



THE BRITISH WHEEL OF  
YOGA

## BWY CHILD PROTECTION CHECKLIST

### Summary of Safeguarding Procedures for all teachers with an Under 18 Year Old in their Class

**Please note that this document is an overview and should be read in conjunction with the BWY Child Protection Policy and Fact Sheets available on the CP page of the BWY website**

**Glossary:** CP = Child Protection; E = Equity; CRB = Criminal Records Bureau  
EWM = Equity & Welfare Manager LCPO = Lead CP Officer

PROCEDURE	TYPE OF CLASS YOU ARE TEACHING	
	DEDICATED YOUNG PERSON'S CLASS	ADULT CLASS with under 18 year old/s present
Be familiar with BWY CP and E Policies *	Yes	Yes
Hold a specialist qualification in teaching yoga to children	Yes – refer to LCPO if in doubt	Not necessary
Hold current CP/Safeguarding training certificate*	Yes	Yes
Hold a current CRB Enhanced Disclosure (renewal required 3 years from date of issue)	Yes – through BWY, if teaching privately Yes – through your employer/contractor, if not teaching privately	Yes If parent is not present
Complete additional BWY vetting paperwork in accordance with CP Policy	Yes	Not necessary
Use Under-18 Conditions and Agreement Form *	No	Advised
Be aware of and, if appropriate, use Hands On Adjustment Consent Form *	Yes	Yes
Be aware of and, if appropriate, use Photographs Consent Form *	Yes	Yes
Be aware of teacher/supervision ratio *	Yes	Not applicable
Be aware of adult/under-18 student ratio	No	Yes See factsheet <i>Adult Classes</i>
Have BWY Essential Contact Details for Teachers completed and available to hand *	Yes	Yes

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<b>FOR TEACHERS OFFERING DEDICATED CLASSES SPECIFICALLY FOR UNDER-18S</b>		
<b>PROCEDURE</b>	<b>TEACHING VENUE</b>	
	<b>School see also Fact Sheet: General Guidance - Schools</b>	<b>Private classes eg church hall etc</b>
Whose CP Policy to follow?	Follow the organisation's CP Policy. Ask for a copy of the Policy	Follow BWY CP Policy
Refer to 'General Guidance' Fact Sheets on Website	Schools	Private
Provide Statement of Care for young people and parents *	Not applicable	Advised
Provide Child Welfare Contact details for young people and parents *	Not applicable	Advised

<b>FOR POST-NATAL YOGA TEACHERS</b>	
<b>PROCEDURE</b>	<b>Whether required</b>
Hold a specialist qualification	Yes, refer to LCPO if in doubt
Hold a current CRB Enhanced Disclosure (renewal required 3 yrs from date of issue)	Yes
Complete additional BWY vetting paperwork	No
Hold current CP / Safeguarding certificate	Yes
Be aware of and if appropriate use Handling and Photographs Consent Forms J & K	Yes

\* Refer to Fact Sheets on CP page of BWY national website:

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