

Easy Read Children's Rights and Wellbeing Impact Assessment

This page relates to work carried out to inform the original development of the Protect Scotland App. It has been retained for transparency.

Why have we done an impact assessment?



Why is an impact assessment important?



What did we find out?



Who did we speak to?



Below is a list of the groups we contacted about the app:

- Scottish Commission of Learning Disability
- Children's Parliament
- Scottish Youth Parliament
- Young Scot
- Parenting Across Scotland
- National Parenting Forum
- Connect
- Together Scotland
- Scottish Government Learning Directorate
- Information Commissioner's Office
- Children from Children's Parliament (10-15-year olds)

- Education Scotland
- Covid-19 Education Recovery Group
- Equality and Digital Inclusion Group for Digital Health and Care

Outcome

Below is a list of the groups we contacted about the app:

We ensured that we met guidelines for General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) and legal requirements set out in the Age of Legal Capacity (Scotland) Act 1991. We designed the app to ensure if you were secondary education but hadn't yet turned 12 you are asked to get consent from your parents when giving permission to [automated decisions](#). We also make sure through careful messaging that if you're are still at school and using the app that you ask a parent or guardian about anything you don't understand.

The app has been determined as an online preventative service which means the Age Appropriate Design Code need not apply nevertheless, we have tried to apply its principles as much as possible.

Read the full [Children's Rights and Wellbeing Impact Assessment](#).

If you have any questions about using the app visit [How it Works](#) and [FAQs](#).

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