

## Serious case reviews

If you need to conduct a serious case review you will want it to be independent, fair, effective and timely. It's all about learning and equipping your workforce with the knowledge to better protect children.

We at Reconstruct provide a consultancy service for all agencies working with children. We have investigated a range of high profile serious case reviews. We recently reviewed 11 of the 38 'inadequate' serious case reviews that Ofsted identified and all were passed. So we know what works and what doesn't.

If we conducted a full investigation for you, we would be committed to:

- fully involving the family, believing that this adds considerably to the depth of the investigation
- fully involving the staff in the gathering of information and also in the analysis, to ensure that they are able to comment on and enrich our findings
- asking, and finding answers to, the 'why' questions
- leaving you with a manageable number of succinct and practical recommendations, as we believe it is pointless giving you a range of tasks which can't be implemented
- carrying out some of the recommendations ourselves, to get your action plan off to a good start.

We are also able to supply independent chairs.

We work with children, parents, practitioners, managers and directors. This gives us a real insight into what is required from all perspectives. We have an exceptional team with extensive experience in childcare. We understand the jobs that you are trying to do and are here to help.

To find out more and to have a chat about how we can help you, call Barry Raynes on 01225 780145 or email him on [barry.raynes@reconstruct.co.uk](mailto:barry.raynes@reconstruct.co.uk).

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