

# The Lanzarote Committee

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Making the  
circle of  
trust truly  
safe for  
children

**3RD EDITION OF WEBINAR SERIES ON  
COVID-19 AND CHILDREN'S RIGHTS**

**INTRAFAMILY VIOLENCE  
CDENF - 22ND NOVEMBER 2021**

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## SECRETARY GENERAL

Concerned about increased risk of domestic violence

## ISTANBUL CONVENTION

A statement by the Chairperson of the group of independent experts GREVIO

## COMITTEE OF THE CONVENTION 108 AND THE DATA PROTECTION COMMISSIONER

Joint statement

## COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS

A statement on the right to health

## EUROPEAN COMMITTEE OF SOCIAL RIGHTS

A statement on the protection of health

## EUROPEAN COMMISSION FOR THE EFFICIENCY OF JUSTICE (CEPEJ)

Blog on "National judiciaries' COVID-19 emergency measures of COE member States"

# and the Lanzarote Comittee Statement



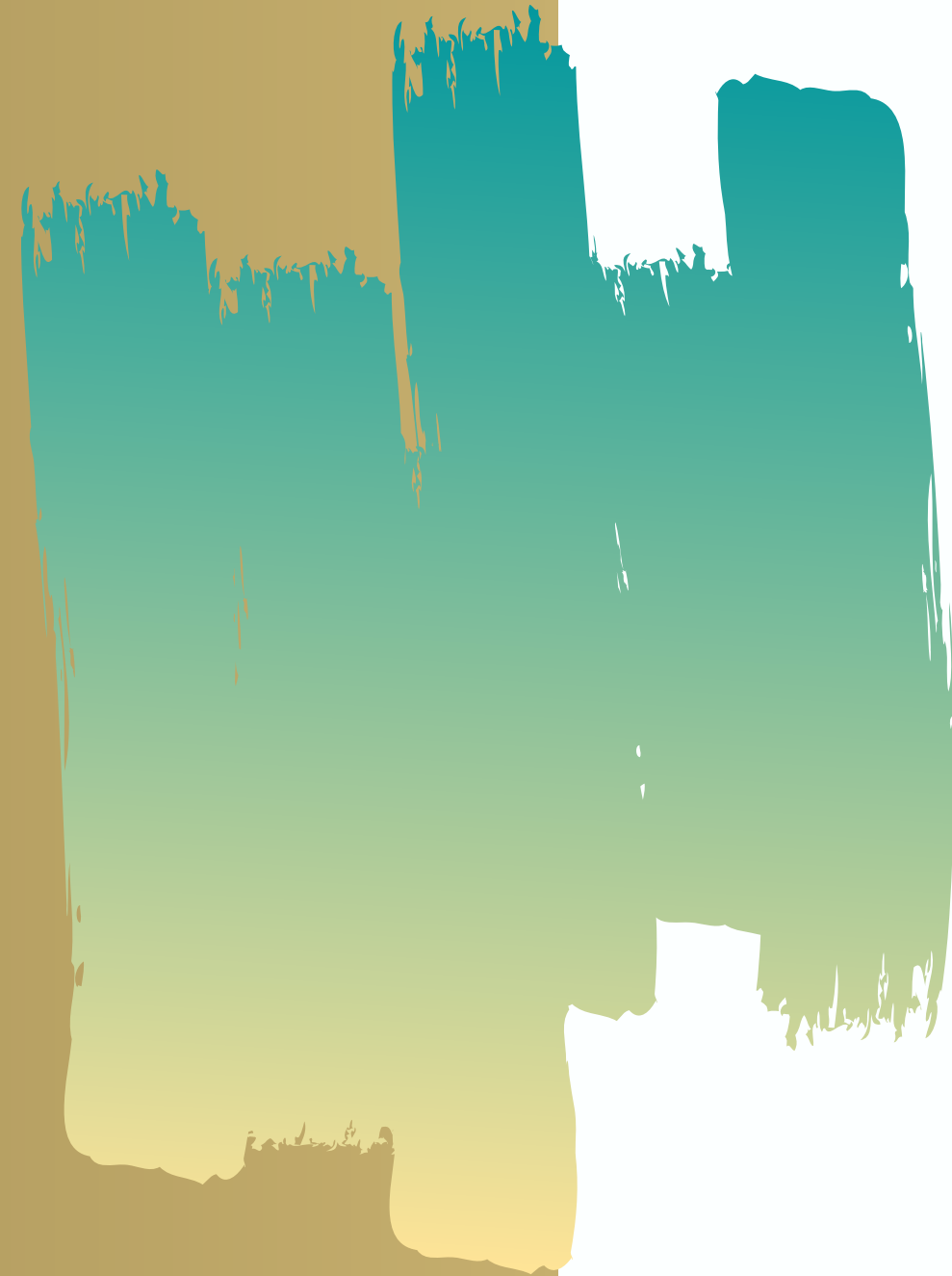
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**STEPPING UP PROTECTION OF  
CHILDREN AGAINST SEXUAL  
EXPLOITATION AND ABUSE IN TIMES  
OF THE COVID-19**

**"violence against  
children is another  
pandemic that makes  
millions of victims."**



**1**

Prevent and respond  
to sexual abuse and  
exploitation at all  
times, everywhere

**2**

Online sexual abuse  
and exploitation

**3**

Safe reporting - hot  
lines

A call was issued to all :

- State Parties;
- observers; and
- other partners

to share relevant initiatives

following the lock-down to ensure  
protection of children against  
sexual violence





and asked more  
information on:

CHILD  
SAFEGUARDING  
AND SUPPORT  
MECHANISMS

NEW PROTECTION  
MECHANISMS

HEARING CHILDREN

The results are  
published at:

[https://www.coe.int/en/web/children/covid-19#%2262162989%22:\[1\]}](https://www.coe.int/en/web/children/covid-19#%2262162989%22:[1]})