



Long-term promotion of Sexuality Education in public schools

A case-study from Cyprus

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Sexuality Education as a tool for the prevention of sexual abuse & sexual exploitation of children



Sexuality Education as a topic under Health Education in Public Schools

– An Updated Curriculum:

Just a beginning

Aim: Sexuality Education to be taught, as a separate or mandatory subject by trained educators



Sexual Education and The Prevention and Combating of Sexual Abuse, Sexual Exploitation of Children and Child Pornography Law 2014 [91(I)2014]



Consultation of Minister of Education & Culture the with Commissioner's Young Advisors Team

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An 18-month bilateral cooperation project between Cyprus and Norway. The project aimed to promote the sexual rights of teens through the implementation of mandatory human rights based Comprehensive Sexuality Education (CSE) in middle schools in Cyprus.

Active involvement of the Cyprus Commissioner for Children's Rights and participation of YAT.



Commissioner's Position Paper on Sexuality Education



Thank you for your attention!