

# Basis

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**Basis** Safety  
Information  
Support

**Basis**  
sex work project

**Basis**  
young people

**Basis**  
historic CSE

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# Basis Training & Education Products

- Training Courses (Bespoke & Open Course)
  - CSE
  - Sexual Violence
  - Working with sex workers
- Awareness in schools (CSE/Online Safety)
- DVD & other resources

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# Clients we've worked with



UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS



Direct Care  
Limited

Freedom  
Personal  
Safety



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# CSE Awareness with Young People (Leeds)

- Raising awareness with young people in schools through assemblies or small workgroups, on topics like CSE or online safety:
  - Sick Party
  - Is it Normal?
  - Alright Charlie (Basis and the BLAST Project)

# Alright Charlie

- There has been a clear necessity for resources aimed towards younger children
- Rotherham, Rochdale and other areas show numbers of younger children being exploited rising
- The project has been running for the last year and was launched nationally in March
- Basis and the BLAST Project working together



# Alright Charlie?

- Over 100 professionals engaged in an online forum
- Various professionals contributed ideas towards the language, content and casting of the film and the workbook activities/design
- Consultations were held in the three trial areas (Leeds, Bradford and Derby)
- The resource has been trialled in 19 schools to over 1000 young people to date



# Alright Charlie

- 15 minute film aimed at Year 5/6
- The film has a series of pauses for YP to engage and fill in workbook
- Workbook inc. questions, scenarios and important contacts/information
- Along with the film and YP workbook, we have developed a teacher training guidance pack
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hkTG3CavTn0>





# Alright Charlie

- Free to use and download:  
<http://www.mesmac.co.uk/projects/blast/for-professionals/resources>
- Basis or BLAST can come in to deliver:
  - 1.5 hour sessions
  - Primary School Teacher briefing (1- 1.5 hrs)

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# DVD & Learning Resources

## Sick Party DVD – CSE Awareness

- Created to highlight the current ‘Party Lifestyle’ model of grooming
- Used with young people and professionals
- 20 minute professional drama focusing on real life events
- Sold over 800 copies nationwide:
  - <http://basistraining.org.uk/resources/sick-party/>

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## Is it Normal?

- Written by young people, highlighting their experiences of porn
- Developed and acted by a local drama group
- Want to help professionals / parents /carers to talk about porn with young people

<http://basistraining.org.uk/resources/is-it-normal/>

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# How to make a referral

- Girls: [www.basisyorkshire.org.uk/youngpeople](http://www.basisyorkshire.org.uk/youngpeople)
- Boys: [www.mesmac.co.uk/projects/blast/for-professionals/make-a-referral](http://www.mesmac.co.uk/projects/blast/for-professionals/make-a-referral)
- Fill out CSE matrix with as much information and analysis as possible
- If risk is **medium or high**, send to:
  - [ypreferentials@basisyorkshire.org.uk](mailto:ypreferentials@basisyorkshire.org.uk) ; **and!!**
  - [Specialist.safeguarding@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:Specialist.safeguarding@leeds.gov.uk)
- If **low**, inform Duty & Advice on 0113 3760336, and reassess no later than 6 months after.

# Thank you!

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