

Operation Encompass information for the website

Operation Encompass is a safeguarding partnership between Lancashire Police and Education which ensures that a child's school is informed, prior to the start of the next school day, if there has been an incident of Domestic Abuse to which the child or young person has been exposed.

Each school is informed of all Domestic Abuse incidents, not just those where an offence can be identified or those which are graded as high risk. The partnership recognises that all incidents of Domestic Abuse can be harmful to children and young people

The information from the police is passed via secure email to the school's designated safeguarding leads (DSL), who have undertaken specific training and understand how to manage confidential information in line with other child protection information.

This knowledge enables a school to offer support dependent upon the needs and wishes of the child.

If you would like to discuss Encompass or any other aspect of safeguarding, please don't hesitate to make contact our designated safeguarding leads, Deputy Head Clare Lomax (Lead DSL) and Becky Mallaby-Corran (deputy DSL).