



Poverty aware practice

We are working in a context of rising child poverty. Though the scale and impact of family poverty can feel overwhelming, individual practitioners have an important role to play in recognising and mitigating its effects.

This selection of learning resources about poverty aware practice can be used to support evidence-informed practice with children, young people and families.

Read

Longer read: [Working with families to support early childhood development: Learning from the evaluation of A Better Start \(2024\)](#)

Longer read: [Neglect in a context of poverty and austerity: Frontline Briefing \(2019\)](#)

Longer read: [Child poverty: The role of children's services: Leaders' Briefing \(2014\)](#)



Watch

20 minutes: [Making the links: Poverty, austerity and children's social care \(2021\)](#)

40 minutes: [Addressing the housing crisis: policy analysis and strategic action: Recorded Webinar \(2021\)](#)

30 minutes: [Child poverty strategy in Leeds \(2021\)](#)

15 minutes: [Shared Health: Reducing the impact of poverty on health in Greater Manchester \(2021\)](#)

30 minutes: [Applying the learning from the research of the Child Welfare Inequalities Project \(2021\)](#)

Listen

50 minutes: [Poverty-aware practice with children and families: Podcast \(2020\)](#)



Reflect

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