

Slough Early Years Service

Safeguarding Arrangements for Childminders

If in doubt always refer to First Contact (Social Care) or the Local Authority Designated Officer (LADO)

Disclosure has been made



Contact "First Contact" (immediately)

Tel: 01753 875362 (Office Hours)

Email: child.protection@slough.gcsx.gov.uk

Out of Hours Duty Team: 01344 786543

Email : EDT@bracknell-forest.gov.uk



Allegation against you or a family member



Contact "LADO" (within 24hrs)

Tel: 01753 474053

Email: LADO@slough.gcsx.gov.uk

Contact OFSTED (must be within 14 days)



Advise Ofsted of a referral to First Contact (Social Care) or in the case where a child goes missing or if you lose a child

Tel: 0300 123 4666 Email: CIE@ofsted.gov.uk

- Make a written record of who you have spoken with, date and time of the conversation and outcome
- If you have concerns that a criminal offence has been committed, please contact the police straight away
- If the Child / family are living out of Borough, please contact the relevant Local Authority

Please refer to the Safeguarding Cue Cards for further guidance on Local Procedures