

FOI 2681

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST

Question: Under Freedom of Information legislation please provide a copy of or link to the policy for safeguarding / monitoring of children and young people residing in care facilities in terms of internet sexual crime

Response:

The Southern Trust have an internet specific guideline in respect of residential care. (See Attached – Attachment 1)

All staff within CYPS including residential services are familiar with and work to SBNI Child Protection Procedures – [New Policy and Procedures \(safeguardingni.org\)](#)

This Policy and Procedures contain specific reference to technology assisted Harmful Sexual Behaviour and sexual abuse via e-technology. (See Attached – Attachment 2 and Attachment 3)

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