

# Child Online Protection Policy-makers Guidelines



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“*Every child everywhere must be Protected online. We must make it our global priority and we must act now.*”

Her Majesty Queen Slivia of Sweden  
at the launch of the COP 2020 Guidelines,  
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# INTRODUCTION





- What is Child Online Protection?
- The Impact of technology on children's digital experience
- Key Threats and Harms for Children Online
- Children with vulnerabilities
- Children's perceptions of Online Risks





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# Preparing for a National Child Online Protection Strategy



- **Actors and Stakeholders**
- **Existing responses for Child Online Protection**
- **Examples of responses to online harms**
- **Benefits of a National Child Online Protection Strategy**





# Recommendations for Framework and Implementation





- Framework Recommendations
- Recommendations for Implementation



# A National checklist



**Legal Framework**



**Regulatory Framework**



**Reporting - illegal content**



**Reporting - User concerns**



**Actors and Stakeholders**



**Research**



**Education Digital Literacy and Competency**



**Educational Resources**



**Child Protection**



**National Awareness**



**Tools, services and settings**

# Call to action

- Implementation of Guidelines
- Feedback to ITU
- Contact ITU for more interest





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protect and  
empower children**



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