come into contact with pornography to become critical viewers and know where to seek support when it is needed





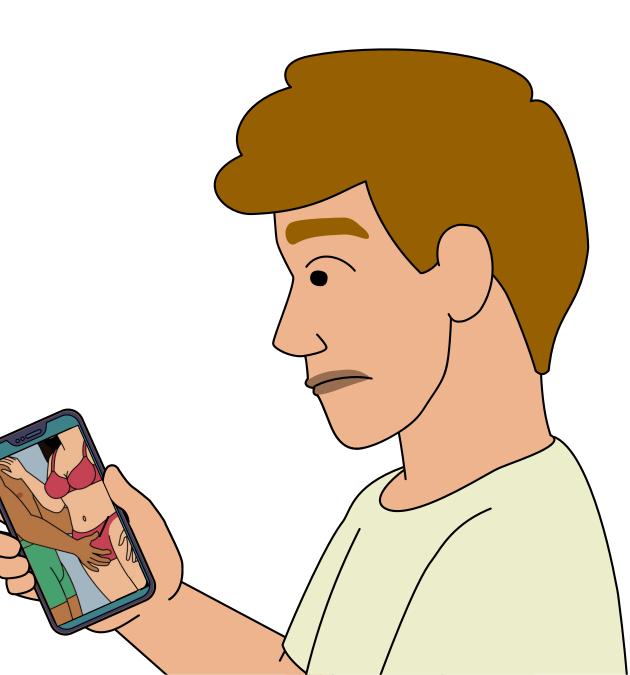
This can be an emotive topic

What is going on?

- High speed internet
- Content
- Access
- Self-generated



Underage Exposure Can be defined as any exposure to porn before age of 18.

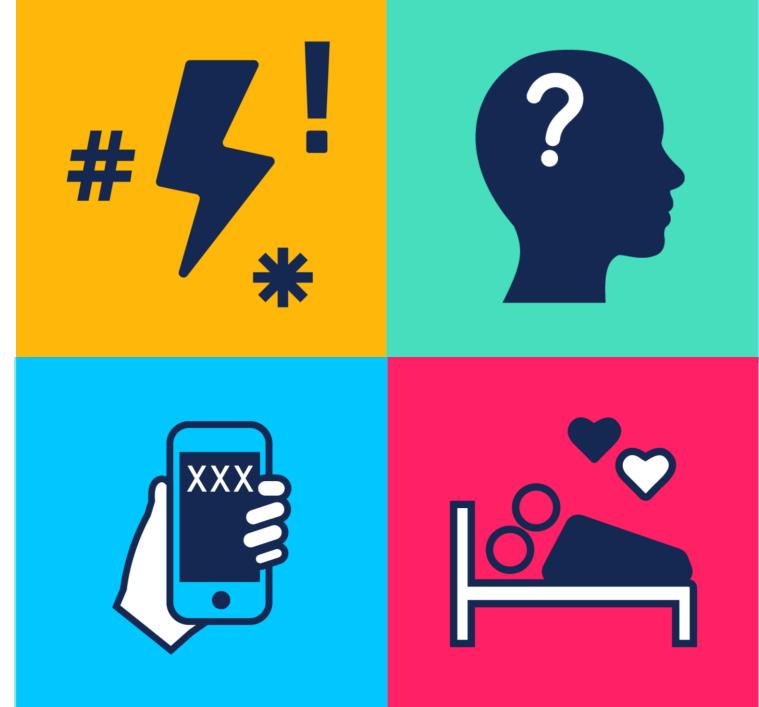


"It isn't illegal for children and young people under 18 to watch porn, but it is against the law to show anyone under the age of 18 porn or give them access to it." -NSPCC



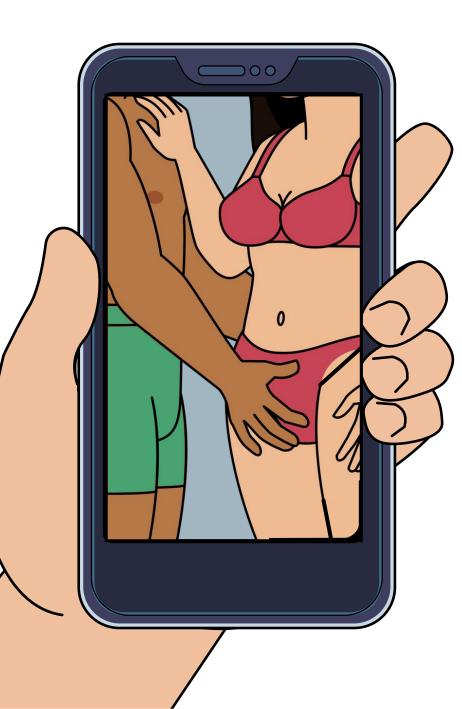
Discussion

- What are some of the reasons young people might watch porn?
- What might be some of the risks for young people watching porn?



Porn in the 21st century

- Prolific across social media
- Available on social platforms (Reddit, X, snapchat etc.)
- Free and easily accessed
- Socially more acceptable/mainstream



- 62% of 11–13yrs who had seen pornography reporting that they stumbled across it unintentionally.
- 75% of parents did not believe their children had watched pornography (girls)
- LGBT young people (more likely to have early exposure)
- Violence (Choking) (BBFC Sept '19) BBFC 2019 - Children-see-pornography-as-young-as-seven
- 47% of teens report seeing content online they wish they hadn't seen (2020)

Half of children and teens exposed to harmful online content while in lockdown | BBFC

British Board of film research



Calum (18, Manchester)

(Reflecting on his first time having sex)

"I thought it was going to be a lot rougher and I wouldn't have to worry about hurting the girl, but it was completely different, and I had to be more careful."

(Reflecting on a subsequent sexual experience)

"I just thought as if it was like a porn video, and I was like okay I can do what I want with this girl because whatever I do she is enjoying it."

Quote from the BBFC study





Research suggests

- Gender differences in exposure and access to pornography
- affects children and young people's values and beliefs about sex and sexuality
- Can play a destructive role in young people's understanding of healthy relationships

And pornography has been linked to...

- Unrealistic attitudes about sex
- Harmful ideas about consent and agency



YP & Porn: shaping attitudes and behaviours?



Specific issues for young women included...

- Pressure both to engage and not to engage in sexual and/or sexualised behaviour, with a range of negative consequences for failing to negotiate the 'appropriate' balance.
- Pressure to conform to unrealistic beauty standards which result in negative body image.



"He's the stud and she's the slut" Young people's attitudes to pornography, sex and relationships





Specific issues for young men included...

- Pressure to conform to heterosexual male 'norms' of watching and approving of pornography
- Pressure to appear sexually experienced, which may lead to a rejection of sex education.



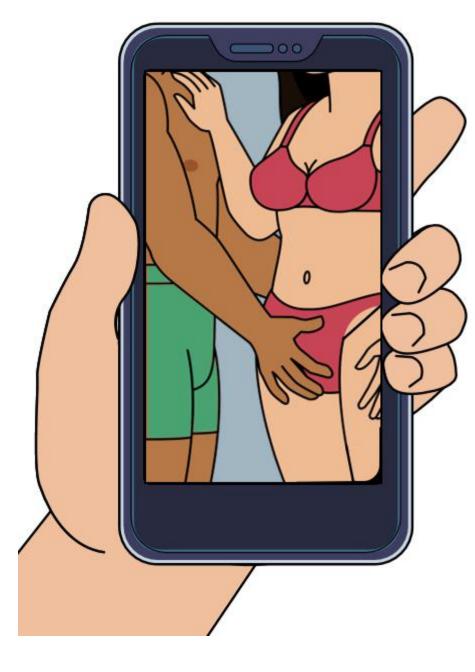
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What porn can young people easily access?







Ads By Traffic Junky

Hey ladies, check out our new popular with women category. Read about it on our blog »

Hot Porn Videos In United Kingdom 💥

+ More Videos

Remove Ads



British escort gets 2 creamples 416K views 1686%



Innocent schoolgirl in braids gets pounded & close up dripping 1.1M views 174%



3 ruined orgasms! 670K views 1673% 🥩



No fair - Part 211 got My revenge with HARDCORE ANAL FUCK WITH ANAL CREAMPIE XXX 296K views 📠 83% 🥪

Most Viewed Videos In United Kingdom 💥

+ More Videos



What titles are on page 1 and 2 of Porn Hub?

Incest

- Blonde stepsister tells little brother a bedtime story
- Devious little sister sucks step bro's cock
- Mum fucks in front of daughter
- Tricked little step sister into fuck and she loved it
- Step dad cons step daughter into photoshoot fuck

Underage/Teen

- Innocent school girl in braids gets pounded and close up dripping 1.1 million
- Teen flashing tits in crowded bar 167 K views
- Preggo teens first big black cock
- Teen girl gets her tight ass fucked

Pain/Extreme

- Her first extreme anal gangbang 24.7 K views
- "Stop you're in my ass" painful anal fucking 546K views

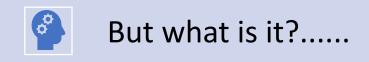


Boost in popularity since Covid-19



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Describes itself as social media that pays..





What is OnlyFans?

18+ online platform

- users (fans) pay for content (photos, videos, livestreams)
- made by "creators" usually YouTubers, fitness trainers, models, and other public figures.
- Been active since 2016 and currently has around <u>50 million registered</u> <u>users</u> (bringing in 7-8K new users per day)

We Need to Talk About OnlyFans - Ineqe Safeguarding Group

Activity

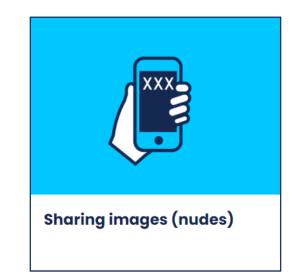


Further Resources and support

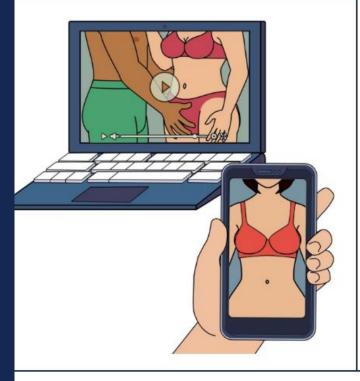
<u>Something else is on my mind? – Healthy Respect</u>







Porn – Healthy Respect



Porn (pornography) is any picture or video of private body parts or sexual touching made for sexual entertainment.



Working With Children And Young People Who Have Displayed Harmful Sexual Behaviour:

Evidence Based Guidance For Professionals Working With Children And Young People.

> Scottish Government Riaghaltas na h-Alba

<u>Working with Children and Young People</u> <u>Who Have Displayed Harmful Sexual</u> <u>Behaviour: Evidence Based Guidance For</u> <u>Professionals Working with Children and</u> <u>Young People (www.gov.scot)</u>

The continuum of sexual behaviour in childhood

Normal	Inappropriate	Problematic	Abusive	Violent
Developmentally expected	Single instances of inappropriate sexual behaviour	Problematic and concerning behaviours	Victimising intent or outcome	Physically violent sexual abuse
Socially acceptable	Socially acceptable behaviour within peer group	Developmentally unusual and socially unexpected	Includes misuse of power	Highly intrusive
Consensual, mutual, reciprocal	Context for behaviour may be inappropriate	No overt elements of victimisation	Coercion and force to ensure victim compliance	Instrumental violence which is physiologically and/ or sexually arousing to the perpetrator
Shared decision making	Generally consensual and reciprocal	Consent issues may be unclear	Intrusive	Sadism
		May lack reciprocity or equal power	Informed consent lacking, or not able to be freely given by victim	
		May include levels of compulsivity	May include elements of expressive violence	

Green	Amber	Red	
 Occasionally making light hearted sexual jokes with friends of a similar age 	Choosing to spend time viewing sexual pictures and videos over other hobbies	 Taking or sharing sexual pictures of someone without their consent Having sexual conversations or sharing sexual images with children much younger than themselves or with those that are particularly vulnerable Pressuring other young people or children to do sexual things online or offline, using threats, force, constant hassling or other types of manipulation 	
 Flirting or sending sexual images to someone the same age, if both consent 	 and interests they enjoy Sending pornography to others 		
Asking questions about sex and relationships	Using overly sexualised language		
 Looking at online information about sex and relationships 	Exploring extreme sexual fetishes, involving physical barm or illegel behaviour		
 Masturbating at home, when alone in a private space 	 harm or illegal behaviour Seeking sexual advice from untrustworthy sources 		
 Showing affection and experiencing physical 	such as pornography or unmoderated forums		
intimacy, such as kissing, hugging and holding hands	 Willingly engaging in sexual activity with someone of 	 Having sexual interactions with strangers (adults or other young people) online or offline 	
Sexual activity, including sexual touch, oral sex and	a similar age during early adolescence		
penetrative sex amongst older consenting teenagers	Sharing sexual pictures or videos of themselves with	 Looking at illegal sexual material, for example 	
Not having sexual feelings or choosing not to over a sexual here.	someone of a similar age. This might be common, but	involving animals, children or extreme violence	
experiment sexually	can be risky and it is illegal to possess, make or share a sexual picture or video of	 Having sexual contact with an animal 	
	someone under 18	Exposing their genitals	

Exposing their genitals in public or sending unsolicited pictures of their genitals to others

Teenage Sexual Behaviour (13-18)

Support

Confidential

Group work & interventions for adults 18+

Advice and training

Expert consultation and assessment for children (under 18) who have displayed harmful sexual behaviour

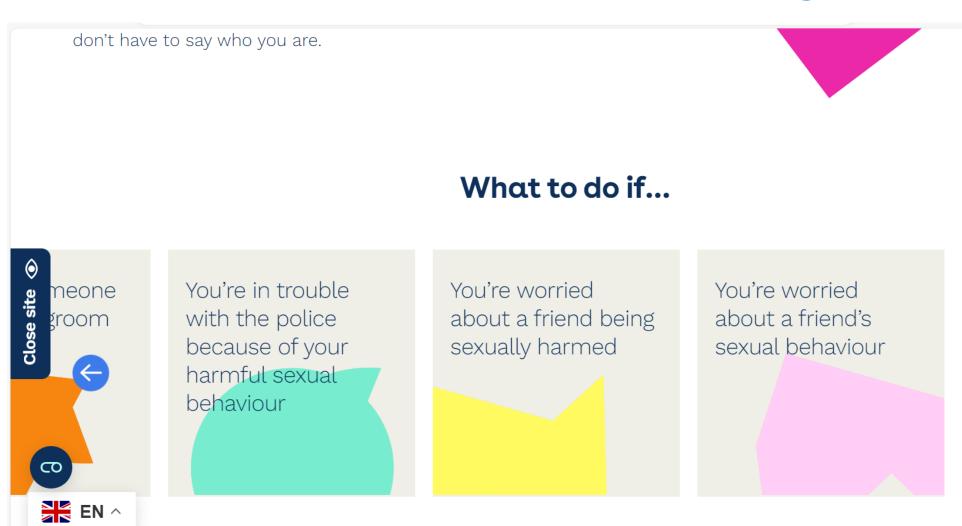
Scotland | Lucy Faithfull Foundation

Stop It Now! Helpline 0800 1000 900

The Stop It Now! helpline is available to anyone with any concerns or worries about child sexual abuse and its prevention. It is confidential and anonymous, with advice provided by child protection professionals. It can be used by parents and members of the public as well as professionals. Specific advice can be provided to anyone concerned about a young person's sexual behaviour. Adults can also receive support if they are worried about their own thoughts feelings and behaviours, or of those of someone known to them.

The helpline for free from the UK on **0808 1000 900**. Or you can use our live chat or send a secure email.

www.shorespace.org.uk



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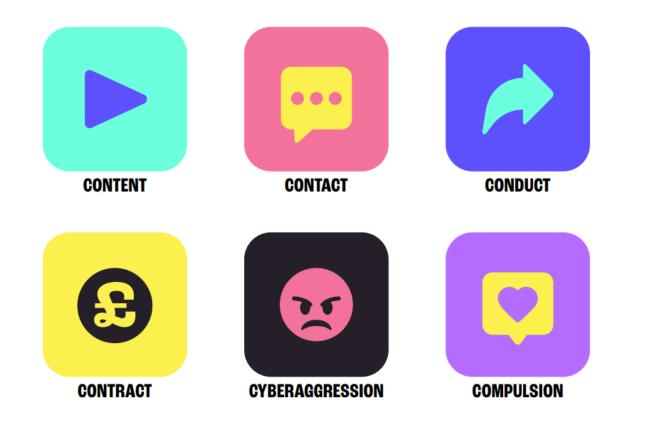
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Get help

<u>Resource Toolkit</u> Supporting young people to navigate social media safely and prevent violence



Further Resources and support

Thinkuknow (CEOP Education)

Aimed at 14+ but also clear importance key messages for workers to refer to.

Viewing pornography online

Childline

For children 12+

https://www.childline.org.uk/infoadvice/bullying-abuse-safety/onlinemobile-safety/online-porn/

Shore

A safe space for teenagers worried about sexual behaviours.

Home - Shore (shorespace.org.uk)



Further Resources and support

For parents/carers

<u>Worried about your child and online porn?</u> (thinkuknow.co.uk)

Online porn | NSPCC

Culture Reframed builds resilience and resistance in young people to hypersexualized media and pornography

Great for reference, update information and campaigns

https://www.culturereframed.org/

Follow on twitter @CulturereFramed







Signposting young people to sexual health services? Word









Bit of context

- Young people's use of sexual health services has been in decline
- The impact of the pandemic on young people's sexual wellbeing
- Gaps RSHP education widen even further
- Loss of relationships with trusted workers
- Attendance at sexual health clinical services in Lothian
- Scottish Government's SHBBV action plan



QUIZ





'Sexting' sharing images

- What age can you legally take, send or receive intimate images if consensual?
- 18 years



Sharing intimate images and consent

It is illegal to share images of people under the age of 18, even if they gave permission We all have a responsibility to respect each others' privacy and consent Think very carefully before asking for, or sending, intimate images

If you share an intimate image of yourself with another person you have a responsibility to make sure that you are happy to send it and you know the other person is happy to receive it.

NEVER share images, shared privately, with anyone else

If an image is shared without your consent, the person who did this has committed a crime and you have the right to report the matter to the police or tell another adult who you trust.



The age of consent in Scotland





Can a professional keep information about sexual activity confidential in respect to a young person under the age of 16?



- The child's right to confidentiality must be maintained where the circumstances indicate "teenage consensual" sexual activity.
- Child Protection significant harm
- Assessment

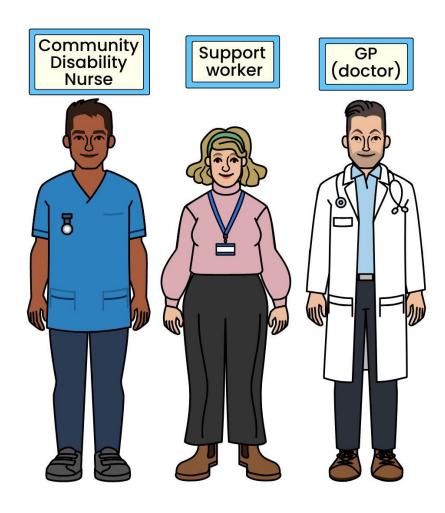
<u>What to expect from services – Healthy</u> <u>Respect</u> 16 years old, regardless of sexual orientation or gender Local Underage sexual activity guidance National Under-age Sexual Activity Guidance

For under aged sexual activity the law splits children into two groups

Older children are those who are **13, 14 or 15** years old, Sexual Offences (Scotland) Act 2009

Younger children are those who are **12 and under** (up to and including 12 but not yet 13)

Older group 'Teenage consensual sex'



It is an offence for a **person in a position of trust** (e.g. a teacher, youth worker or a carer) to engage in sexual activity with a child under



Can a young person get contraception under the age of 16 without their parents/carers being involved?

If young person has capacity Is likely to continue with sexual activity In their best interests



Sexual health services for young people





In partnership with





A sexual health service is a safe place:



- for young people to talk about relationships and sexual health.
- to talk to a trusted adult, such as a nurse, doctor or youth worker.







Young people aged 13 and older have the right to:



 free, confidential sexual health help, advice and treatment.





Young people aged 13 and older can get:



- free condoms
- pregnancy testing and advice
- STI testing and treatment
- emergency contraception
- contraception (pill, implant, coil)





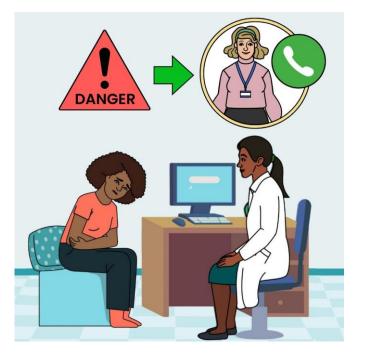
These services are confidential



This means the information you share with that service will stay private.







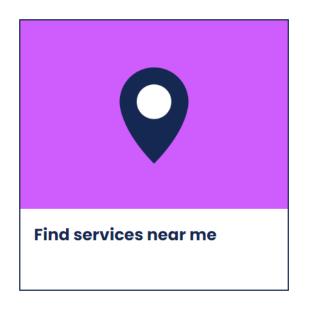
If the service thinks you are in danger or need further support, they may share some information with another professional to keep you safe.

Learn more about <u>confidentiality</u>





Where can young people find sexual health services?





Scan code or visit bit.ly/serviceslothian

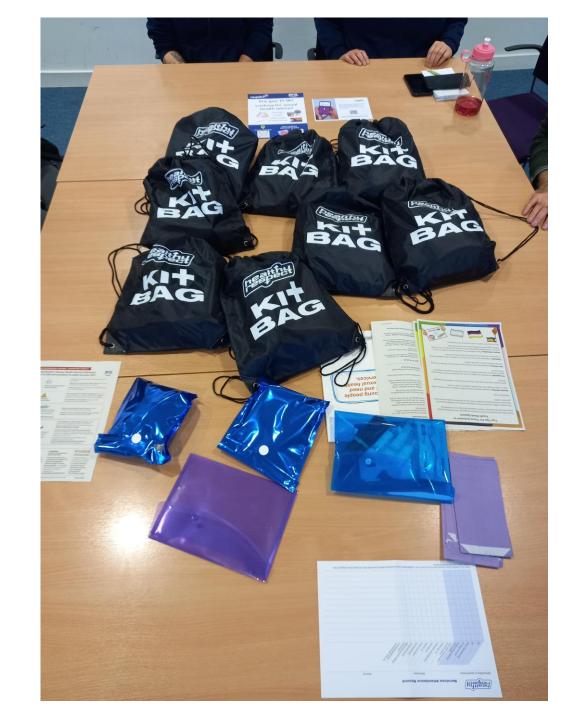




Talk to a school nurse



- NHS Lothian school nurse in every school.
- Get support, pregnancy testing and free condoms.
- They offer the same confidentiality.
- Ask your Pupil Support Leader about how to get an appointment.









Talk to a youth worker at a Healthy Respect drop-in



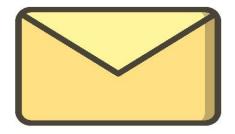
- Get support, pregnancy testing and free condoms.
- For more information choose 'Talk to a youth worker' from services list on <u>this page</u> or scan code





Get free condoms





at c:card points

by post.



Scan code or visit ccard.org.uk



Get emergency contraception



Free from any pharmacy or Healthy Respect + clinic

Scan code or find more here



Healthy Respect + young people's clinics in Lothian.



- pregnancy testing and advice
- STI testing and treatment
- emergency contraception
- contraception (pill, implant, coil)
- Talk to a trusted adult –
 Youthworker, Nurse or Doctor



Edinburgh

Healthy Respect + young people's clinic at Chalmers



For age 13-18

Monday to Thursdays 3:30pm to 7pm

Fridays 1pm – 3:30pm

There are no appointments, just come during the drop-in times.

Edinburgh

Healthy Respect + young people's clinic at Pennywell



For age 13+

Pennywell All Care Centre

Fridays 1pm – 3:30pm

There are no appointments, just come during the drop-in times.

Healthy Respect + young people's clinic at Tranent



For age 13+

Tranent Medical Practice

Tuesdays, 4:00pm to 5:00pm.

There are no appointments, just come during the drop-in times.

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Healthy Respect + young people's clinic at Croft St



For age 13+

Croft Street, Dalkeith

Tuesdays, 4pm – 7pm Fridays, 1pm – 4pm

There are no appointments, just come during the drop-in times.

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Find services



Bit.ly/services-lothian



How can we increase young people's uptake of services?





The more relaxed we are about discussing RSHP with young people, the stigma and fear is lessened, and we can 'normalise' the use of services and accessing condoms.

Young people's uptake of sexual health services increase when information about services is shared in educational settings.

• **Keep** - What is something I'm already on the right track with?

- **Start** What is something I will do differently now?
- **Stop** What is something I will no longer do?



LAYC Training Course:

Healthy Respect: Young People's Sexual Health (Core) (Thursday 7 November 2024, 9:15am - 3:30pm)

Thank you for attending this course.

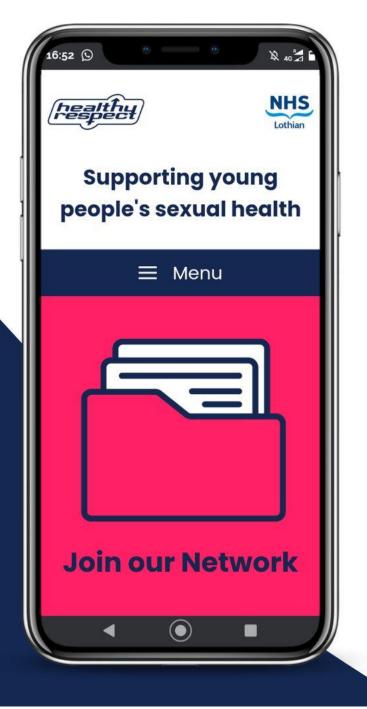
It is very important for us to gather feedback on our courses, please scan below for our survey form:



https://www.laycbookings.org.uk/evaluations/submit/7bfd2b

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Thank you



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