## **Bruising to Non-Mobile Children**

The flowchart below has been developed to assist health, education, early years and social care practitioners in following the agreed multi-agency policy where a non-mobile child is observed with bruising and injuries

Bruising/Injury on a non-mobile child observed by a practitioner



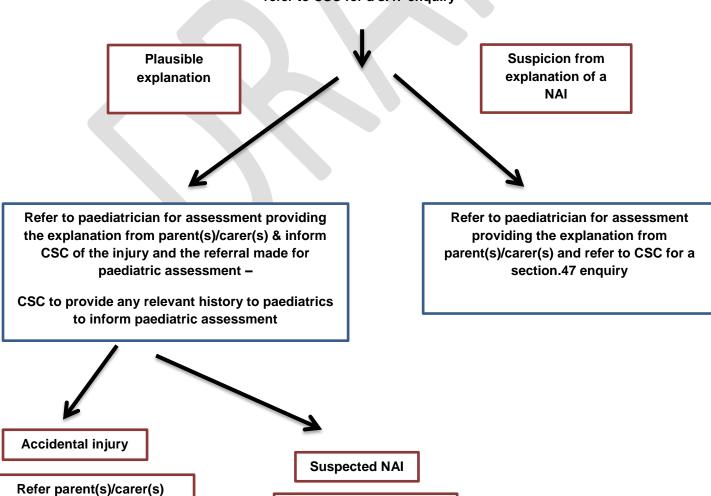
Refer to LSCB policy in section 1.3 of Pan-Lancashire policies and use the guidelines provided by the NSPCC & NICE in section 1.3 to assist in identification process

Discuss with team manager(s) and agency's safeguarding lead for advice and guidance on the procedure to follow

Discuss bruising/injury with parent(s)/carer(s) and record accurately the explanation provided
- discuss with parent(s)/carer(s) the need for paediatric assessment

and provide the parent leaflet from section 1.3

Refer to paediatrician for assessment providing the explanation from parent(s)/carer(s) and refer to CSC for a s.47 enquiry



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for services advising on

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