



Leicestershire Police

Female Genital Mutilation Policy

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Department Responsible:	Crime and Intelligence Directorate
Chief Officer Approval:	Deputy Chief Constable
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This policy has been reviewed against APP and all relevant procedures.	
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Review log

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Leicestershire Police officers and staff will respond to investigating Female Genital Mutilation (FGM) by following the national guidance contained within Authorised Professional Practice (APP):

- [APP- Female Genital Mutilation](#)

And:

- [Multi Agency Practice Guidelines - FGM](#)
- [Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland Safeguarding Children Board](#)
- [National FGM Centre](#)