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Safeguarding update for parents/carers

Information for any parents needing support with children or young people expressing themselves through verbal or physical harmful behaviours:

Child to Parent Violence and Abuse (CPVA) Resources

Although there is no 'official' definition, the Domestic Abuse Commissioner for England and Wales, Nicole Jacobs, says that CPVA is 'CAPVA is a form of family abuse where children/adolescents use a range of harmful behaviours towards parents/caregivers in an attempt to get their own way, hurt or punish, communicate distress and/or control their environment.'

Here are some resources you might find useful:

Website: [PAC-UK | Child to Parent Violence Services](#)

Website: [Child on parent violence | Reducing the Risk](#)

Booklet: Child to Parent Violence - a practical guide
(Many versions of this with different organisation logos)

https://www.proceduresonline.com/nesubregion/files/southtyne_cpv.pdf

Report: Understanding Child and Adolescent to Parent Violence and Abuse (Domestic Abuse Commissioner)

<https://domesticabusecommissioner.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/CAPVA-Rapid-Literature-Review-Full-November-2021-Baker-and-Bonnick.pdf>

