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Leicestershire

Guidance for New Child Impact Assessment Template for Section 7 reports

Applies to-

All Children

New Section 7 template

The Local Authority will now be using the new Child Impact Assessment Template for all section 7 reports. This is in line with CAF/CASS using this format nationally, and Leicester city also using this regionally. See the embedded icon for the blank template with guidance notes included.



Section 7 template
Child Impact Analysis

Key Points

- The changes are child centred with a focus on safeguarding and analysis of the impact on the child.
- The changes have been developed by CAF/CASS after their pilot of this template and the aim to produce a consistent template with ADCS.
- This template for Section 7 reports is now being used by CAF/CASS and Leicester City CFS.

Guidance and tools

- Please visit the CAF/CASS website for guidance and tools which sit alongside this template. <https://www.cafcass.gov.uk/grown-ups/professionals/ciaf/>