



Children Internet Safety in Ukraine

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Ukraine



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Internet users

+ 6 849

Every day

Children online

47%

below 9 years old

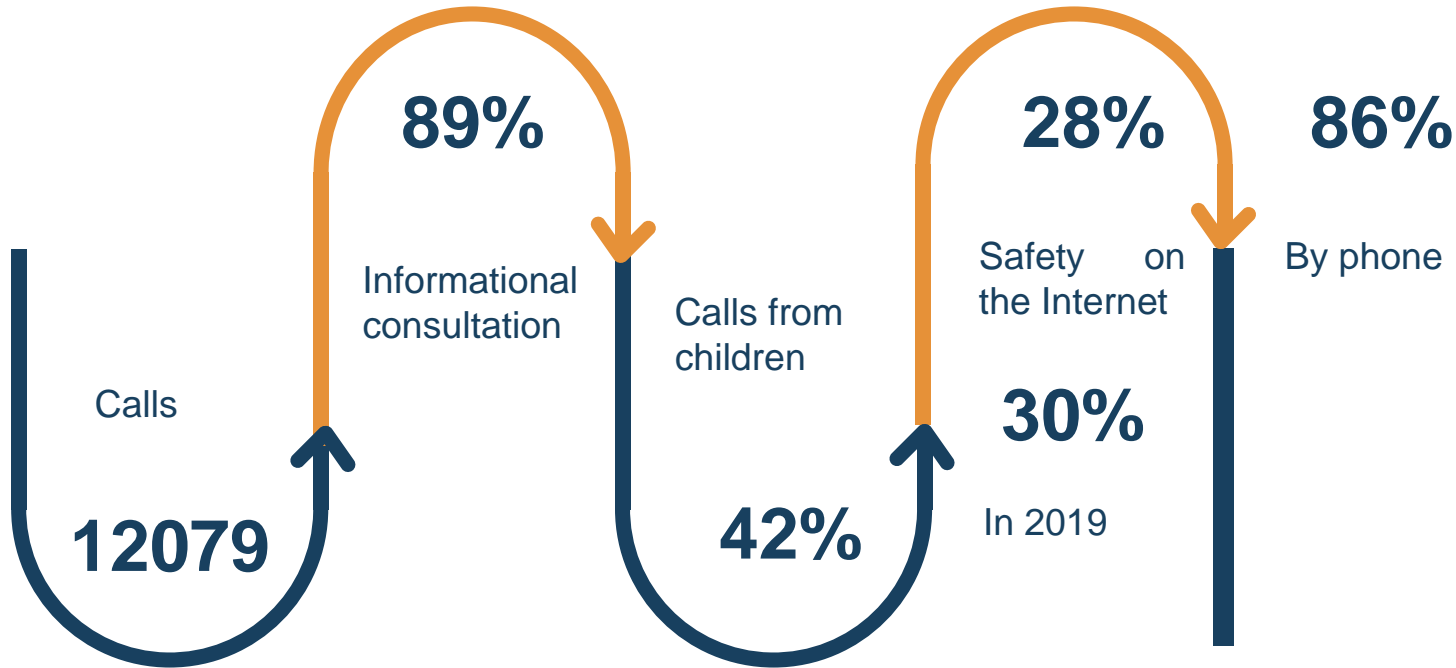
92%

Below 12 years old

88%

WiFi users

National Children Toll-free hot line 2018 (woks 12-16 Mon-Fr)



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Разом для найкращого Інтернету: 11 лютого День безпечного Інтернету 2020!



Safer
Internet
Day

- ✓ Safer Internet Day since 2014
- ✓ The national monitoring of web sites of educational institutions through human rights online and cybersecurity perspectives (2018)
- ✓ Researches on teenager's safe online behavior, hate speech, theoretical and practical aspects of combating hate speech in the internet, protection mechanisms of human rights online
- ✓ Translation and adaptation of two manuals "Web We Want"
- ✓ Running workshops for children and youth, librarians, educators, youth workers on safety online, human rights online, fake news, combating hate speech etc. in different regions of Ukraine etc.



10 years of monitoring 2008-2018

All-Ukrainian representative polls Media culture of Ukrainian

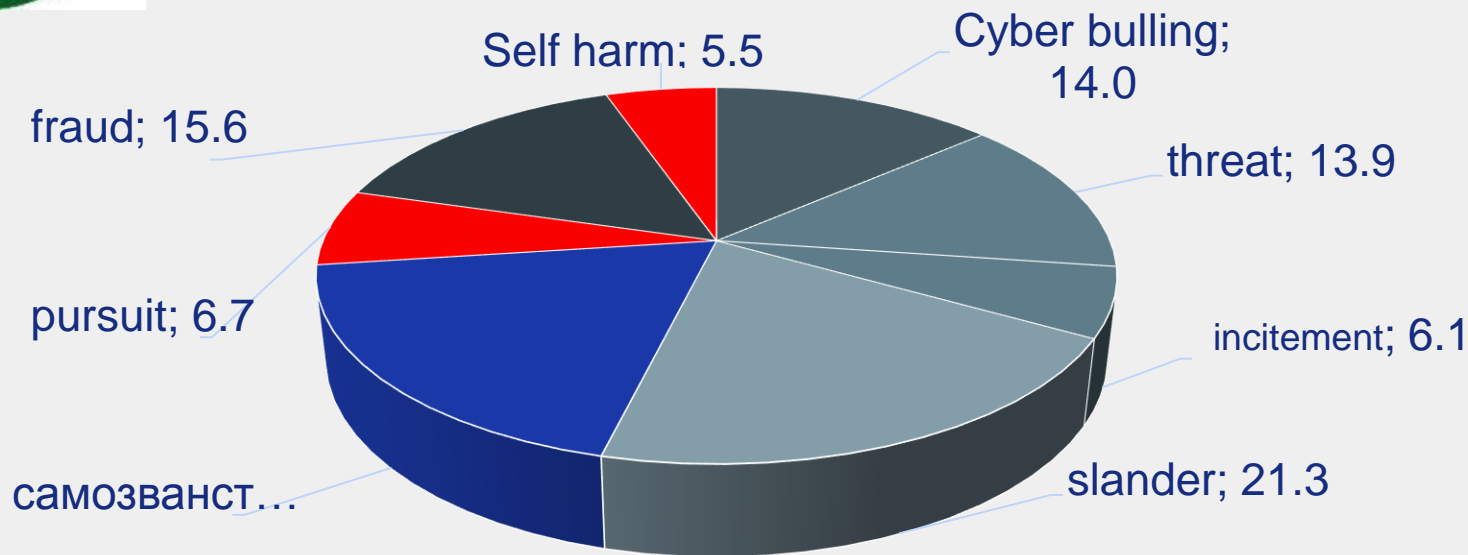
- Population, trust in media (2008)
- Media culture of parents of children of all ages (2012)
- Internet Practitioners and Psychological Well-Being (2015)

High school students media literacy and information security (2018)

The researches have showed high level of need in national level programs for development of parental skills in the digital world



Risk online that Ukrainian children face





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Data base of parental controles



First in Ukraine
Cooperation
1000 teachers
2 kind of materials
Next steps

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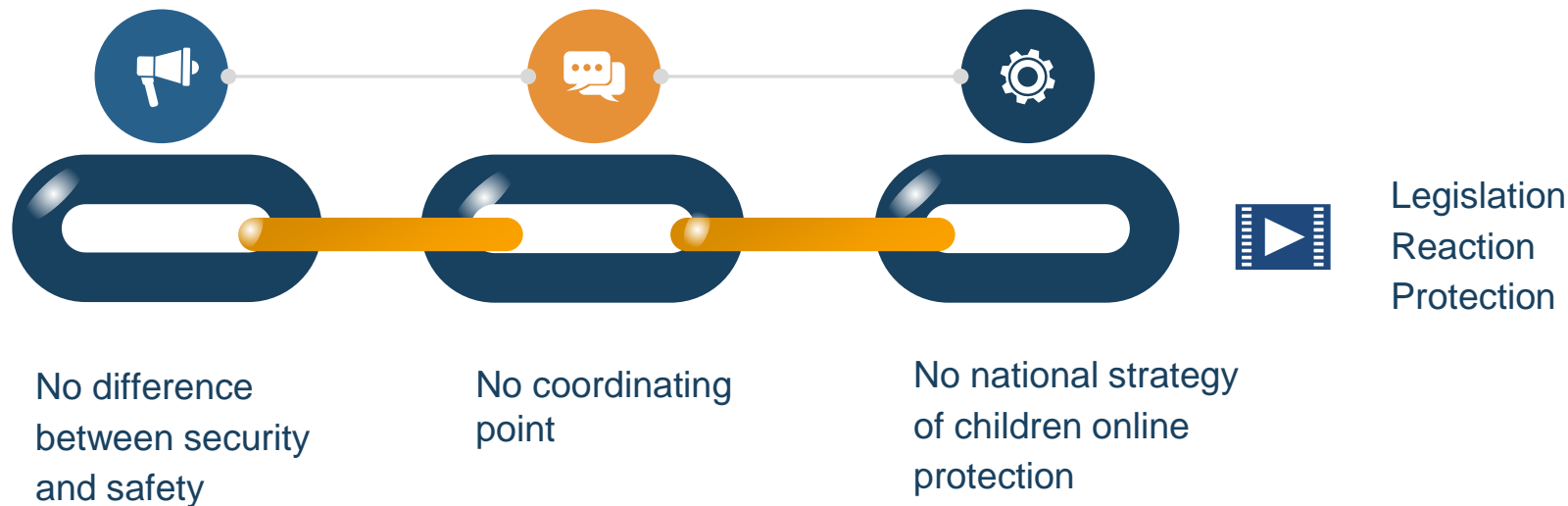
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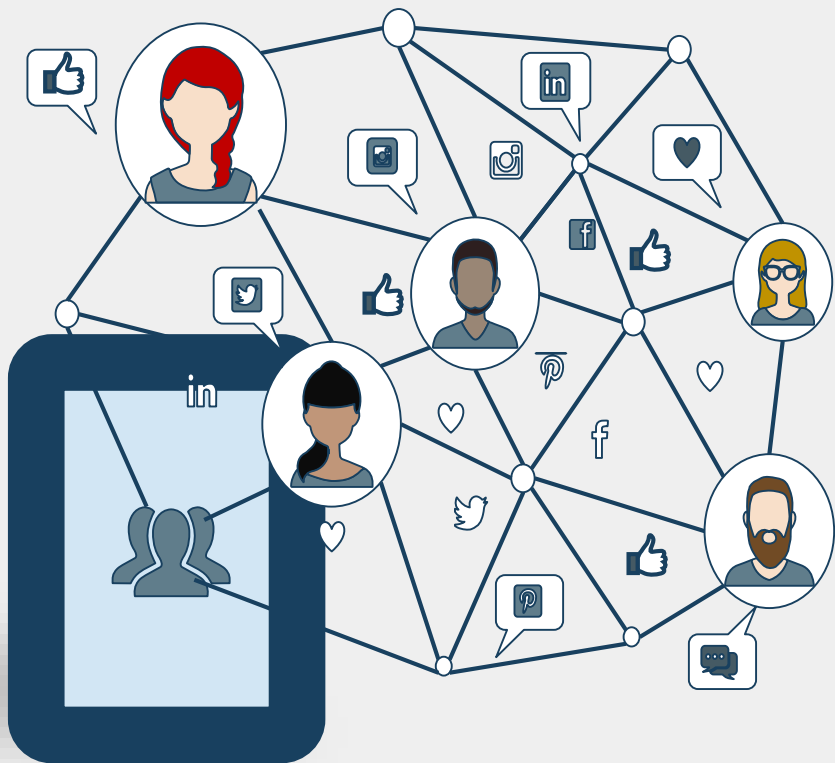
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Challenges for Ukraine in the field of Children Internet Safety





First Steps



- Establishing of leading point at the national level
- Developing of the national strategy захисту дітей в Інтернеті

Important Steps

- Legislation changes (readiness of new Parliament)
- Researches
- Hot line for content removal
- National awareness raising campaign
- Children Advocacy Centers
- Rehabilitation Services
- IWF
- Parental controls

Overall Internet safety

State	National strategy on children protection on the Internet
Awareness campaigns	Delivering of awareness campaigns* with children participating in the programs development*
Training	Obligatory training of teacher and pupils at schools
Services	Psychological support hotline for children, parents and teachers on the use of the Internet by children*

*3 of 4 components of Safer Internet Center establishing in Ukraine

Protection from sexual abuse and exploitation on the Internet

State	State coordination of children protection from sexual abuse and exploitation on the Internet
Legislation	Legislative changes on sexual crimes against children on the Internet
Awareness campaigns	Awareness campaigns for parents, teachers and children about Internet safety and Internet addiction of parents and children
Services	Creation of a national system for interviewing victims Creation of services for the victim rehabilitation Service of removal of photo/video materials of children sexual abuse – IWF*
Research	Conducting research

Pornography

State	Legislative changes on the storage and viewing of child sexual abuse imagery
Awareness campaigns	Awareness campaigns and educational events for the industry, deputies, adults and media in order to introduce greater restrictions on the access of children to pornographic materials; Increasing of parents' awareness about the impact of pornographic materials on the child and existing parental controls
Services	Setting safe for children filtering WiFi in public places (FriendlyWiFi); Increasing the number of available parental controls from Internet providers
Research	Surveys among teenagers and their parents on viewing pornographic materials