Location Risk Assessment

Sandstone House



Home URN	2588593
Registered Manager	Catherine Neal
Responsible Individual	Dan Old
Last Review Date	02/06/2026

Introduction – Legislative Framework

All children and young people, whether they are looked after by their local authority, guardians, carers or by their parents, need to feel safe in the area surrounding their home. Just as any parent would want to their child to live in a safe area so too will a corporate parent who places children in a children's home. A location that is safe can change rapidly, and may depend on the vulnerabilities of particular children. Indeed, some individual children may themselves heighten risks in an area if they have particularly risky behaviours.

A home may be located in an area with some local risks, and still be 'safe', if these are managed well, arrangements are made to keep children safe, and placement decisions take account of these risks. Consideration of risks in a local area, and what steps should be taken to mitigate these, should be part of the care planning and placement decision process. Placing social workers should be responsible for assessing local risks and making judgments about safe locations before placing the child. The availability of support and services in the local area (e.g. education, health, CAMHS), as well as risk factors, should be considered before the placement is made.

Role of the provider

Better equipping children's home staff to make judgments about local risks, manage challenging behaviour, and keep children safe is an important element. Workforce training, support and knowledge is therefore critical to the success.

The Children's Homes and Looked after Children (Miscellaneous Amendments) (England) Regulations 2013 introduced the following changes to the Children's Homes Regulations 2001 and the Registration Regulations:
Regulation 31(1A) and (1B) of the Children's Homes Regulations 2001 as amended introduced a requirement in January 2014 for providers or managers to:

- Ensure that premises used for the purposes of a children's home are appropriately and suitably located so that children cared for by the home are:
  (a) effectively safeguarded, and
  (b) able to access services to meet the needs identified in their care or placement plan;
- Review the appropriateness and suitability of the location of the premises at least once in every calendar year.

About The Home

Homes Address

96 Chase Cross Road
Romford
Havering
RM5 3PP

Map Grid Reference

TQ501912

Three words: Alien.Vocab.Exam

Profile of The Home & Young People

Sandstone House is on Chase Cross Road which is located in the Collier Row area of North Romford, which falls in the London borough of Havering.

The home is situated in a pleasant residential area close to direct bus routes in to the town and within walking distance, 5 minutes, of local amenities including leisure facilities, local GP, library and various cafes.

There is good access to various parks; the closest being Lawns Park which is an 8- minute walk and offers a range of facilities, such as a children's play area, outside gym and young people can participate in a range of sports, including, basketball, tennis and five-a-side football.

Young people can also access a local shopping centre nearby - Liberty Shopping Centre, which is a 15-minute bus ride or a 40 mins walk. Collier Row high street is a 5-minute walk with lots of restaurants, coffee shops and a library. North Romford community centre is a 5-minute walk with various activities, such as, keep fit classes, yoga, martial arts classes, table tennis, badminton and dance classes.

The home is situated in a pleasant residential area close to direct bus routes into the town and within walking distance (5 minutes) of local amenities including leisure facilities, local GP, library and various cafes.

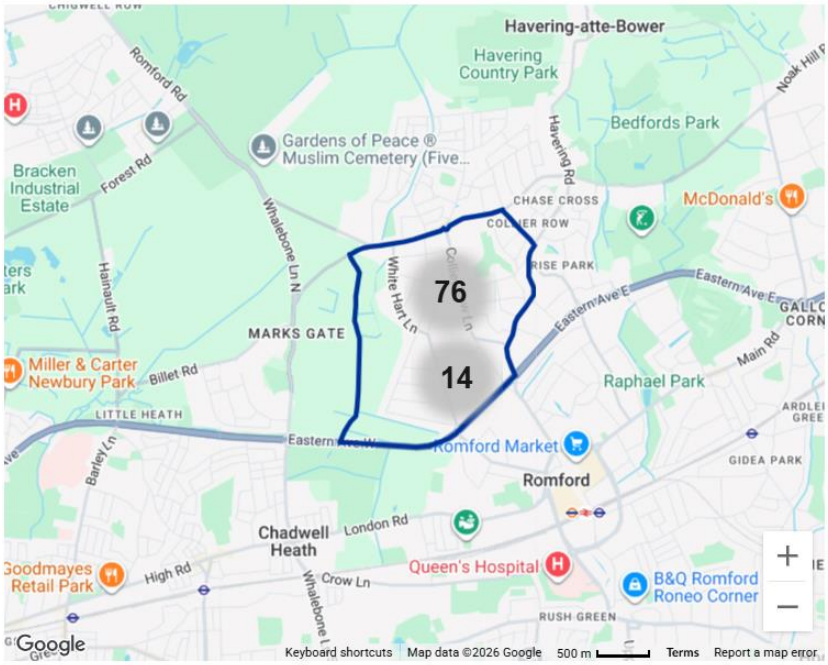
- Parks
- Leisure Centre
- Bowling
- Swimming Pools
- Gym
- Restaurants
- Cinema
- Museums

Reported Crime in the Area

The data below was published by the Police and represents incidents that were reported to them, not the crimes that were prosecuted and/ or had further action taken.

Any known local hot spots for crime have been detailed in the risk management section of this document.

Click on a hotspot to see more details. Alternatively, view as A-Z list.



Crime type and time period title

All Crimes (90)

March 2026

90 crimes were reported here in March 2026

Violence and sexual offences	25
Anti-social behaviour	17
Shoplifting	10
All other crime	38

Analysis/Summary;

These are the current charts available on the Met Police website in regards to crime in the local area.
Sandstone House falls in the neighbourhood of Collier Row which sometimes is referred to as Havering Park.
The data below was published by the Police and represents incidents that were reported to them, not the crimes that were prosecuted and/or had further action taken.
In the month of March there were 90 crimes reported.
The largest category was Violence and Sexual offences with a total of 25 reported during this period.

The borough of Havering continues to compare favourably compared to similar size boroughs throughout the country and crime and remains some of the lowest in the London boroughs.
Havering borough has also seen an introduction of 5 new police officers on the beat with £900,000 ring fenced for the next three years to see new officers working alongside existing officers and other partners to tackle anti-social behaviour and target law enforcement.
The new officers will solely be working in the local neighbourhoods as part of the new enforcement and safety team, which will allow them to prioritise and allocate resources to tackle the issues that need an immediate response and clamp down on crime in the community.

Strategic Aims have been put in place in December 2025 to help reduce crime and fear of crime around violence against women and girls and is ongoing.
Strategic aim added this month was theft of motor vehicles, the force are planning to use engagement and Educational activities to reduce risk of crime and design out criminal opportunity.

These is are most recent statistic available at the time of this report.

Transport

	Rail	Bus	Car
Details/summary Are there any specific known hotspots related that have been informed through various consultation/local knowledge?	The area is serviced by 3 train stations with the nearest being Romford station, which is approximately 2.5 miles away, a short bus journey. The station is part of the new Elizabeth Line. Allowing journeys to central London in under 30 minutes.	The home is close to a number of bus stops with routes into Romford Town, Dagenham, Hornchurch and Rainham. Bus routes are 175, 375, 651 and 365.	The home can be easily navigated to via the M25, A12, A127 and M11.
Managers overview of transport links/risks	The home is within close proximity to a number and bus routes offering a service into the local town centre and train stations. Services run regularly (every 10 minutes) and allow access to the wider transport links of London. This affords our young people with easy access to the wider community but also presents risks as young people could easily access public transport to be absent without authorisation and/or go missing from home. Looked after children are vulnerable to all types of exploitation and this ease of access to transport links can increase this vulnerability especially in terms of criminal and county lines exploitation.		

Children & young people's thoughts on the location

Date	Way in which the consultation was gathered	Details/comments/views
March 26	JJC	JJC joined Sandstone on 2nd March. This area is very new to him. The Team have begun walking and bike riding for him to get use to the area.
April 26	NG	NG has left Sandstone house due to a significant incident 25.03.26
May 26	TC	T has been speaking about when she moves on from Sandstone, she would like to stay in the area of Havering as she has got to know the area now and feels she can see herself living here independently.
June 26	JJC	Has been exploring the area, frequently going to Hainault forest country park and has shared that he likes spending time

Location risk assessment

Likelihood		X	Severity		Levels	
Not Likely	1		Negligible	1	Low	1 - 8
Possible	2		Slight	2	Medium	9 - 15
Likely	3		Moderate	3	High	16 - 19
Very likely	4		Serious	4	Very High	20 - 25
Almost certain	5		Fatal	5		

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
Drugs/Association or vulnerabilities & links with those who take substances **Known hotspot = White heart lane & Harold hill** **Risk Level = Low** **Likelihood** 2 **X** **Severity** 4	White Heart Lane is a 10-minute walk from sandstone and is a known hotspot for where young people tend to congregate and may be smoking cannabis or have links with wider criminal influences such as drug dealers etc. Harold Hill is also a known area for the same. Children and young people congregate near the flats which are associated with drugs. DC Kate Hurley has advised the homes manager that local parks are currently considered hotspots for Anti-Social Behaviour amongst local youths. Due to sandstone being located just outside of Romford, the home will always be of medium risk for drugs and associated people because of its location. The home previously had concerns in January 22 when a previous resident ran up a cannabis drug debt and the associated dealer came to the home to request money.	• Children who live at Sandstone are supervised when accessing risky areas of Romford including White Heart Lane, Harold hill and local parks. They will be discouraged from entering these areas without adults and informed, through key-work of the risks. • If a young person has historical substance misuse this would be identified within the matching process, risk assessments and placement plans implemented at the admission stage. • The young people would be educated as to the dangers of drugs, and all other risks associated such as potential gang affiliation. • The home has built a good relationship with the local substance misuse service called Wise Up and with our local PCSO's. This allows us to be informed of any significant new information regarding local substance misuse/crime concerns. • If a child or young person was to have unaccompanied time with friends or family then this would be risk assessed and authorised by both the homes manager and social worker, as well as being continually reviewed for safeguarding purposes.

August 25	No changes
September 25	No changes
November 25	No changes, Risk remains as none of our young people engage in drugs or substances.
January 26	No changes, Risk remains as none of our young people engage in drugs or substances.
February	No changes at present due to none of our young people engage in Drugs or Substances.
March 26	No changes at present due to none of our young people engage in Drugs or Substances.

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
April 26	No changes at present due to none of our young people engage in Drugs or Substances	
May 26	No changes made as our young people are not involved with drugs or substances, when they go out into community they are mostly with the team members.	
June 26	No changes made. Current young people do not present with drug or substance misuse concerns and are typically supported by staff when accessing the community, reducing the likelihood of exposure to substance-related risks.	

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
Individual or group risk of child sexual exploitation **Risk Level = MEDIUM** **Likelihood** 3 **X** **Severity** 4	This area's crime mapping figures, report a high rate of violence, sexual assault and gang related activity. The home is in close proximity to this area and some of our young people travel via the area to go to school or to access activities.	• Sandstone House works collaboratively with our local police forces and other local safeguarding services. • The referral process will highlight where potentially admitted young people may pose a risk to other young people either from their own actions or the potential to introduce other young people to harmful situations. • Any concerns regarding CSE will result in robust discussions with respective Social Workers, LADO, Safeguarding Children Board, MASH Team & CSE Police Officer/s. • The security of the home is monitored with CCTV external cameras & we have the ability to enable bedroom door alarms when required. • Young people will be supported to undergo informal workshops/learning in order to gain better understanding of healthy relationships and the risks around grooming and exploitation. • Young people are monitored as far as is possible with regard to internet access and young people receive information with regard to keeping themselves safe whilst on the internet. • Communication with school/college is made on the daily basis/Education Attendance Register in place. • Young people who are vulnerable within the community are to be supported to attend activities by staff and able to maintain contact with staff in emergencies. • All staff have received training in regard to Child Sexual Exploitation.
August 25	No changes made.	
September 25	No changes made.	

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
November 25	No changes made, TC has been accessing the local area independently walking down to a peer's house and returning on her own within her free time agreement.	
January 26	No changes made.	
February 26	No changes made.	
March 26	No changes made.	
April 26	No changes made	
May 26	No changes made	
June 26	No changes made	

Identified Risk/Concern		Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
Close proximity to Main Road **Risk Level = MEDIUM**		The flow of traffic along road is generally light during the day, however the traffic does increase during peak traffic times. The speed limit for drivers is 30mph. Currently the traffic levels are higher due to ongoing road works at Gallows corner. This increases the risk to a Medium during this time. The works have been delayed and no current completion date confirmed. May 26- They have begun opening up Gallows flyover in slow increments. This has decreased the traffic flow through Chase Cross Road. Although risk will remain until this is fully open.	• Young people are supported to develop their skills with regards to road safety through goal plans related to road safety • The speed limit for drivers is 30mph and the home is located closely after a roundabout, which slows drivers down too. • The Home is removed from the road by a driveway and pavement. • Young people are to be guided and instructed around road safety through key works, workshops and weekly meetings. • During the admissions & matching process, we would not accept a referral, which stipulated that the young person run out onto roads. The homes manager will also ask this question during any consultation-taking place prior to completing an impact risk assessment. • The homes manager will report any concerns regarding the traffic with our assigned PCSO.
Likelihood	3		
X			
Severity	4		
August 25	No Changes made.		
September 25	Level of likelihood due to gallows corner road works. The traffic is now flowing through Chase Cross Road. This increased the likelihood which moved the overall score to a medium.		
November 25	No changes at present, Gallows Corner is still under reconstruction so traffic flow is still coming through Chase cross road but no changes to level of risk.		

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
January 26	No change to level of risk, updated due to road works still continuing at Gallows Corner for longer period of time than previously known.	
February 26	No changes to level of Risk, Current traffic levels are still high due to road works.	
March 26	No changes to level of Risk, Current traffic levels are still high due to road works.	
April 26	Works around Gallows corner affecting A12 have been delayed and waiting confirmation of completion date.	
May 26	Added new information- Gallows has begun to open up in slow increments, No changes to risk level as there is still a higher amount of traffic flow through Chase Cross Road.	
June 26	Gallows has begun to open up in slow increments, No changes to risk level as there is still a higher amount of traffic flow through Chase Cross Road.	

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
Local Gangs/Risk of Criminal Exploitation (CCE) **Hot spot =** Behind the KFC on the high road (local gangs & runners congregate in and around the flats here) **Risk Level = MEDIUM** **Likelihood** 3 **X** **Severity** 5	Consultation with DC Kate Hurley from Romford Police CE team informed the home that there are no recognised gangs in the Romford area. There is known gang activity within Barking and Dagenham as well as Forest Gate On occasion gang activity has spilled into the Romford area from adjacent areas. There is knowledge of gangs in the Harold Wood area which is a 15-minute walk from the home. There are currently no known gangs in the Collier Row area.	• Staff are to ensure that young people are escorted to and from appointments depending on their age, understanding and risk assessment. • The referral process will seek to identify where a young person is affiliated with a gang or gang related activity and any potential placement will be carefully risk assessed in discussions with the placing authority and the Home's management team. • Impact Risk Assessment and panel agreement in place for meeting the matching criteria in home. • Staff will be aware of and monitor all young people for signs that they are becoming involved in gang activity. • All young people will be supported to be engaged in positive activities to help them avoid becoming involved with negative influences/peer groups/gang members. • Staff will have positive and open working relationships with young people and positive relationships between the young people in the home will be encouraged. • External agencies will be brought in to discuss risky behaviours and the dangers of such with the young people in the home. • Young people Gangs /Policy and Procedures in place in support all YP to better understand the risk of being part of Gang and useful information in regards. • Good relationships with educational facilities and external professionals will be maintained in order to enable us to recognise any signs of gang affiliation.
August 25	No changes made.	

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
September 25	No changes made. Email sent to Juliet for update on local Gangs.	
November	No changes made. Still no update from Juliet, Email sent to chase.	
January 26	No changes made, Email sent again to follow up on current updates from the police with information.	
February 26	No updates given as of yet from Email sent. No changes have been made.	
March 26	No Changes made, Still no updates. Another email sent to chase.	
April 26	No Changes made, Still no updates, no email response back .	
May 26	No changes made.	
June 26	No changes made	

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
Local Parks within a 15-minute drive **Risk Level = LOW** **Likelihood** 2 **X** **Severity** 2	**Hainault Country Forest Park Romford Road, Chigwell** **Raphael Park Parkway, Main Road** **Havering county park** **Elm Park** We have quite a few local parks within the area that could potentially at different times be places of risk to our children due to things like bicycle theft, personal robbery, gang affiliation, anti-social behaviour, etc	• Children having free time at any parks will always prompt for us to have consultation with our local PCSO and any other local contacts who may be able to share any issues or concerns that we need to be aware of. • We will ensure our young people are supervised at this location and will complete regular key work sessions about not leaving their bicycles unattended. • JJC has his own bike however he go's out with staff supervision at all times • We will ensure that our young people are supervised at the local parks, if any anti-social behaviour occurs and is witnessed by our young people they will be supported by the team to report this to the police. Follow up sessions with Bernedette will be offered to our young people.
August 25	No changes.	
September 25	No changes made.	
November 25	TC has been out unsupervised into the local area meeting a peer. TC has not shared there has been any concerns while out and she had enjoyed her time.	
January 26	No changes made. Neither of the children have been out in the past 2 months unsupervised in the local area.	
February 26	No Changes made.	

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
March 26	No changes made. JJC and NG don't go out unsupervised in the local area. TC walks up to the High street and back unsupervised but doesn't go to local parks.	
April 26	NG has been removed from LARA. JJC added to LARA, JJC witnessed an assault on a member of the public 10.03.2026 in the local park, he was with a team member at the time – Supervision will continue when our young people are visiting the local parks.	
May 26	No changes made.	
June 26	No changes made	

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
Anti-social behaviour Hotspots = in the evenings around Collier Row shops. Around the library end. Petersfield road - This is about 15 minutes from sandstone house near the gallows corner Tesco's, but it appears a lot of the collier row youth are familiar with a lot of the names on this estate. Local Parks have also been identified as hot spots for anti-social behaviour. **Bagel shop which is located opposite Sandstone house was burgled on the 5/10/25.** **Risk Level = LOW** **Likelihood** 2 **X** **Severity** 4	It is known that these areas are hotspots for groups of young people who congregate and can be quite loud and disruptive.	• If any child is to have free time in the evenings, then regular welfare calls and visual checks will be made and if any young person is known to start hanging around the hotspots listed then the free time agreement and risk assessment will be reviewed accordingly. • All children are regularly encouraged to have key work sessions about anti-social behaviour, acceptable behaviours etc • As a home we actively get as involved in the local community as possible. • Ensure all Door locks and CCTV are working and turned on every night. Ring door alarms are in place. • Any suspicious behaviour reported to police.
August 25	No changes	

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
September 25	No changes made.	
October 25	Antisocial behaviour- Incident at bagel shop on the 5.10.25 of burglary.	
November 25	No changes.	
January 26	No changes made.	
February 26	No changes made	
March 26	No Changes Made.	
April 26	No changes made	
May 26	No changes made	
June 26	No changes made	

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
Proximity of neighbours **Risk Level = LOW** **Likelihood** 2 **X** **Severity** 4	There could be risks/issues associated with privacy, parking, noise etc. April 2026 – Neighbor at back of the house came to the home and explained that her husband is on palliative care and asked if we limit the ball hotting the back fence and the ball going over the fence into her garden.	• There is an enclosed garden area where several separate properties could see into the garden; however, some of this view is obstructed by fencing. • The home has windows that all have fitted blinds to prevent outsiders from seeing in the home from outside • The home to ensure that they create and sustain positive relations with all neighbouring homes • Staff to ensure they are mindful of parking issues and only use the parking provided • Staff to be mindful of noise / disruption to others • General good neighbourly gestures such as Christmas cards / apologies if the home has caused unnecessary disruption • Manage any complaints through the company's complaints procedure and ensure this is resolved quickly. • We have changed the position of the football goal so that the ball does not go towards the back of the garden which has prevented the ball hitting the back fence.
August 25	No changes	
September 25	No changes made.	
November 25	No changes	
January 26	No changes, The neighbours interact with every at Sandstone pleasantly.	

Identified Risk/Concern	Description of risk	Risk Management Strategies/Actions to be taken
February 26	No changes made.	
March 26	No Changes Made.	
April 26	Discussion with neighbour added and prevention now in place.	
May 26	No changes made	
June 26	No changes made	

Current young People

Child's Initials	TC	Gender	F
Local Authority	Northamptonshire	Admission Date	11th January 2024
Are there any current locational risks detailed above that presently affect TC	TC has moved to Sandstone on the 11th January 2024. T has not previously lived in the area or the surrounding areas before. This is a very new location to T. At present T is at low risk although T has recently begun meeting up with 2 peers of the same age range in Collier row during the day. She has been leaving the home unsupervised during these times and returning within 2-3 hours. Therefore, at present she is at low risk. If risks arise further concerns these will be assessed as and when they arise and measures will be implemented to reduce or eliminate any potential risk. The team are continuing to explore ideas with T for Activities and youth clubs for her within the local area.		
Updates	August 25- No changes required September 25- No changes required. November 25- No changes Required January 26- No changes. April 26 – No changes May 26- No changes. June 26 – No changes		

Childs initials	JJC	Gender	M
Local Authority	Camden	Admission Date	2nd March 2026
Are there any current locational risks detailed above that presently affect NG	JJC moved to Sandstone House on 2nd March 2026. J isn't from this area and so this is very new to him. J knows Camden and some parts of Surrey due to his previous placement. J has been out in the local area and local parks with family and the team Since witnessing an assault in the local park J has been reluctant to return for a bike ride, J has had a session with Bernadette to discuss his feelings around this matter.		

Updates	March 26- Initial RA implemented.
	April 26 – Removed DOLLS as this is no longer in place and ended 01.04.26, added witness of assault in the local park , follow up actions from that incident.
	May 26- JJC has begun going out to different areas with the team members, This is a slow positive progress or him since witnessing the above.
	June 26 – JJC continues to explore the different areas with the team, JJC has now a particular interest in going to Hainault forest for walks with the team and has more recently began fishing at a fishing club in Woodford green.

CONCLUSION

Consultation with local services and information sought suggests that Sandstone House is well placed to provide a safe and stable home to children and young people where they will benefit from the low-risk environment in the town of Romford. With links to community services, resources and activities, the home is appropriate to offer an environment where children and young people will be offered opportunities to develop safe, healthy relationships and therefore their own skills and abilities in all areas of their own development.

The proximity and ease of access to the riskier areas of London is a cause for concern and the home aims to mitigate these risks in the development of healthy and safe relationships in the home with clear and effective risk assessments and protocols for children who may go missing and are vulnerable to exploitation in all its forms.

The home has demonstrated the ability to work closely and effectively with other agencies to ensure that children's presenting needs are met and that they are educated to understand and be protected from risks in the immediate and wider community.

Appendix 1 - Key Contacts & Consultation

Local Authority Designated officer (LADO)		Date	Details of consultation which helped inform this risk assessment
Name	LISA KENNEDY	08/10/2024	Email to Lisa Kennedy requesting feedback regards our recent partnership working and thoughts on any areas of what she feels we may be able to improve on.
Job Title	LADO		
Telephone	01708 431653		
Email	lado@havering.gov.uk lisa.kennedy@havering.gov.uk	08/07/2025	Email to Lisa Kennedy requesting feedback regards our recent partnership working and thoughts on any areas of what she feels we may be able to improve on.
Address	7th Floor, Mercury House, Mercury Gardens, Romford. RM1 3SL		
Police		**Date**	**Details of consultation which helped inform this risk assessment**
Missing from care Co-ordinator			
Name	Jessica Rogers	08/10/2024	Email sent requesting feedback on work partnership working and any improvements to the home and the service that she feels would be beneficial.
Job Title	Police Constable – Missing Persons Coordinator East Area Metropolitan Police Service Continuous Policing Improvement Command (CPIC)	16/12/2024	Claire Sauntry has shared that Jessica is currently on temporary sick leave. Claire has arranged for Missing from Care training to be delivered to the Team at Sandstone for 02/01/2025
Telephone	07392271783		
Email	Jessica.Rogers@met.police.uk Claire.sauntry2@met.police.uk	15.01.2025	Training was held for the team about the Philomena Protocol with Claire Sauntry. Team members were able to attend virtually.

MFC LOCATE Team	EAMailbox-.PublicProtectionMISPER@met.police.uk			
Local PCSO's/Other Policing contacts				
Name	Job Title		Telephone	Email
June Richardson	Community Safety Team – Local Area Coordinator – Mawneys Ward Area			June.Richardson@Met.Police.uk
Kellie Newton				
Roshan Manandhar	Police Constable			
June Richardson	PCSO			
Nikki Relf	Acting police sergeant			
Kate Hurley	DC, Child Sexual Exploitation Team, Havering			kate.S.Hurley@met.police.uk
Date	Details of consultation which helped inform this risk assessment			
19.01.26	Email sent to June to confirm the above people were still connected to the force and if their titles were still up to date.			
Gangs/ County Lines/ Violence reduction Teams		Date	Details of consultation which helped inform this risk assessment	
Referrals are made through Havering MASH team --				
Name			Email sent requesting information/feedback	
Job Title				
Telephone	01708 433222			
Email 1	tmash@havering.gov.uk juliet.hazlewood@havering.gov.uk			
Email 2				
Address				
Specialist CSE Teams		Date	Details of consultation which helped inform this risk assessment	
Name	BARNADOS – TIGER SERVICE		TIGER stands for Trauma Informed Growth and Empowered Recovery; Barnardo's unique evidence-informed and evaluated trauma-informed approach. We work with children, young people and their families where there are concerns around child sexual abuse, assault and exploitation, harmful sexual behaviours or youth violence. The approach is designed	
Job Title				
Telephone	tel:07519294000 0126 890 4228			
Email 1	tigerservices@barnardos.org.uk			

	londonlistenandlink@barnardos.org.uk		to provide children and young people with the narrative to understand and express their experiences and coach them to recovery through empathetic listening, emotional regulation, positive psychology and personal goal setting. We also work alongside safe primary caregivers to support the child to recovery.
Address			
Sexual Violence Support Team			
Name		08/10/2024	Email sent requesting information/feedback
Job Title			
Telephone	020 3299 6900	19.01.25	Email Sent to confirm the details are up to date.
Email 1	IASS@havering.gov.uk		
Address	Haven Whitechapel, 9 Brady Street London Postcode E1 5DG		
Name	Explotation Team		
Email	EAMailbox- .PublicProtectionCSE@met.police.uk		
Support Services		Date	Details of consultation which helped inform this risk assessment
Youth Offending Team			
Name	Samantha Denoon	08/10/2024	Email requesting information and feedback sent
Job Title	Havering Youth Justice Service		
Telephone	01708 433 819	19.01.26	Call made to confirm correct details- Telephone number went to the town hall. Email sent to Havering to confirm details.
Email 1	samantha.denoon@havering.gov.uk		
Address	Havering Youth Justice Service 7th Floor Mercury House Mercury Gardens Romford RM1 3DW		
Drug, Alcohol, Substance misuse Support			
Name	Nicola Kennedy		We spoke to Sam the team leader at wize-up and she said that to make a referral we do it online on their website; Wize Up - Havering - Referrals | Change Grow Live
Job Title	WIZE UP Support Services		
Telephone	07920 807 726		
Email 1	WizeupHavering@cgl.org.uk		

			(link above) They will then respond within 3 working days. We spoke about our home and the reasons as to why we may need their support in the future.
Address	MyPlace Youth and Community Centre 343 Dagnam Park Dr Romford RM3 9EN Youth Justice Service 10 Hedley Close, High St Romford, RM1 1AH	19.01.26	Call made to Nicola to confirm if referrals were still made online. Changes to address made. All correct still as of June 26
Radicalization & PREVENT Teams		Date	Details of consultation which helped inform this risk assessment
Name of service/agency……..			
Name	Emily Knight	08/10/2024	Havering website added to LARA Email sent requesting information and feedback
Job Title	Prevent and Hate Crime Coordinator		
Telephone	01708433222 01708 433082 Out of hours/Weekends: 01708433999	03/04/2025	Emily visited Sandstone and gave some training in regards to Prevent and Hate Crime. Emily shared the presentation slides for the team to refer to.
Email 1	prevent@havering.gov.uk emily.knight@havering.gov.uk		
Address	London Borough of Havering | Community Engagement & Participation Team	19.01.26	Email sent to Prevent and Emily to ensure the correct information is still up to date. All updated in Feb 26

Appendix 2 – Local Contacts & Consultation

Name/Role & details of local contact	Date	Details of consultation which helped inform this risk assessment
S Bailey-Cook	August 25	Updated NG's exploring within Romford town centre. Updated the Police reporting within the local area.
S Bailey-Cook	September 25	Update on local traffic with regards to gallows corner road works- Likelihood level moved to a 3 during the roadworks which took the overall score to a medium. Email sent to Juliet Hazelwood for current information on local gang groups.
S Bailey-Cook	November 25	Updates on children's monthly knowledge on local area. No changes to risks.
Sam Bailey-Cook	January 26	Updates on children's monthly knowledge on the area, No Changes to risks. Emails sent to professionals to confirm the information we have is currently up to date.
S Bailey-Cook	February 26	Updated contact details for key professionals.

Appendix 2 – Local Health Services

Dentist	Doctors/GP
Dental Fitness Clinic, is in very close proximity form the house; 2-minute walk. 17 Chase cross road Romford RM5 3PJ 01708763167	Dr P A Joseph and Chase Cross Medical Centre. Both surgeries are within a 5-minute walk from the house. 42 Chase Cross Road Romford RM5 3PR 01708764911
Opticians	**Walk in centre (out of hours)**
The nearest opticians are Debney's Opticians, which is on the same road and a 2-minute walk. 16 Chase Cross Road Romford RM5 3PR 01708737448	Harold Wood Walk in Centre St Clements Ave Gubbins Ln 020 3416 7722
Pharmacy	**Local Hotel**
The nearest Pharmacy is Brooks which is around a 3 minutes' walk on the same road. Brooks Pharmacy 12 Chase cross Road, Collier Row, Romford, Essex, RM5 3PR 01708898617	Premier Inn Mercury Gardens, Romford RM1 3EN 0333 321 8452 Premier Inn – Moby Dick Whalebone Ln N, Romford RM6 6QU 0333 321 8453
Hospital (closest)	**Hospital 2nd closest**
Queen's Hospital is the closest hospital to the home and is about 2.8 miles away, which is easily accessible by car and direct bus routes from outside the house. Queen's Hospital Rom Valley Way Romford RM7 0AG (0330) 400 4333	**King George Hospital** Barley Lane Goodmayes Essex IG3 8YB **Switchboard:** 01708 435 000
Sexual Health Clinic (GUM)	**CAMHS**
Barking Community Hospital Outpatients East, Barking Hospital, Upney Lane, Barking, Greater London, IG11 9LX Phone: 020 8970 5724 2nd Option: **Sexual Health Clinic - Loxford Polyclinic** 417 Ilford Lane, Ilford, Greater London, IG1 2SN Phone: 020 8970 5724	**Havering CAMHS** The Acorn Centre 306 London Rd Romford RM7 9NH Tel: 0300 300 1888 Email: nem-tr.referralsacorncentre@nhs.net
LAC Nurse Team	**Other**
Looked After Children Team - Havering The Acorn Centre 306 London Road Romford RM7 9NH Tel: 0300 300 1888 – Option 5 Email: LACHealthHavering@Nelft.nhs.uk	

Appendix 3 - Local Educational Provisions

Mainstream	Specialist/PRU/Tutor Agency
Havering College of further and higher education The college is 3.5 miles from the house and a 35-minute bus ride. Havering College aims to deliver high quality education and training that responds to the needs of employers and individuals. They work to deliver courses that are developed in conjunction with employers to ensure that you have the opportunity to develop the relevant skills required for your industry. They have a diverse curriculum of over 360 courses, ranging from entry level to postgraduate degrees meaning they can provide all the pathways needed to progress on to a higher course or straight into employment.	Ravensbourne School The Trust now provides education across both mainstream and special education sectors, across three regions - London, Peterborough and Havering. Our academies share expertise and learning across sectors, breaking down institutional and educational barriers to everyone's benefit. Irena.Karapetyan@limetrust.london Telephone: 0203 326 9174 70-72 New Road Chingford London E4 8ET
New City College New City College is 2.9 miles from the home and about a 40-minute bus ride. New City College is the largest college in Northeast London and fourth largest in the UK, providing education and training to 20,000 students, including young people aged 14–18 and adults. It was formed by a merger between Hackney Community College and Tower Hamlets College in 2016 and then with Redbridge College in 2017.	Little Heath is a successful and well-established school for pupils aged 11-19 with autism, a wide range of learning difficulties and complex needs. Little Heath is a thriving community we're all proud to be part of and a place where everyone is encouraged and supported to develop to their full potential Little Heath School Hainault Road Little Heath Romford Essex RM6 5RX Telephone - 020 8599 4864 Email - school@lheath.net
Bower Park Academy Secondary School Bower Park Academy is a secondary school with academy status, located 0.7 miles from Sandstone House and about a 15-minute walk. Bower Park is set in pleasant Green Belt surroundings, and has a lot to offer: • Extensive PE facilities, including a full-size, all-weather astro-turf pitch • Comprehensive computer networks, including networked internet access • Extensive science facilities • Drama and music studios	Bower Park Academy Havering Road, Romford, Essex. RM1 4YY Email: **bowerpark@elatschools.co.uk** Telephone: **01708 730244**

Appendix 4 - Local Religious Places of worship

Radha Krishna Temple Telephone: 01708 347 628 The School House Church Road Noak Hill RM4 1LD	Sikh Temple Maidstone Road Grays RM17 6NF (01375) 376086
Romford Christian Spiritualist Church Place of Worship 18 St Edwards Way Romford RM1 4DD 01708459862	Romford Baptist church Main road Romford RM1 3BL 01708743382
St Edward Parish Church Church House Marketplace Romford RM1 3AB Email: office@stedwardsromford.com	Chigwell & Hainault Synagogue, Limes Avenue, Chigwell. IG7 5NT 020 8500 2451 Office@chigshul.org.uk
Havering Islamic Cultural Centre 91 Waterloo Road, Romford RM7 0AA 01708 741333 haveringislamiccentre.org.uk	