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# CATCH22 STOKE & STAFFORDSHIRE

## Child Criminal Exploitation (CCE) Service

### Our work

We work with children and young people who are at risk of Child Criminal Exploitation (CCE) and/or involved in gangs. We deliver bespoke support and interventions to children and young people to build resilience and aspiration, empowering them to take control of their lives and supporting them to stay safe.

We also conduct awareness building workshops with children and parents in education settings.

# What do we offer?

## Direct Work

One of our experienced case workers will work 1-1 with children referred to our service to support exploited young people to find solutions and build awareness around issues related to CCE, gangs and County Lines. Families will also be included in this type of intervention where applicable and support will extend to parents and siblings

## Bespoke Work

We understand that where children are at risk, they may already have several professionals involved in their life. Bespoke work involves us upskilling another professional with whom the child has an existing and meaningful relationship and walking alongside them whilst they deliver the intervention to the young person.

## Lived Experience Mentors

To complement the delivery of Catch22's work, we will be utilising lived experience mentors. They will have the capacity to attend any of the above delivery sessions alongside Catch22 staff members and will assist in providing positive diversionary tactics with children and families at risk of or embedded in CCE, gangs and county lines activity.

## Parent, children and professionals training/workshops

Workshops are delivered in school or professional settings through group work, training sessions or assemblies to build awareness around vulnerabilities, grooming methods and signs & indicators of exploitation and county lines.

## Futureproof programme

Future Proof is a set of Early Intervention and Prevention resources for use with children and young people to support the development of 'buffering' skills to protect them from or repair developing relationship issues and negative behaviours. We deliver this programme in group work settings within targeted schools throughout the City and County.



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