

Sample Size: 2327 UK adults Fieldwork: 12th - 14th December 2012

Total Gender Age Social Grade Region Northern 18 to 24 25 to 34 45 to 54 55+ ABC1 C2DE Midlands Wales Base Male Female 35 to 44 North East London South Scotland Ireland

Please think about any recent (i.e. in the past 3 months) media reports you may have heard or seen regarding abuse of children (i.e. those who are under 18). Which, if any, of the following types of abuse have these news reports made you think MORE about than normal? (Please tick all that apply)

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Sexual abuse of children	63%	60%	66%	54%	58%	61%	63%	71%	65%	62%	62%	66%	63%	63%	62%	67%	58%	75%
Physical (non-sexual) abuse of children	31%	27%	33%	28%	21%	25%	27%	41%	30%	31%	31%	30%	27%	31%	29%	31%	33%	47%
Emotional (non-physical) abuse of children	28%	25%	31%	21%	22%	21%	27%	38%	29%	27%	27%	28%	29%	31%	27%	35%	30%	26%
General neglect of children	40%	37%	42%	32%	30%	32%	38%	52%	38%	42%	41%	39%	40%	38%	37%	42%	44%	38%
None of these – the reports have not affected how																		
much I think about any of these kinds of abuse	21%	24%	18%	19%	22%	27%	22%	18%	22%	20%	21%	20%	19%	17%	23%	19%	28%	13%
Not applicable - I am not aware of any particular news																		
reports regarding abuse of children	6%	6%	6%	13%	10%	4%	7%	2%	5%	8%	6%	4%	7%	9%	7%	6%	4%	1%

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Thinking about the recent news stories, do you think these news stories have made you MORE or LESS likely to report your worries that a child was being sexually abused, or have they made no difference?

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report it if I was worried that a child was being sexually																		
abused	42%	39%	45%	32%	33%	39%	44%	50%	40%	45%	44%	47%	38%	36%	41%	34%	42%	50%
The news stories have made it LESS likely that I would																		
report it if I was worried that a child was being sexually																		
abused	2%	3%	1%	3%	5%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	3%	2%	0%	5%	1%	2%	-	-
The news stories have made NO DIFFERENCE to how																		
likely I would be to report it if I was worried that a child																		
was being s	45%	47%	44%	46%	46%	49%	43%	45%	49%	41%	42%	42%	49%	47%	45%	57%	51%	37%
Not sure	6%	6%	6%	6%	8%	8%	8%	4%	5%	7%	6%	5%	8%	6%	7%	4%	5%	11%
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reports regarding abuse of children	5%	5%	4%	13%	7%	3%	4%	1%	4%	5%	5%	4%	4%	6%	6%	3%	2%	1%



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Total				Working Sta	itus				М	arital Status		
Base	Working full time	Working part time	ALL WORKERS (NET)	Full time student	Retired	Unemployed	Not working/ Other	Married/ Civil Partnership	Living as married	Separated/ Divorced	Widowed	Never Married

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Emotional (non-physical) abuse of children	28%	24%	31%	25%	23%	38%	27%	28%	31%	25%	39%	36%	20%
General neglect of children	40%	34%	39%	35%	40%	53%	31%	42%	43%	36%	50%	46%	30%
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was being s	45%	48%	42%	47%	38%	44%	51%	43%	44%	40%	47%	47%	50%
Not sure	6%	7%	7%	7%	4%	4%	3%	9%	5%	9%	5%	10%	7%
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Total Children in Household Government Region ALL WITH Yorkshire CHILDREN IN North East West South Northern North East of South Base 0 1 2 3+ Refused and the London Wales Scotland HOUSEHOLD East West Midlands Midlands England East West Ireland Humber (NET) Please think about any recent (i.e. in the past 3 months) media reports you may have heard or seen regarding abuse of children (i.e. those who are under 18). Which, if any, of the following types of abuse have these news reports made you think MORE about than normal? (Please tick all that apply) Unweighted Bas 2327 204 74 550 36 92 261 202 191 332 337 205 102 154 Base: All UK adults 2327 1657 335 217 88 640 30 88 272 196 168 205 216 289 325 191 114 198 65 Sexual abuse of children 63% 65% 60% 61% 44% 61% 58% 75% 60% 63% 66% 62% 66% 67% 63% 63% 60% 66% 67% Physical (non-sexual) abuse of children 30% 27% 27% 30% 29% 33% 25% 27% 26% 35% 33% 47% 31% 32% 28% 25% 33% 31% 31% Emotional (non-physical) abuse of children 28% 28% 30% 22% 38% 28% 25% 28% 25% 29% 26% 29% 29% 31% 25% 30% 35% 30% 26% General neglect of children 40% 40% 41% 31% 45% 38% 30% 39% 40% 45% 37% 40% 40% 38% 37% 38% 42% 44% 38% None of these - the reports have not affected how much I think about any of these kinds of abuse 21% 28% 13% 21% 21% 22% 20% 20% 20% 23% 21% 21% 21% 19% 19% 17% 23% 22% 19% Not applicable - I am not aware of any particular news reports regarding abuse of children 6% 6% 4% 12% 3% 7% 33% 6% 7% 6% 5% 4% 7% 9% 9% 5% 6% 4% 1% The following questions are specifically about child _sexual_ abuse. Please only consider in your answers child sexual abuse, as opposed to other forms of abuse of children, such as physical abuse, emotional abuse, and general neglect. Thinking about the recent news stories, do you think these news stories have made you MORE or LESS likely to report your worries that a child was being sexually abused, or have they made no difference? Unweighted Base 204 74 550 36 92 261 154 51 Base: All UK adults 2327 1657 335 217 88 640 30 88 272 196 168 205 216 289 325 191 114 198 65 The news stories have made it MORE likely that I would report it if I was worried that a child was being sexually abused 42% 42% 47% 36% 39% 42% 34% 42% 47% 41% 47% 47% 38% 36% 39% 45% 34% 42% 50% The news stories have made it LESS likely that I would report it if I was worried that a child was being sexually abused 2% 1% 3% 6% 9% 5% 4% 1% 4% 3% 1% 0% 5% 1% 2% --The news stories have made NO DIFFERENCE to how likely I would be to report it if I was worried that a child was being s 45% 48% 41% 43% 33% 41% 25% 40% 41% 44% 41% 43% 49% 47% 45% 45% 57% 51% 37% Not sure 6% 6% 4% 8% 16% 7% 10% 10% 5% 6% 4% 5% 8% 6% 7% 6% 4% 5% 11% Not applicable - I am not aware of any particular news reports regarding abuse of children 5% 4% 4% 8% 4% 5% 31% 4% 5% 5% 5% 3% 4% 6% 7% 4% 3% 2% 1%



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Base	Facebook	LinkedIn	Google+	Twitter

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The news stories have made it MORE likely that I would report it if I was worried that a child was being sexually abused	42%	43%	41%	47%	42%
The news stories have made it LESS likely that I would report it if I was worried that a child was being sexually abused	2%	2%	2%	5%	1%
The news stories have made NO DIFFERENCE to how likely I would be to report it if I was worried that a child was being s	45%	45%	49%	42%	47%
Not sure	6%	5%	6%	4%	6%
Not applicable – I am not aware of any particular news reports regarding abuse of children		4%	2%	2%	3%



Total	Ge	ender			Age			Social	Grade				Re	egion			
Base	Male	Female	18 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	North	Midlands	East	London	South	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland

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Around one in nine	12%	12%	12%	13%	16%	9%	11%	11%	12%	12%	11%	14%	15%	11%	11%	14%	9%	15%
Around one in twenty	21%	20%	21%	25%	17%	22%	21%	21%	22%	19%	22%	22%	23%	16%	20%	19%	26%	19%
Around one in one hundred	23%	27%	21%	21%	21%	31%	22%	23%	26%	21%	21%	22%	24%	24%	27%	21%	26%	17%
Don't know	21%	23%	18%	19%	22%	18%	21%	22%	19%	23%	17%	20%	19%	23%	23%	26%	21%	19%

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I think the amount of child sexual abuse in the UK has INCREASED since my childhood	38%	34%	42%	24%	35%	28%	38%	48%	32%	45%	43%	41%	33%	30%	34%	39%	34%	59%
I think the amount of child sexual abuse in the UK has DECREASED since my childhood	7%	10%	4%	7%	13%	8%	6%	3%	7%	7%	5%	6%	6%	12%	7%	6%	8%	7%
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STAYED THE SAME since my childhood	41%	40%	42%	46%	37%	48%	46%	35%	47%	34%	38%	40%	47%	39%	43%	41%	48%	19%
Not sure	15%	16%	13%	23%	15%	16%	10%	14%	14%	15%	15%	13%	14%	19%	16%	14%	9%	15%



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Around one in six	15%	15%	12%	14%	16%	15%	9%	20%	15%	13%	17%	10%	14%
Around one in nine	12%	12%	10%	12%	15%	13%	9%	11%	12%	13%	8%	6%	14%
Around one in twenty	21%	21%	22%	21%	27%	20%	22%	16%	20%	18%	20%	29%	23%
Around one in one hundred	23%	25%	27%	26%	21%	22%	19%	15%	24%	21%	21%	20%	25%
Don't know	21%	20%	17%	19%	16%	23%	29%	26%	20%	29%	18%	23%	18%

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I think the amount of child sexual abuse in the UK has INCREASED since my childhood		32%	39%	33%	24%	49%	45%	50%	42%	36%	40%	41%	29%
I think the amount of child sexual abuse in the UK has DECREASED since my childhood		8%	7%	8%	10%	4%	10%	4%	6%	9%	6%	4%	7%
I think the amount of child sexual abuse in the UK has STAYED THE SAME since my childhood		46%	38%	45%	47%	33%	25%	33%	39%	40%	38%	40%	46%
Not sure	15%	14%	16%	15%	19%	14%	20%	13%	13%	15%	15%	14%	18%



[Total			С	hildren i	n Household						0	Sovernment	Region					
	Base	0	1	2	3+	ALL WITH CHILDREN IN HOUSEHOLD (NET)	Refused	North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland

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Unweighted Base	2327	1741	272	204	74	550	36	92	261	202	177	191	223	332	337	205	102	154	51
Base: All UK adults	2327	1657	335	217	88	640	30	88	272	196	168	205	216	289	325	191	114	198	65
Around one in four	8%	7%	11%	11%	12%	11%	7%	18%	9%	12%	6%	9%	4%	10%	6%	7%	9%	8%	6%
Around one in six	15%	14%	18%	13%	13%	16%	2%	15%	16%	18%	18%	14%	15%	16%	10%	16%	12%	10%	24%
Around one in nine	12%	12%	12%	6%	21%	11%	4%	11%	9%	15%	13%	15%	15%	11%	9%	15%	14%	9%	15%
Around one in twenty	21%	21%	20%	24%	17%	21%	9%	21%	22%	23%	24%	20%	23%	16%	20%	20%	19%	26%	19%
Around one in one hundred	23%	24%	20%	24%	23%	22%	9%	20%	23%	19%	20%	23%	24%	24%	28%	25%	21%	26%	17%
Don't know	21%	20%	19%	22%	14%	19%	69%	15%	21%	14%	21%	19%	19%	23%	27%	18%	26%	21%	19%

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I think the amount of child sexual abuse in the UK has INCREASED since my childhood		37%	39%	40%	38%	39%	37%	54%	43%	38%	35%	46%	33%	30%	32%	39%	39%	34%	59%
I think the amount of child sexual abuse in the UK has DECREASED since my childhood		6%	9%	7%	23%	10%	3%	2%	4%	6%	7%	6%	6%	12%	8%	5%	6%	8%	7%
I think the amount of child sexual abuse in the UK has STAYED THE SAME since my childhood	41%	42%	39%	40%	29%	38%	13%	29%	39%	40%	44%	37%	47%	39%	44%	42%	41%	48%	19%
Not sure	41% 15%	42% 15%	39% 14%	40% 12%	29% 10%	13%	13% 47%	29% 15%	39% 14%	40% 16%	44% 14%	12%	47% 14%	39% 19%	44% 17%	42% 14%	41% 14%	48% 9%	15%



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Around one in nine	12%	13%	14%	13%	15%
Around one in twenty	21%	21%	21%	16%	22%
Around one in one hundred	23%	23%	29%	23%	25%
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I think the amount of child sexual abuse in the UK has STAYED THE SAME since my childhood	41%	40%	51%	36%	47%
Not sure	15%	15%	12%	13%	12%



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Comparing the present day to our childhood (i.e. the time when you were under 18 years old), do you think that the amount being done by organisations and Government to PREVENT child sexual abuse in the UK has INCREASED, DECREASED, or STAYED THE SAME?

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I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse in the UK has INCREASED since my childhood	63%	60%	66%	47%	54%	74%	68%	65%	67%	58%	60%	70%	55%	63%	59%	62%	72%	70%
I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse in the UK has DECREASED since my childhood I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse in the UK has STAYED THE SAME since my	7%	9%	4%	7%	5%	4%	8%	7%	5%	8%	6%	5%	7%	9%	6%	13%	4%	13%
childhood	16%	15%	17%	22%	20%	10%	13%	15%	15%	17%	17%	14%	19%	13%	18%	13%	14%	8%
Not sure	15%	17%	13%	24%	21%	11%	10%	12%	14%	16%	17%	10%	18%	14%	17%	12%	10%	9%

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Base: All UK adults	2327	1119	1208	279	432	335	452	828	1280	1047	556	372	216	289	517	114	198	65
I think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have																		
INCREASED in 10 years' time	25%	22%	27%	19%	24%	19%	28%	28%	22%	28%	27%	26%	23%	24%	23%	30%	18%	29%
I think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have																		
DECREASED in 10 years' time	20%	24%	16%	26%	21%	18%	17%	18%	19%	20%	18%	17%	19%	25%	18%	23%	27%	15%
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STAYED THE SAME in 10 years' time	34%	35%	33%	33%	32%	39%	34%	33%	39%	28%	33%	36%	31%	29%	37%	33%	37%	30%
Not sure	22%	19%	24%	22%	23%	24%	21%	21%	19%	25%	22%	21%	26%	22%	22%	14%	19%	25%



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Comparing the present day to our childhood (i.e. the time when you were under 18 years old), do you think that the amount being done by organisations and Government to PREVENT child sexual abuse in the UK has INCREASED, DECREASED, or STAYED THE SAME?

Unweighted Base	2327	1184	226	1410	132	559	64	162	1212	257	211	73	574
Base: All UK adults	2327	1193	232	1425	124	536	68	174	1183	273	228	58	584
I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse in the UK has INCREASED since my childhood		65%	58%	64%	52%	65%	62%	54%	67%	61%	61%	63%	56%
I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse in the UK has DECREASED since my childhood I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse in the UK has STAYED THE SAME since my	7%	5%	9%	6%	9%	7%	10%	9%	7%	7%	10%	6%	5%
childhood	16%	15%	17%	15%	20%	15%	6%	23%	13%	16%	18%	16%	20%
Not sure	15%	14%	15%	15%	20%	13%	22%	15%	13%	16%	12%	14%	19%

Unweighted Base	2327	1184	226	1410	132	559	64	162	1212	257	211	73	574
Base: All UK adults	2327	1193	232	1425	124	536	68	174	1183	273	228	58	584
I think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have													
INCREASED in 10 years' time	25%	23%	29%	24%	20%	26%	34%	26%	24%	29%	29%	21%	22%
I think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have													
DECREASED in 10 years' time	20%	19%	16%	18%	31%	21%	25%	17%	19%	22%	16%	16%	21%
I think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have													
STAYED THE SAME in 10 years' time	34%	38%	36%	37%	26%	31%	17%	27%	34%	30%	35%	39%	35%
Not sure	22%	20%	20%	20%	24%	22%	24%	30%	23%	19%	20%	24%	22%



Total			С	hildren i	n Household						0	Government	Region					
Base	0	1	2	3+	ALL WITH CHILDREN IN HOUSEHOLD (NET)	Refused	North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland

Comparing the present day to our childhood (i.e. the time when you were under 18 years old), do you think that the amount being done by organisations and Government to PREVENT child sexual abuse in the UK has INCREASED, DECREASED, or STAYED THE SAME?

Unweighted Base	2327	1741	272	204	74	550	36	92	261	202	177	191	223	332	337	205	102	154	51
Base: All UK adults	2327	1657	335	217	88	640	30	88	272	196	168	205	216	289	325	191	114	198	65
I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse in the UK has INCREASED since my childhood	63%	64%	59%	69%	55%	62%	34%	66%	60%	58%	70%	70%	55%	63%	57%	63%	62%	72%	70%
I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse in the UK has DECREASED since my childhood I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse in the UK has STAYED THE SAME since my	7%	7%	8%	5%	12%	7%	1%	4%	6%	8%	7%	3%	7%	9%	5%	6%	13%	4%	13%
childhood	16%	16%	18%	12%	22%	17%	13%	16%	18%	16%	10%	18%	19%	13%	19%	18%	13%	14%	8%
Not sure	15%	14%	15%	14%	11%	14%	52%	14%	17%	18%	12%	9%	18%	14%	19%	14%	12%	10%	9%

Unweighted Base	2327	1741	272	204	74	550	36	92	261	202	177	191	223	332	337	205	102	154	51
Base: All UK adults	2327	1657	335	217	88	640	30	88	272	196	168	205	216	289	325	191	114	198	65
I think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have																			
INCREASED in 10 years' time	25%	25%	25%	22%	23%	24%	18%	36%	24%	28%	27%	25%	23%	24%	21%	27%	30%	18%	29%
I think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have																			
DECREASED in 10 years' time	20%	19%	22%	18%	25%	21%	11%	19%	18%	17%	16%	18%	19%	25%	18%	17%	23%	27%	15%
I think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have																			
STAYED THE SAME in 10 years' time	34%	35%	34%	28%	34%	32%	14%	29%	34%	33%	33%	39%	31%	29%	36%	39%	33%	37%	30%
Not sure	22%	21%	18%	32%	18%	23%	57%	16%	24%	22%	25%	18%	26%	22%	26%	17%	14%	19%	25%



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Comparing the present day to our childhood (i.e. the time when you were under 18 years old), do you think that the amount being done by organisations and Government to PREVENT child sexual abuse in the UK has INCREASED, DECREASED, or STAYED THE SAME?

Unweighted Base	2327	1452	319	173	567
Base: All UK adults	2327	1497	285	179	572
I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse in the UK has INCREASED since my childhood	63%	63%	73%	61%	68%
I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse in the UK has DECREASED since my childhood I think the amount being done to prevent child sexual abuse the UK beaution and the Sexual abuse the Sexual	7%	7%	5%	10%	6%
abuse in the UK has STAYED THE SAME since my childhood	16%	16%	14%	18%	14%
Not sure	15%	14%	8%	11%	11%

Unweighted Base	2327	1452	319	173	567
Base: All UK adults	2327	1497	285	179	572
I think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have INCREASED in 10 years' time	25%	23%	19%	26%	22%
I think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have DECREASED in 10 years' time	20%	21%	31%	32%	30%
I think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have STAYED THE SAME in 10 years' time	34%	34%	37%	24%	31%
Not sure	22%	22%	13%	18%	18%



Ĩ	Total	Ge	ender			Age			Social	Grade				Re	egion			
	Base	Male	Female	18 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	North	Midlands	East	London	South	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland

Unweighted Base	539	244	295	54	70	60	115	240	276	263	141	97	55	67	116	27	22	14
Base: All UK adults who think child abuse will have																		
increased	576	248	328	54	104	64	124	230	287	289	151	97	50	70	119	34	36	19
Increasing family poverty	38%	29%	45%	32%	36%	27%	40%	43%	39%	38%	42%	24%	32%	39%	43%	39%	43%	56%
Increasing drug and alcohol problems among parents	62%	54%	69%	47%	59%	55%	58%	72%	63%	61%	60%	60%	72%	64%	59%	62%	67%	70%
Increasing mental health problems among parents	33%	27%	37%	18%	40%	35%	29%	34%	35%	31%	29%	40%	41%	28%	34%	25%	35%	26%
Increasing sexualisation of young people	68%	68%	69%	62%	63%	69%	71%	71%	67%	70%	68%	71%	66%	62%	66%	79%	66%	95%
Increasingly violent culture	55%	50%	59%	31%	50%	43%	54%	67%	51%	60%	52%	59%	59%	56%	56%	41%	55%	71%
Online pornography	64%	53%	72%	42%	47%	54%	63%	80%	61%	66%	63%	60%	78%	57%	64%	72%	73%	47%
Breakdown of moral values	64%	65%	63%	51%	48%	53%	62%	78%	67%	61%	62%	68%	50%	65%	62%	73%	67%	76%
Family breakdown	51%	47%	54%	39%	53%	34%	51%	57%	57%	45%	59%	40%	43%	55%	54%	45%	48%	39%
Reduced sense of community	50%	45%	54%	52%	45%	39%	41%	60%	54%	47%	57%	46%	42%	49%	56%	45%	43%	33%
New digital technologies	36%	36%	35%	32%	38%	36%	34%	36%	40%	31%	30%	41%	38%	40%	37%	20%	45%	36%
Cuts in children's services	45%	43%	46%	42%	42%	29%	45%	51%	44%	45%	52%	38%	36%	33%	42%	69%	58%	36%
Other	5%	8%	2%	5%	1%	7%	10%	2%	4%	5%	5%	4%	1%	4%	3%	9%	10%	4%
Don't know	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%	2%	1%	5%	1%	-	-	-	-	-



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T State Stat													
Unweighted Base	539	249	54	303	26	149	20	41	289	58	63	14	115
Base: All UK adults who think child abuse will have													
increased	576	277	67	344	25	139	23	45	288	80	67	12	130
Increasing family poverty	38%	39%	37%	39%	31%	33%	55%	48%	33%	50%	53%	54%	35%
Increasing drug and alcohol problems among parents	62%	58%	65%	60%	33%	71%	66%	69%	61%	62%	65%	64%	64%
Increasing mental health problems among parents	33%	30%	40%	32%	13%	37%	34%	39%	34%	29%	42%	41%	26%
Increasing sexualisation of young people	68%	66%	78%	68%	42%	75%	75%	59%	71%	52%	74%	59%	71%
Increasingly violent culture	55%	52%	49%	52%	18%	69%	47%	64%	59%	61%	53%	80%	42%
Online pornography	64%	56%	73%	60%	20%	79%	83%	64%	70%	63%	70%	60%	47%
Breakdown of moral values	64%	63%	54%	61%	23%	78%	73%	55%	69%	51%	69%	69%	57%
Family breakdown	51%	49%	43%	48%	21%	60%	67%	52%	56%	41%	52%	57%	45%
Reduced sense of community	50%	45%	43%	44%	52%	63%	63%	51%	55%	42%	52%	53%	43%
New digital technologies	36%	36%	37%	37%	12%	35%	43%	36%	33%	40%	43%	10%	36%
Cuts in children's services	45%	41%	48%	42%	16%	48%	51%	67%	47%	42%	45%	66%	39%
Other	5%	6%	4%	5%	3%	2%	4%	6%	4%	4%	8%	-	6%
Don't know	1%	0%	-	0%	4%	1%	2%	6%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%



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	Base	0	1	2	3+	ALL WITH CHILDREN IN HOUSEHOLD (NET)	Refused	North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland

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Unweighted Base	539	418	55	42	18	115	6	29	62	50	45	52	55	67	65	51	27	22	14
Base: All UK adults who think child abuse will have																			
increased	576	417	85	48	20	154	5	31	66	54	45	52	50	70	67	52	34	36	19
Increasing family poverty	38%	40%	44%	20%	27%	34%	9%	36%	47%	39%	24%	24%	32%	39%	44%	42%	39%	43%	56%
Increasing drug and alcohol problems among parents	62%	65%	69%	42%	43%	57%	30%	52%	62%	62%	45%	73%	72%	64%	58%	59%	62%	67%	70%
Increasing mental health problems among parents	33%	31%	42%	20%	57%	37%	18%	29%	31%	27%	44%	37%	41%	28%	36%	31%	25%	35%	26%
Increasing sexualisation of young people	68%	70%	61%	75%	53%	64%	91%	44%	83%	63%	66%	75%	66%	62%	65%	66%	79%	66%	95%
Increasingly violent culture	55%	59%	52%	32%	54%	46%	38%	42%	61%	47%	52%	66%	59%	56%	52%	60%	41%	55%	71%
Online pornography	64%	66%	62%	55%	45%	58%	36%	63%	69%	56%	54%	65%	78%	57%	60%	69%	72%	73%	47%
Breakdown of moral values	64%	67%	61%	46%	46%	54%	91%	56%	69%	56%	59%	75%	50%	65%	65%	58%	73%	67%	76%
Family breakdown	51%	51%	49%	43%	55%	48%	91%	53%	61%	60%	43%	38%	43%	55%	58%	49%	45%	48%	39%
Reduced sense of community	50%	54%	50%	27%	34%	41%	66%	37%	67%	57%	38%	52%	42%	49%	67%	43%	45%	43%	33%
New digital technologies	36%	33%	51%	31%	32%	42%	73%	25%	33%	28%	38%	44%	38%	40%	38%	35%	20%	45%	36%
Cuts in children's services	45%	46%	48%	29%	59%	43%	-	49%	57%	47%	45%	32%	36%	33%	43%	42%	69%	58%	36%
Other	5%	5%	5%	3%	-	4%	-	7%	4%	6%	2%	6%	1%	4%	-	7%	9%	10%	4%
Don't know	1%	1%		3%	-	1%	-	-	2%	1%	6%	3%	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-



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Base	Facebook	LinkedIn	Google+	Twitter

Unweighted Base	539	318	60	43	120
Base: All UK adults who think child abuse will have					
increased	576	344	54	47	127
Increasing family poverty	38%	38%	39%	46%	34%
Increasing drug and alcohol problems among parents	62%	63%	63%	65%	61%
Increasing mental health problems among parents	33%	29%	37%	31%	30%
Increasing sexualisation of young people	68%	71%	69%	51%	62%
Increasingly violent culture	55%	50%	64%	61%	45%
Online pornography	64%	62%	59%	53%	48%
Breakdown of moral values	64%	61%	59%	70%	51%
Family breakdown	51%	50%	52%	40%	43%
Reduced sense of community	50%	47%	54%	55%	48%
New digital technologies	36%	34%	33%	37%	42%
Cuts in children's services	45%	41%	34%	32%	35%
Other	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%
Don't know	1%	0%	-	-	1%



Total	Ge	ender			Age			Social	Grade				Re	egion			
Base	Male	Female	18 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	North	Midlands	East	London	South	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland

You mentioned that you think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have DECREASED in 10 years' time... In your opinion, which, if any, of the following do you think are reasons for this? (Please tick all that apply)

Unweighted Base	464	271	193	79	73	59	84	169	271	193	107	72	42	75	99	22	37	10
Base: All UK adults who think child abuse will have																		
decreased	455	267	188	72	91	62	78	153	247	209	100	63	42	71	91	26	53	10
More media coverage of the issues	63%	61%	66%	64%	57%	65%	44%	75%	63%	63%	66%	67%	57%	61%	64%	57%	65%	52%
More people becoming aware of child abuse	73%	72%	74%	72%	67%	77%	62%	80%	75%	70%	77%	83%	70%	65%	73%	58%	69%	86%
More people becoming aware of the risks to children	62%	60%	65%	49%	55%	59%	60%	74%	65%	59%	56%	60%	57%	67%	67%	62%	62%	78%
Child abuse will become more socially unacceptable	49%	50%	48%	32%	45%	41%	51%	62%	55%	42%	56%	45%	40%	49%	50%	74%	35%	55%
More action to reduce abusive behaviours in adults	43%	42%	44%	40%	39%	45%	52%	41%	36%	51%	35%	40%	64%	42%	45%	25%	49%	46%
More action from organisations to protect children	57%	54%	61%	51%	54%	56%	48%	66%	57%	57%	62%	67%	54%	61%	51%	34%	51%	68%
Better training and support for social workers	48%	39%	61%	34%	49%	39%	52%	55%	49%	47%	48%	58%	44%	49%	44%	36%	43%	76%
More support for child protection charities	46%	40%	54%	52%	52%	34%	38%	47%	40%	52%	43%	57%	39%	38%	42%	45%	54%	75%
Parents understanding their children better	23%	21%	26%	8%	22%	26%	19%	30%	21%	25%	17%	14%	39%	24%	18%	36%	25%	46%
It will be easier for children to speak up	57%	54%	61%	27%	51%	45%	62%	76%	62%	50%	47%	55%	50%	58%	58%	50%	73%	94%
People will be more willing to take action	67%	67%	67%	48%	60%	71%	69%	79%	69%	65%	71%	71%	72%	69%	63%	50%	66%	70%
Other	1%	1%	1%	-	2%	1%	3%	-	1%	0%	-	-	-	-	2%	6%	1%	-
Don't know	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	1%	0%	0%	0%	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-

Unweighted Base	2327	1126	1201	293	354	327	455	898	1346	981	555	368	223	332	542	102	154	51
Base: All UK adults	2327	1119	1208	279	432	335	452	828	1280	1047	556	372	216	289	517	114	198	65
MORE should currently be done to prevent child																		
abuse in the UK	71%	65%	77%	63%	65%	67%	72%	77%	67%	75%	72%	71%	65%	69%	69%	75%	76%	78%
LESS should currently be done to prevent child																		
abuse in the UK	1%	3%	0%	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	-	1%	-
about the RIGHT AMOUNT is currently being done to																		
prevent child abuse in the UK	16%	20%	13%	18%	17%	18%	20%	13%	20%	12%	16%	16%	20%	17%	15%	18%	15%	18%
Not sure	11%	13%	10%	17%	15%	13%	7%	9%	11%	11%	10%	10%	14%	11%	15%	7%	8%	4%



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You mentioned that you think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have DECREASED in 10 years' time... In your opinion, which, if any, of the following do you think are reasons for this? (Please tick all that apply)

Unweighted Base	464	237	37	274	40	112	16	22	234	61	27	15	127
Base: All UK adults who think child abuse will have													
decreased	455	221	37	257	38	113	17	30	224	61	36	9	124
More media coverage of the issues	63%	60%	72%	61%	71%	71%	54%	45%	69%	63%	68%	48%	53%
More people becoming aware of child abuse	73%	71%	79%	72%	66%	78%	63%	75%	73%	62%	74%	76%	77%
More people becoming aware of the risks to children	62%	57%	79%	60%	50%	68%	73%	66%	62%	52%	68%	71%	64%
Child abuse will become more socially unacceptable	49%	48%	45%	48%	32%	60%	57%	39%	56%	48%	42%	51%	39%
More action to reduce abusive behaviours in adults	100/	100/	500/	100/	000/	1001	100/	000/	4484		0.404	070/	100/
	43%	40%	53%	42%	38%	42%	46%	60%	41%	41%	61%	37%	43%
More action from organisations to protect children	57%	60%	57%	60%	56%	57%	54%	34%	61%	60%	49%	42%	51%
Better training and support for social workers	48%	44%	67%	47%	44%	53%	26%	53%	50%	54%	47%	45%	42%
More support for child protection charities	46%	41%	45%	42%	59%	45%	53%	57%	40%	48%	56%	35%	51%
Parents understanding their children better	23%	19%	37%	21%	14%	28%	37%	21%	25%	22%	33%	12%	17%
It will be easier for children to speak up	57%	51%	71%	54%	36%	70%	50%	63%	59%	61%	69%	74%	45%
People will be more willing to take action	67%	66%	81%	68%	49%	73%	47%	72%	72%	60%	79%	59%	60%
Other	1%	2%	-	2%	-	-	-	-	1%	1%	-	-	2%
Don't know	0%	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	-	0%	-	-	-	0%

Unweighted Base	2327	1184	226	1410	132	559	64	162	1212	257	211	73	574
Base: All UK adults	2327	1193	232	1425	124	536	68	174	1183	273	228	58	584
MORE should currently be done to prevent child													
abuse in the UK	71%	69%	69%	69%	62%	76%	74%	77%	74%	67%	77%	71%	64%
LESS should currently be done to prevent child													
abuse in the UK	1%	1%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	-	1%	3%	3%	-	0%
about the RIGHT AMOUNT is currently being done to													
prevent child abuse in the UK	16%	18%	13%	18%	26%	14%	11%	11%	15%	15%	13%	13%	22%
Not sure	11%	12%	15%	12%	10%	8%	15%	12%	10%	15%	7%	16%	13%



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	Base	0	1	2	3+	ALL WITH CHILDREN IN HOUSEHOLD (NET)	Refused	North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland

You mentioned that you think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have DECREASED in 10 years' time... In your opinion, which, if any, of the following do you think are reasons for this? (Please tick all that apply)

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Unweighted Base	464	344	69	37	13	119	1	19	47	41	33	39	42	75	60	39	22	37	10
Base: All UK adults who think child abuse will have																			
decreased	455	316	75	39	22	136	3	17	50	34	26	37	42	71	57	33	26	53	10
More media coverage of the issues	63%	61%	73%	52%	79%	68%	100%	69%	73%	54%	76%	60%	57%	61%	71%	53%	57%	65%	52%
More people becoming aware of child abuse	73%	74%	68%	67%	74%	69%	100%	82%	84%	65%	82%	83%	70%	65%	73%	73%	58%	69%	86%
More people becoming aware of the risks to children	62%	64%	48%	58%	78%	56%	100%	29%	72%	44%	74%	50%	57%	67%	69%	63%	62%	62%	78%
Child abuse will become more socially unacceptable	49%	50%	47%	59%	39%	49%		48%	63%	48%	45%	44%	40%	49%	49%	52%	74%	35%	55%
More action to reduce abusive behaviours in adults	43%	42%	38%	41%	72%	44%	100%	20%	43%	31%	49%	33%	64%	42%	53%	31%	25%	49%	46%
More action from organisations to protect children	57%	59%	46%	46%	65%	49%	100%	45%	70%	59%	70%	64%	54%	61%	52%	50%	34%	51%	68%
Better training and support for social workers	48%	50%	37%	42%	77%	45%	-	28%	57%	45%	76%	46%	44%	49%	42%	47%	36%	43%	76%
More support for child protection charities	46%	47%	40%	45%	32%	40%	100%	27%	54%	35%	65%	51%	39%	38%	49%	30%	45%	54%	75%
Parents understanding their children better	23%	24%	24%	14%	16%	20%	-	28%	20%	6%	14%	15%	39%	24%	20%	16%	36%	25%	46%
It will be easier for children to speak up	57%	61%	45%	55%	47%	48%	-	67%	40%	49%	57%	54%	50%	58%	51%	70%	50%	73%	94%
People will be more willing to take action	67%	70%	56%	63%	75%	61%	100%	58%	80%	65%	77%	67%	72%	69%	67%	55%	50%	66%	70%
Other	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%	6%	1%	-
Don't know	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Unweighted Base	2327	1741	272	204	74	550	36	92	261	202	177	191	223	332	337	205	102	154	51
Base: All UK adults	2327	1657	335	217	88	640	30	88	272	196	168	205	216	289	325	191	114	198	65
MORE should currently be done to prevent child																			
abuse in the UK	71%	70%	78%	72%	68%	75%	42%	77%	70%	73%	68%	74%	65%	69%	64%	77%	75%	76%	78%
LESS should currently be done to prevent child																			
abuse in the UK	1%	1%	2%	2%	9%	3%	-	2%	1%	1%	4%	2%	1%	3%	2%	0%	-	1%	-
about the RIGHT AMOUNT is currently being done to																			
prevent child abuse in the UK	16%	18%	12%	16%	10%	13%	12%	10%	18%	17%	18%	15%	20%	17%	17%	12%	18%	15%	18%
Not sure	11%	11%	8%	11%	12%	10%	46%	11%	11%	9%	10%	10%	14%	11%	18%	11%	7%	8%	4%



Total	Socia	al Media (mo	nthly or more	e)
Base	Facebook	LinkedIn	Google+	Twitter

You mentioned that you think the amount of child abuse in the UK will have DECREASED in 10 years' time... In your opinion, which, if any, of the following do you think are reasons for this? (Please tick all that apply)

Unweighted Base	464	313	88	52	155
Base: All UK adults who think child abuse will have					
decreased	455	310	89	57	169
More media coverage of the issues	63%	64%	54%	53%	65%
More people becoming aware of child abuse	73%	72%	69%	71%	75%
More people becoming aware of the risks to children	62%	57%	55%	52%	61%
Child abuse will become more socially unacceptable	49%	49%	38%	47%	40%
More action to reduce abusive behaviours in adults	43%	42%	40%	59%	48%
More action from organisations to protect children	57%	56%	45%	48%	57%
Better training and support for social workers	48%	45%	42%	48%	48%
More support for child protection charities	46%	44%	46%	48%	52%
Parents understanding their children better	23%	23%	25%	49%	28%
It will be easier for children to speak up	57%	55%	57%	61%	46%
People will be more willing to take action	67%	64%	63%	60%	66%
Other	1%	1%	2%	-	2%
Don't know	0%	0%	-	-	-

Unweighted Base	2327	1452	319	173	567
Base: All UK adults	2327	1497	285	179	572
MORE should currently be done to prevent child					
abuse in the UK	71%	71%	69%	76%	72%
LESS should currently be done to prevent child					
abuse in the UK	.,.	1%	2%	3%	1%
about the RIGHT AMOUNT is currently being done to					
prevent child abuse in the UK	16%	17%	21%	16%	19%
Not sure	11%	11%	8%	5%	8%



Total	Ge	ender			Age			Social	Grade				Re	egion			
Base	Male	Female	18 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	North	Midlands	East	London	South	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland

Which, if any, of the following do you think should have particular responsibility to prevent child abuse in the UK? (Please tick all that apply)

Unweighted Base	2327	1126	1201	293	354	327	455	898	1346	981	555	368	223	332	542	102	154	51
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Base: All UK adults	2327	1119	1208	279	432	335	452	828	1280	1047	556	372	216	289	517	114	198	65
Central government (e.g. parliament, government																		
departments, national assemblies, etc.)	49%	48%	50%	53%	46%	51%	53%	47%	48%	51%	53%	49%	47%	44%	46%	51%	54%	65%
Local government (e.g. local councils, children's																		
services departments, health authorities, etc.)	64%	59%	68%	63%	65%	66%	61%	65%	64%	63%	69%	61%	59%	59%	66%	57%	67%	67%
Schools	65%	60%	70%	62%	59%	69%	65%	68%	68%	62%	67%	63%	59%	65%	66%	71%	67%	69%
Local communities and neighbourhoods	49%	44%	54%	39%	41%	51%	47%	57%	49%	49%	53%	47%	42%	42%	48%	62%	54%	56%
Parents	77%	73%	81%	63%	67%	79%	82%	84%	80%	74%	80%	75%	76%	72%	77%	80%	78%	81%
Friends, neighbours and families of abusive parents	700/	000/	7.40/	550/	040/	C00/	700/	700/	700/	070/	700/	070/	070/	070/	000/	700/	700/	700/
	70%	66%	74%	55%	61%	68%	72%	79%	72%	67%	73%	67%	67%	67%	69%	70%	73%	76%
Charities	30%	24%	35%	36%	31%	31%	30%	27%	32%	28%	30%	31%	28%	28%	31%	27%	31%	42%
Children and young people	27%	26%	29%	20%	22%	30%	29%	30%	29%	26%	28%	29%	23%	25%	26%	31%	28%	37%
None of these	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	-
Not sure	7%	8%	5%	13%	10%	8%	4%	3%	5%	8%	5%	8%	10%	7%	7%	5%	4%	2%

Please continue to think about any recent (i.e. in the past 3 months) media reports you may have heard regarding the abuse of children (including sexual, physical and emotional abuse, as well as neglect).

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Unweighted Base	2327	1126	1201	293	354	327	455	898	1346	981	555	368	223	332	542	102	154	51
Base: All UK adults	2327	1119	1208	279	432	335	452	828	1280	1047	556	372	216	289	517	114	198	65
Setting up a national body to tackle child sexual abuse	33%	30%	35%	30%	31%	31%	34%	35%	28%	39%	36%	35%	30%	25%	33%	27%	34%	32%
Educating children and young people about abuse	61%	55%	67%	48%	57%	59%	63%	67%	63%	59%	63%	61%	58%	58%	63%	63%	55%	62%
Educating parents about abuse	48%	42%	54%	43%	40%	47%	51%	53%	50%	46%	47%	45%	47%	48%	52%	52%	44%	55%
Supporting people with drug, alcohol or mental health																		
problems	33%	28%	38%	33%	30%	31%	33%	35%	32%	34%	36%	34%	36%	32%	32%	25%	28%	38%
Supporting parents with their parenting	40%	35%	45%	31%	37%	44%	43%	42%	43%	37%	43%	43%	37%	41%	40%	32%	34%	43%
Encouraging adults to take more responsibility for																		
reporting suspected abuse	59%	53%	65%	45%	50%	54%	60%	70%	62%	56%	62%	59%	59%	54%	61%	52%	59%	61%
Encouraging children to speak out if they are being																		
abused	74%	67%	81%	55%	65%	73%	77%	84%	75%	73%	73%	77%	69%	72%	73%	80%	77%	83%
Preventing sexually abusive behaviour from developing																		
in young adults	47%	41%	53%	40%	36%	45%	46%	58%	47%	48%	50%	46%	50%	41%	44%	59%	50%	45%
Promoting ways people can get help when they're																		
worried about a child	63%	55%	71%	50%	57%	60%	68%	70%	65%	61%	67%	67%	62%	58%	62%	64%	62%	55%
Protecting children from abuse in clubs and																		
organisations	50%	45%	55%	39%	42%	48%	52%	58%	50%	50%	51%	52%	47%	46%	49%	52%	56%	48%
Tougher sentences for child sex offenders	67%	62%	72%	47%	62%	64%	72%	74%	64%	70%	67%	72%	70%	61%	61%	69%	74%	77%
Providing more support for victims of abuse	59%	50%	66%	51%	48%	56%	62%	66%	61%	56%	58%	59%	56%	56%	60%	65%	58%	61%
None of these	1%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Don't know	6%	7%	4%	13%	7%	6%	4%	3%	5%	7%	6%	4%	4%	7%	8%	4%	4%	1%



Total				Working Sta	atus				M	arital Status		
Base	Working full time	Working part time	ALL WORKERS (NET)	Full time student	Retired	Unemployed	Not working/ Other	Married/ Civil Partnership	Living as married	Separated/ Divorced	Widowed	Never Married

Which, if any, of the following do you think should have particular responsibility to prevent child abuse in the UK? (Please tick all that apply)

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Unweighted Base	2327	1184	226	1410	132	559	64	162	1212	257	211	73	574
Base: All UK adults	2327	1193	232	1425	124	536	68	174	1183	273	228	58	584
Central government (e.g. parliament, government													
departments, national assemblies, etc.)	49%	48%	48%	48%	57%	47%	70%	55%	48%	49%	51%	44%	52%
Local government (e.g. local councils, children's													
services departments, health authorities, etc.)	64%	63%	65%	63%	57%	64%	79%	68%	65%	60%	71%	64%	61%
Schools	65%	65%	62%	65%	59%	69%	58%	66%	66%	60%	72%	62%	63%
Local communities and neighbourhoods	49%	47%	44%	46%	41%	58%	53%	48%	51%	44%	57%	44%	44%
Parents	77%	77%	70%	76%	61%	84%	76%	76%	80%	75%	82%	83%	69%
Friends, neighbours and families of abusive parents	70%	68%	71%	69%	57%	78%	57%	68%	75%	66%	71%	65%	61%
Charities	30%	31%	26%	30%	40%	27%	29%	33%	29%	26%	32%	25%	34%
Children and young people	27%	28%	23%	27%	24%	28%	33%	25%	28%	26%	34%	20%	24%
None of these	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	0%	3%	-	0%	2%	0%	-	1%
Not sure	7%	7%	10%	7%	12%	3%	3%	8%	6%	7%	2%	8%	10%

Please continue to think about any recent (i.e. in the past 3 months) media reports you may have heard regarding the abuse of children (including sexual, physical and emotional abuse, as well as neglect).

	0007	4404	000	1110	100		0.4	100	1010	0.57	011	70	
Unweighted Base		1184	226	1410	132	559	64	162	1212	257	211	73	574
Base: All UK adults	2327	1193	232	1425	124	536	68	174	1183	273	228	58	584
Setting up a national body to tackle child sexual abuse	33%	30%	29%	30%	34%	35%	45%	43%	34%	34%	37%	32%	28%
Educating children and young people about abuse	61%	59%	58%	59%	50%	69%	54%	63%	63%	55%	72%	65%	56%
Educating parents about abuse	48%	46%	49%	47%	38%	53%	52%	49%	49%	41%	61%	46%	44%
Supporting people with drug, alcohol or mental health													
problems	33%	32%	32%	32%	38%	34%	46%	32%	35%	27%	37%	36%	31%
Supporting parents with their parenting	40%	40%	37%	40%	36%	41%	51%	39%	41%	40%	49%	31%	36%
Encouraging adults to take more responsibility for													
reporting suspected abuse	59%	54%	60%	55%	42%	71%	64%	67%	63%	52%	69%	64%	50%
Encouraging children to speak out if they are being													
abused	74%	71%	77%	72%	59%	83%	77%	75%	77%	70%	84%	79%	66%
Preventing sexually abusive behaviour from developing													
in young adults	47%	42%	51%	44%	37%	56%	64%	53%	51%	43%	53%	45%	41%
Promoting ways people can get help when they're													
worried about a child		61%	72%	62%	47%	66%	68%	70%	66%	61%	71%	71%	54%
Protecting children from abuse in clubs and													
organisations	50%	47%	52%	48%	33%	58%	55%	53%	52%	45%	59%	60%	45%
Tougher sentences for child sex offenders	67%	64%	68%	65%	45%	73%	82%	75%	71%	62%	75%	70%	58%
Providing more support for victims of abuse	59%	55%	59%	55%	46%	68%	71%	61%	60%	51%	66%	65%	55%
None of these	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	0%	-	2%
Don't know	6%	6%	6%	6%	10%	2%	4%	9%	4%	8%	4%	6%	8%



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	Base	0	1	2	3+	ALL WITH CHILDREN IN HOUSEHOLD (NET)	Refused	North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland

Which, if any, of the following do you think should have particular responsibility to prevent child abuse in the UK? (Please tick all that apply)

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Unweighted Base	2327	1741	272	204	74	550	36	92	261	202	177	191	223	332	337	205	102	154	51
Base: All UK adults	2327	1657	335	217	88	640	30	88	272	196	168	205	216	289	325	191	114	198	65
Central government (e.g. parliament, government																			
departments, national assemblies, etc.)	49%	48%	55%	55%	39%	53%	24%	54%	52%	53%	48%	51%	47%	44%	46%	45%	51%	54%	65%
Local government (e.g. local councils, children's																			
services departments, health authorities, etc.)	64%	64%	70%	60%	67%	66%	33%	64%	68%	74%	59%	62%	59%	59%	60%	74%	57%	67%	67%
Schools	65%	66%	64%	66%	60%	64%	43%	58%	69%	68%	59%	66%	59%	65%	63%	70%	71%	67%	69%
Local communities and neighbourhoods	49%	49%	49%	51%	41%	49%	36%	41%	56%	54%	49%	44%	42%	42%	48%	48%	62%	54%	56%
Parents	77%	79%	72%	76%	68%	73%	57%	68%	82%	83%	76%	74%	76%	72%	74%	82%	80%	78%	81%
Friends, neighbours and families of abusive parents	70%	72%	65%	70%	58%	66%	52%	61%	75%	75%	65%	69%	67%	67%	65%	75%	70%	73%	76%
Charities	30%	29%	33%	32%	29%	32%	26%	22%	34%	28%	29%	33%	28%	28%	29%	34%	27%	31%	42%
Children and young people	27%	28%	26%	30%	23%	27%	17%	24%	32%	25%	27%	30%	23%	25%	25%	28%	31%	28%	37%
None of these	1%	1%	1%	0%	4%	1%	-	4%	0%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-
Not sure	7%	6%	9%	6%	3%	7%	39%	11%	5%	3%	8%	9%	10%	7%	9%	3%	5%	4%	2%

Please continue to think about any recent (i.e. in the past 3 months) media reports you may have heard regarding the abuse of children (including sexual, physical and emotional abuse, as well as neglect).

Unweighted Base	2327	1741	272	204	74	550	36	92	261	202	177	191	223	332	337	205	102	154	51
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Base: All UK adults	2327	1657	335	217	88	640	30	88	272	196	168	205	216	289	325	191	114	198	65
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Setting up a national body to tackle child sexual abuse	33%		35%	36%	36%	35%	14%	33%	39%	35%	36%	35%	30%	25%	31%	37%	27%	34%	32%
Educating children and young people about abuse	61%	63%	57%	62%	54%	59%	24%	55%	62%	68%	59%	63%	58%	58%	61%	67%	63%	55%	62%
Educating parents about abuse	48%	49%	50%	49%	40%	48%	24%	49%	42%	53%	50%	41%	47%	48%	49%	57%	52%	44%	55%
Supporting people with drug, alcohol or mental health																			
problems	33%	33%	33%	33%	30%	33%	33%	29%	39%	37%	37%	31%	36%	32%	31%	34%	25%	28%	38%
Supporting parents with their parenting	40%	40%	42%	42%	42%	42%	23%	39%	43%	46%	49%	38%	37%	41%	36%	47%	32%	34%	43%
Encouraging adults to take more responsibility for																			
reporting suspected abuse	59%	62%	54%	56%	53%	54%	33%	54%	66%	61%	53%	65%	59%	54%	58%	66%	52%	59%	61%
Encouraging children to speak out if they are being																			
abused	74%	77%	71%	70%	63%	69%	37%	60%	74%	77%	77%	77%	69%	72%	71%	77%	80%	77%	83%
Preventing sexually abusive behaviour from developing																			
in young adults	47%	49%	44%	44%	33%	43%	39%	49%	52%	49%	46%	46%	50%	41%	46%	43%	59%	50%	45%
Promoting ways people can get help when they're																			
worried about a child	63%	64%	65%	61%	56%	62%	34%	54%	70%	67%	67%	67%	62%	58%	59%	68%	64%	62%	55%
Protecting children from abuse in clubs and																			
organisations	50%	51%	51%	49%	46%	50%	25%	50%	55%	46%	53%	51%	47%	46%	48%	51%	52%	56%	48%
Tougher sentences for child sex offenders	67%	67%	76%	61%	54%	68%	47%	62%	67%	68%	74%	70%	70%	61%	62%	59%	69%	74%	77%
Providing more support for victims of abuse	59%	61%	53%	59%	43%	54%	30%	42%	61%	62%	56%	61%	56%	56%	58%	63%	65%	58%	61%
None of these	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	8%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	-	1%	2%	1%
Don't know	6%	5%	3%	8%	12%	6%	39%	13%	5%	4%	5%	4%	4%	7%	9%	6%	4%	4%	1%
DOILT KHOW	6%	5%	3%	8%	12%	6%	39%	13%	5%	4%	5%	4%	4%	1%	9%	6%	4%	4%	1%



Total	Socia	al Media (mo	nthly or more	e)
Base	Facebook	LinkedIn	Google+	Twitter

Which, if any, of the following do you think should have particular responsibility to prevent child abuse in the UK? (Please tick all that apply)

Unweighted Base	2327	1452	319	173	567
Base: All UK adults	2327	1497	285	179	572
Central government (e.g. parliament, government departments, national assemblies, etc.) Local government (e.g. local councils, children's	49%	51%	49%	48%	62%
services departments, health authorities, etc.)	64%	65%	60%	61%	71%
Schools	65%	67%	67%	68%	70%
Local communities and neighbourhoods	49%	50%	52%	51%	53%
Parents	77%	78%	78%	81%	79%
Friends, neighbours and families of abusive parents	70%	70%	72%	72%	70%
Charities	30%	32%	32%	32%	36%
Children and young people	27%	28%	26%	33%	26%
None of these	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Not sure	7%	6%	5%	4%	4%

Please continue to think about any recent (i.e. in the past 3 months) media reports you may have heard regarding the abuse of children (including sexual, physical and emotional abuse, as well as neglect).

Unweighted Base	2327	1452	319	173	567
Base: All UK adults	2327	1497	285	179	572
Setting up a national body to tackle child sexual abuse	33%	34%	27%	37%	36%
Educating children and young people about abuse	61%	62%	68%	66%	63%
Educating parents about abuse	48%	50%	53%	53%	50%
Supporting people with drug, alcohol or mental health					
problems	33%	35%	35%	38%	36%
Supporting parents with their parenting	40%	41%	43%	45%	43%
Encouraging adults to take more responsibility for					
reporting suspected abuse	59%	59%	63%	65%	58%
Encouraging children to speak out if they are being					
abused	74%	75%	76%	74%	76%
Preventing sexually abusive behaviour from developing					
in young adults	47%	48%	44%	50%	48%
Promoting ways people can get help when they're					
worried about a child	63%	65%	66%	67%	66%
Protecting children from abuse in clubs and					
organisations	50%	51%	48%	50%	50%
Tougher sentences for child sex offenders	67%	67%	58%	64%	66%
Providing more support for victims of abuse	59%	59%	58%	61%	61%
None of these	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
Don't know	6%	5%	5%	6%	5%



[Total	Ge	ender			Age			Social	Grade				Re	egion			
	Base	Male	Female	18 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	North	Midlands	East	London	South	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland

Unweighted Base	2327	1126	1201	293	354	327	455	898	1346	981	555	368	223	332	542	102	154	51
Base: All UK adults	2327	1119	1208	279	432	335	452	828	1280	1047	556	372	216	289	517	114	198	65
I would contact the Police	39%	47%	31%	33%	34%	40%	38%	43%	36%	42%	36%	42%	43%	29%	42%	40%	40%	37%
I would contact the NSPCC Helpline	15%	10%	19%	10%	11%	11%	15%	20%	16%	13%	15%	13%	12%	18%	13%	19%	16%	21%
I would contact ChildLine	7%	5%	9%	10%	3%	6%	10%	7%	8%	6%	6%	8%	8%	9%	7%	5%	9%	2%
I would contact social services	19%	14%	23%	11%	24%	21%	20%	17%	21%	16%	22%	18%	16%	18%	18%	23%	12%	26%
I would contact friends and family of the child	5%	6%	4%	8%	7%	4%	2%	5%	5%	5%	4%	6%	6%	6%	6%	3%	3%	3%
I would contact the child's school	3%	2%	3%	4%	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	1%	5%	3%	3%	0%	-
I would do something else	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	-
Nothing, I wouldn't feel able/ wouldn't know how to																		
intervene	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%	4%	3%	8%
Nothing, for another reason	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	-	0%	1%	1%	-	2%	-
Not sure	9%	10%	7%	16%	11%	9%	8%	5%	7%	11%	10%	6%	8%	10%	8%	3%	13%	4%



Т	otal				Working Sta	atus				М	arital Status		
в	lase	Working full time	Working part time	ALL WORKERS (NET)	Full time student	Retired	Unemployed	Not working/ Other	Married/ Civil Partnership	Living as married	Separated/ Divorced	Widowed	Never Married

Unweighted Base	2327	1184	226	1410	132	559	64	162	1212	257	211	73	574
Base: All UK adults	2327	1193	232	1425	124	536	68	174	1183	273	228	58	584
I would contact the Police	39%	39%	38%	39%	37%	40%	31%	39%	41%	41%	36%	24%	35%
I would contact the NSPCC Helpline	15%	13%	18%	14%	6%	20%	15%	14%	15%	16%	17%	30%	13%
I would contact ChildLine	7%	7%	6%	7%	13%	6%	8%	4%	7%	6%	6%	4%	8%
I would contact social services	19%	19%	17%	19%	15%	18%	20%	24%	20%	18%	22%	17%	16%
I would contact friends and family of the child	5%	5%	6%	5%	8%	4%	4%	3%	5%	3%	6%	2%	6%
I would contact the child's school	3%	3%	1%	3%	4%	3%	-	4%	3%	0%	3%	1%	3%
I would do something else	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	-	2%	1%	4%	3%	5%	2%
Nothing, I wouldn't feel able/ wouldn't know how to													
intervene	2%	3%	1%	2%	4%	2%	-	0%	2%	0%	1%	7%	3%
Nothing, for another reason	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	3%	0%	0%	-	1%	1%
Not sure	9%	9%	10%	9%	10%	6%	21%	8%	7%	11%	5%	9%	12%



[Total			С	hildren i	n Household						0	Government	Region					
	Base	0	1	2	3+	ALL WITH CHILDREN IN HOUSEHOLD (NET)	Refused	North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland

Unweighted Base	2327	1741	272	204	74	550	36	92	261	202	177	191	223	332	337	205	102	154	51
Base: All UK adults	2327	1657	335	217	88	640	30	88	272	196	168	205	216	289	325	191	114	198	65
I would contact the Police	39%	41%	38%	33%	19%	34%	27%	41%	38%	32%	38%	46%	43%	29%	41%	43%	40%	40%	37%
I would contact the NSPCC Helpline	15%	15%	18%	9%	10%	14%	6%	13%	13%	20%	11%	15%	12%	18%	15%	10%	19%	16%	21%
I would contact ChildLine	7%	7%	7%	6%	5%	6%	-	2%	5%	9%	10%	7%	8%	9%	6%	7%	5%	9%	2%
I would contact social services	19%	18%	14%	28%	27%	20%	7%	25%	23%	20%	22%	14%	16%	18%	16%	21%	23%	12%	26%
I would contact friends and family of the child	5%	5%	3%	6%	10%	5%	6%	7%	3%	3%	10%	3%	6%	6%	5%	7%	3%	3%	3%
I would contact the child's school	3%	2%	5%	2%	11%	5%	-	1%	2%	5%	1%	5%	1%	5%	3%	2%	3%	0%	-
I would do something else	2%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%	11%	2%	2%	1%	0%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	-
Nothing, I wouldn't feel able/ wouldn't know how to																			
intervene	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	-	-	1%	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	4%	3%	8%
Nothing, for another reason	1%	0%	-	1%	2%	0%	4%	-	1%	-	-	-	0%	1%	1%	1%	-	2%	-
Not sure	9%	7%	12%	10%	12%	11%	39%	10%	11%	9%	6%	7%	8%	10%	10%	5%	3%	13%	4%



Total	Socia	al Media (mo	nthly or more	e)
Base	Facebook	LinkedIn	Google+	Twitter

Unweighted Base	2327	1452	319	173	567
Base: All UK adults	2327	1497	285	179	572
I would contact the Police	39%	36%	46%	40%	41%
I would contact the NSPCC Helpline	15%	14%	14%	10%	12%
I would contact ChildLine	7%	7%	7%	2%	6%
I would contact social services	19%	21%	13%	24%	20%
I would contact friends and family of the child	5%	6%	6%	8%	4%
I would contact the child's school	3%	3%	2%	4%	4%
I would do something else	2%	2%	1%	0%	2%
Nothing, I wouldn't feel able/ wouldn't know how to					
intervene	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
Nothing, for another reason	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Not sure	9%	9%	7%	10%	9%