

HALLAM DIOCESAN SAFEGUARDING COMMISSION

Safe Practice in the Use of Images of Children and Young People Involved in Church Activities

Guidance on Taking Photographs and Recordings

- Only take photographs with consent
- Only take photographs within the context of the activity
- Only take photographs of the activity and as far as possible avoid photographing an individual child
- Avoid unsupervised contact with children to take photographs, other than those for whom you are directly responsible
- Avoid taking photographs or images of children who appear to be inappropriately dressed
- Desist if a child or young person expresses discomfort or resistance
- Report any concerns about the photographing of children and young people
- Act within the general safe practice guidelines
(see you Safeguarding Resource Pack or your Parish Representative)
- Feedback any difficulties which arise from this guidance.

For further advice, contact your Local Safeguarding Representative *or*
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