

# Child Sexual Exploitation (CSE) - what can you do?



**CSE is a form of sexual abuse that can affect any child, anytime, anywhere and from any background.**

Taxi drivers are key in identifying victims of sexual exploitation and may come into contact with children and young people who are transported in taxis.

## **Suspicious activity to look for:**

- Taking or collecting young people (girls and boys) from hotels or B&Bs.
- Picking up young people from other cars.
- Young people who look distressed or intimidated.
- Young people under the influence of drugs and/or alcohol.
- Bribes offered by young women to avoid paying fares.
- People requesting taxi rides to and from locations taking young people with them on a regular basis.
- Taking young people to A&E who are not in the presence of parents.
- Young people with injuries such as bruising or blood stains.

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## What to do:

- Make notes about the information you know
- Call 101 to report your concerns about possible sexual exploitation
- If you are concerned about the immediate safety or welfare of a child or vulnerable person, or if a crime is being committed, report it to the Police - ring 999.

## Information to share:

- Names
- Locations and addresses of concern
- Descriptions of people
- Car registration plates, makes and models of vehicles.

