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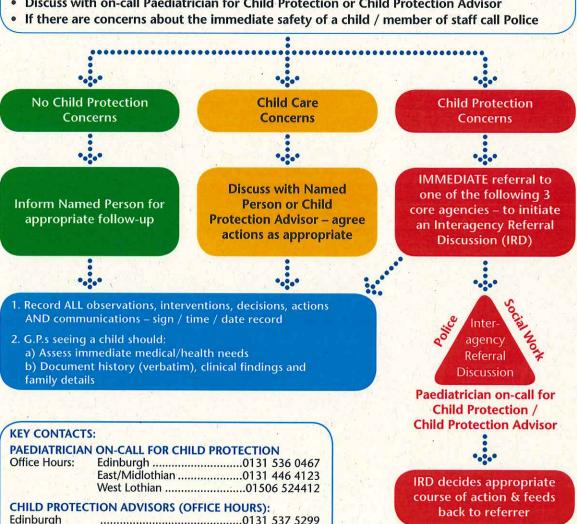


Child Protection Referral Flowchart

Member of staff suspects a child is being, or has been neglected / abused, or is at risk of being neglected / abused



- Inform and discuss with line manager/senior/consultant (Medical staff must discuss with consultant in charge)
- Discuss with on-call Paediatrician for Child Protection or Child Protection Advisor



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Out of Hours: 0131 536 0000 or Hospital Switchboard (Ask for Consultant Paediatrician on-call for Child Protection N.B. Consultant to Consultant referral)

* Staff must ensure that vital time is not wasted if they suspect a child is at risk of neglect / abuse. For further information, staff should consult the Inter-agency Child Protection Procedures Edinburgh and the Lothians (2015).

Referrer informs Named Person that they have made a child protection referral

NAMED PERSON

Birth - starting school: Health Visitor Primary / High School: Head Teacher