

Gangs and youth violence

Why might children become involved with a gang?

- Seeking a sense of belonging
- Groomed/exploited
- Status, power and protection
- Poverty

How can schools prevent and intervene?



safeguarding.network/gangs



Local contact details:

Calderdale Staying Safe - provides support to all victims and survivors of domestic abuse living in Calderdale - 01422 323339

National Childrens Support Helpline - www.childline.org.uk - 0800 111

Kirklees - Domestic Abuse Partnership - 01484 308300 - 24hr helpline - 0800 052 7222

Family Support Services 0-19 yrs 01422 342552

Emergency Duty Team OOH - health and social care for adults and children and young peoples services provide emergency services at night and weekends - 01422 288000