



## YMCA WiSE PROJECT

Supporting children and young people to stay safe

# Worried about grooming and exploitation?



YMCA WiSE Project can support parents and carers where a child is at risk of or experiencing sexual exploitation

### We can offer:

- ▶ 1 to 1 sessions to talk through any concerns and provide practical support and resources to help you keep your child safe
- ▶ Groups, workshops and information sessions
- ▶ Support to access other services, including YMCA family mediation services

### What is sexual exploitation?

Child sexual exploitation (CSE) is a type of sexual abuse. Children in exploitative situations and relationships receive something such as gifts, money or affection as a result of performing sexual activities or others performing sexual activities on them.

Children or young people may be tricked into believing they're in a loving, consensual relationship. They might be invited to parties and given drugs and alcohol. They may also be groomed and exploited online.

For further information and to access our service please contact the YMCA WiSE Project:

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