

CADS workflow chart – Engage

- Referral information shared via telephone consultation into CADS – CADS AP/SW takes appropriate initial action depending on information shared – speaking to parents, consent for welfare check etc.
- CADS undertake appropriate intervention dependent on the presenting circumstances. Based on the information shared with CADS actions may be:
 - Level 1 - No further action at this stage – CADS AP/SWs have explored and confirmed that appropriate safeguarding measures are now in place to reduce the likelihood of further exploitation concerns arising and child's safety increased.
 - Level 2 – Information indicates that advice, support and guidance is required CADS AP/SW will make referral to CADSSOs for offer of early help. If during intervention CADSSOs require advice / guidance specifically in relation to exploitation, CADSSOs can seek advice from Engage Management. If Level 3/4 – decision to be shared, progression straight through for joint C&F and Exploitation assessment (should strategy discussion be arranged, Engage TM's to be invited)
Following outcomes to Exploitation assessment:
 - Exploitation concerns identified and appropriate for Engage YPW to remain involved.
 - Exploitation concerns identified but decision that due to existing relationship/support that is being provided, it is appropriate for another service to deliver the required support/intervention. Engage YPW considers risk reduction/step down plan and what further assessment or referrals may need to be made as part of Exploitation assessment. Engage YPW remains involved as a co-worker on Protocol for SW and other professionals to seek advice from, and re-refer back to should further concerns arise. (***)Further discussion/clarification may be required as to what this level of involvement will include)
 - Exploitation concerns are not identified. Engage YPW considers risk reduction/step down plan and what further assessment or referrals may need to be made as part of Exploitation assessment.