



South West Child Protection Procedures



The new interactive, web-based **South West Child Protection Procedures** come into force from midnight on 31 January 2007!

You can access them at:

www.swcpp.org.uk

Core Procedures (NOW LIVE!)

The **Core Procedures** cover managing individual cases, from initial concern through to de-registration/ resolution of multi-agency child protection plan. For each topic, they include **Key Points**, **How to Do It** and **Lessons From Research**. Where they make reference to *Working Together 2006*, you will find links directly into the source text for easy reference.

In addition, a set of **appendices** provides additional clarification on specific issues and terms, for example *Signs and symptoms of possible child abuse*, *Parental responsibility*, *Child's voice* etc.

TIP: A five minute interactive **Tutorial Video** that takes you through how to use the new procedures is available on the **South West Child Protection Procedures** website (www.swcpp.org.uk).

Additional Procedures and Supplementary Guidance

Additional procedures and **supplementary guidance** are being developed by the South West Consortium over the coming months. This guidance will fully replace and expand on the protocols and practice guidance previously included in 'The Purple Book'. In the meantime, please refer to the existing additional guidance as provided through the **Swindon LSCB website**, www.swindonlscb.org.uk.

Swindon LSCB SW Child Protection Procedures Road Shows

Don't forget to join us on our road show bus to find out more about the new procedures! With short presentations ongoing throughout the day, you need to allow 20-30 minutes.

Monday 5 February

- 9.30 - 11.30 West Swindon Health Centre – at the side entrance
- 12.00 - 2.00 Great Western Hospital - outside Clover Ward
- 2.30 - 4.30 Civic Offices – at the front entrance (not Clarence House)

Tuesday 6 February

- 9.30 - 11.30 Gablecross Police Station* – behind the custody suite
- 12.00 - 2.00 Eldene Health Centre – in the staff car park
- 2.30 - 4.30 PCT (North Swindon District Centre) – in the back car park

* The session at Gablecross is primarily for Police personnel. Although staff from other agencies can attend this session, they will need to check in at reception and be escorted through. Parking is also limited and it may be necessary to park in the Sainsbury's car park.

