



SAFER PROJECT

providing support for young people affected by stalking

What is stalking?

Stalking is a criminal offence. Stalking involves fixated and obsessive behaviour and can be very dangerous for victims experiencing it and their families.

According to the British Crime Survey, 1 in 6 women and 1 in 10 men will experience stalking. Research shows that up to 21 individuals connected to the victim of stalking will be contacted by the stalker, meaning family members and children of the victims may also be at risk.



How can the **SAFER** project help?

Embrace CVoC has an accredited Independent Stalking Advocacy Caseworker (ISAC) who can provide specialist advice and safety planning support to young people up to 18, who may be at risk of stalking. These young people may be at risk from stalking indirectly as a result of an associate who is being stalked or may be experiencing direct stalking themselves.

How can we make young victims of stalking safer?

- S** Specialist safety planning and risk assessment
- A** Advice and advocacy
- F** Focusing on victims needs and signposting
- E** Education around stalking
- R** Raising awareness and training

How do you refer a young person to the **SAFER** project?

If the young person is up to 18 years old • Is at risk from stalking
You can refer to them to the SAFER project online by visiting Embrace CVoC's website:

www.embracecvoc.org.uk/refer-a-child

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