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Committee of experts on the prevention of violence (ENF-VAE)

Draft agenda

Sixth meeting
(in presence)

Strasbourg, 7 & 8 October
Agora building, G05

Tuesday 7 October 2025: 9:30 am – 12:30 pm and 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Wednesday 8 October 2025: 9:30 am – 12:30 pm and 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

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Draft Agenda and Order of Business

1.	**Opening of the meeting**	Reference documents • List of members to the ENF-VAE Committee • Report of the fifth meeting – ENF-VAE(2025)PV02 (4 and 5 June 2025) • List of participants– ENF-VAE(2025)LoP3 (to be issued)
2.	**Adoption of the agenda and order of business**	Working documents • Draft agenda – ENF-VAE(2025)OJ3 prov • Draft annotated agenda – ENF-VAE(2024)OJ3ANN prov
3.	**Statement of the Chair and Secretariat**	Reference documents • Terms of reference of the ENF-VAE • Council of Europe Strategy for the Rights of the Child (2022-2027) • CoE Conventions and Recommendations – Key Resources for implementing the Strategy (2022-2027) CDENF(2022)INF2 • Workplan and working methods 2025-2026 – ENF-VAE(2025)01 rev2
4.	**Age-appropriate comprehensive sexuality education to strengthen responses for – inter alia – preventing and combating violence, including risky or harmful sexual behaviour by children** (*deliverable (3) of the terms of reference)*	Working documents • Revised draft Recommendation on age-appropriate comprehensive sexuality education to strengthen responses for inter alia preventing and combatting violence against children – ENF-VAE(2025)02 rev2 (restricted) (to be issued) • Compilation of comments on the draft Recommendation on age-appropriate comprehensive sexuality education – ENF-VAE(2025)03 (restricted) • Draft Explanatory Memorandum to the Recommendation on age-appropriate comprehensive sexuality education to strengthen responses for inter alia preventing and combatting violence against children – ENF-VAE(2025)04 (restricted) (to be issued) Reference documents • Draft Recommendation on age appropriate Comprehensive Sexuality Education to strengthen responses for inter alia preventing and combatting violence against children (ENF-VAE(2025)02 rev – (March 2025) and ENF-VAE(2025)02 rev1 restricted - (May 2025) • Feasibility study on age-appropriate comprehensive sexuality education to strengthen responses for – inter alia – preventing and combating violence, including risky or harmful sexual behaviour by children, Prepared by: Meghan Campbell, Aoife

		Daly and Catherine O'Sullivan (February 2025) • Updated study on Sexual violence and harmful sexual behaviour displayed by children: Nature, causes, consequences and responses, Prepared by: Professor Simon Hackett, Durham University (February 2025) • Thematic Guidance note on Safeguarding children from the risks of accessing online pornographic content (CDENF(2024)20), Prepared by: Maree Crabbe (May 2025)
5.	**Update on key developments and other events by members, participants and observers**	
6.	**Any other business**	
7.	**Date and place of the next meetings**	Proposals to be approved: • 7th meeting of ENF-VAE: 18-19 March 2026 • 8th meeting of ENF-VAE: 7-8 October 2026
8.	**Approval of the meeting report**	

GENERAL REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

Terms of reference of ENF-VAE 2024-2027
Resolution CM/Res(2021)3 on intergovernmental committees and subordinate bodies, their terms of reference and working methods

MEETING REPORTS

ENF-VAE(2023)PV01	Report of the first meeting of the ENF-VAE
ENF-VAE(2023)PV02	Report of the second meeting of the ENF-VAE
ENF-VAE(2024)PV01	Report of the third meeting of the ENF-VAE
ENF-VAE(2024)PV02	Report of the fourth meeting of the ENF-VAE
ENF-VAE(2025)PV01	Report of the ad-hoc meeting of the ENF-VAE
ENF-VAE(2025)PV02	Report of the fifth meeting of the ENF-VAE