BAFGM

Birmingham Against Female Genital Mutilation



BAFGM – Purpose and Aims

Awareness raising



Legal Context

FGM Act 2003 (amended by the Serious Crime Act 2015

Mandatory Reporting

FGM Protection Orders

Right of Anonymity

Birmingham Context – West Midlands Police

2021 (to October)	43
2020	51
2019	80
2018	57



Birmingham Childrens Trust

FGMPO's

National Context

Priorities for 2019/2020 - Update

Strengthen lines of accountability and support with Birmingham Safeguarding Children Partnership

Review and refresh of the BAFGM Website

Explore the potential for greater collaboration at a region level to tackle FGM

Development of FGM Strategy and Action Plan 2019-21

Progress on Work Programme

Impact of COVID – 19

BSol CCG Designate Safeguarding Team

Birmingham Under 18s FGM Medical Assessments

NHS Digital Dataset

Birmingham Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust (BCHC)

National FGM Support Clinic

Progress on Work Programme



Priorities for 2022/2023

- Development of FGM Strategy and Action Plan
- BAFGM conference
- Complete research on FGM language
- Strengthen social work practice
- Develop a suitable multi-agency training offer for 2022-23 with BSCP
- Awareness raising through the community
- Multi-agency audits