

Safeguarding ABC for TT



A – Awareness

- Abuse is not usually obvious to strangers
- The staff will know the children better than we do
- Remember special needs and behavioural issues
- Don't make assumptions or jump to conclusions
- Be vigilant and report any concerns
- Keep an eye on visitors

B – Behaviour

- Touch and contact should be child-initiated
- Whose needs are being met?
- Gentle , friendly and patient at all times
- Be careful what is said that could be misunderstood
- Watch out for over-eager adults
- Be vigilant and report any concerns

CRB – Criminal Records Bureau

- A new duty to report concerns
- Regular unsupervised access
- Check criminal records and other lists
- Not appropriate for all TT volunteers