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# CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

#### Making children visible

This good practice guide from Women's Aid provides a brief insight into the incredible work they are engaged in, and the impact it has on children's and young people's lives. It provides numerous examples of good practice from across the UK when working with children who have experience domestic abuse.

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### **AGE FRIENDLY**

COVID-19 and the digital divide: Supporting digital inclusion and skills during the pandemic and beyond

New research from Ageing Better and Citizens Online looks at the effect of COVID-19 on digital skills and usage. The report offers examples of good practice and recommendations for organisations that deliver services to users and help digitally excluded people with skills training.

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### COVID-19

### Prime Minister sets out plan to ease restrictions at step 4

On Monday, the Prime Minister announced plans to ease restrictions in England as we reach Step 4 of the Roadmap. This will include an end to social distancing, the safe re-opening of venues, and there will no longer be restrictions placed on gatherings or the mandatory wearing of face coverings.

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### **OBESITY**

## Tackling obesity: the role of the NHS in a whole-system approach

This new report from the King's Fund finds that in recent years the gap in obesity prevalence between the most and least deprived communities has widened, leading to increases in hospital admissions. It explores the role of the NHS in tackling obesity, focusing on how the NHS can work with local partners and engage with communities to deliver targeted interventions to treat and prevent obesity.

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#### **MIGRANT HEALTH**

#### Migrant health NHS entitlement videos

PHE have released two new videos on the NHS entitlements for Migrants in the UK. The first is called Entitlements to NHS services for migrants in England, and the second is called Keeping up to date with vaccinations for migrants. The videos the entitlements to NHS services and to vaccination for migrants.

NHS Services Link

Vaccinations Link

#### REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH

### Understanding disparities in reproductive health

In 2018 Public Health England asked the public about their experiences with reproductive health issues. Responses are not representative of the whole population so this July, PHE are running another survey so everyone gets their say.

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