

SUMMARY OF THE 2021

ANNUAL REPORT



SERIOUS INCIDENT NOTIFICATIONS

379 Serious Incident Notifications

39% of the children died

63% were male, 36% female

32% were under 1s

11% were on a child protection plan

ABOUT THE PANEL

- oversees the review of serious child safeguarding cases
- receives serious incident notifications
- Rapid reviews for each notification
- Local Child Safeguarding Practice Reviews
- Undertakes national reviews and thematic analysis

CHILD SAFEGUARDING PRACTICE REVIEWS

84 LCSPRs published

61% serious harm

30% under 1

28% 16-17 year olds



Themes Identified



Lack of critical thinking and professional challenge



Recognising the impact challenges faced by parents have on their capacity to care for children



Consideration of the impact of racial, ethnic and cultural identities



Recognising and responding to the vulnerability of babies



Domestic Abuse and harm to children
[Click here](#) for National Panel paper about impact of Domestic Abuse



Keeping a focus on risks outside the family

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