

FOI RESPONSE ISSUED - 20 January 2023

REQUEST

Children's Rights Report 2017-20

1. A weblink or copy of your published report covering the first 3 year period (1 April 2017 - 31 March 2020).
2. However, if you have not yet published a report for this period can you confirm (yes/no) if you intend to do so,
 - 2.1 And if yes, an indication of when it will be published
3. Has your authority started work on preparing this report? Yes/No.
4. When do you intend to publish the report?
5. Will it be published as a separate report or as part of another report? Yes/No.
For example, within your annual report.
 - 5.1 And if 'yes', published as part of another report - can you provide the name/description of the other report?
6. Are you producing a joint report with another authority? Yes/No.
 - 6.1 And if 'yes' - which authority?
7. Do you intend to create a child friendly version of the report? Yes/No.
8. Please provide the name and contact details of the overall lead within your authority for preparing the report.
9. Please do add in any additional information you would like to share regarding the process used to develop the report - for example whether you have involved children and young people in drafting it, whether you adopted the cluster approach as recommended by the relevant Scottish Government guidance, or the governance process used for sign off

OUR RESPONSE TO THE INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE 2002 ACT

1. A weblink or copy of your published report covering the first 3 year period (1 April 2017 - 31 March 2020).

RESPONSE: Our report for April 2017 - 31 March 2020 is available on our website here: <https://www.slab.org.uk/corporate-information/publications/united-nations-convention-on-the-rights-of-the-child-uncrc/>

3. Has your authority started work on preparing this report?

RESPONSE: We are currently considering the report's content. Drafting of the report will begin in April 2023.

4. When do you intend to publish the report?

RESPONSE: The intention is to publish the report over the summer - likely in July.

5. Will it be published as a separate report or as part of another report?

RESPONSE: This will be a standalone report.

6. Are you producing a joint report with another authority?

RESPONSE: No.

7. Do you intend to create a child friendly version of the report?

RESPONSE: We will give this consideration but have not yet decided.

8. Please provide the name and contact details of the overall lead within your authority for preparing the report.

RESPONSE: Stuart Drummond will be drafting the report and should be the point of contact.