

Online Child Safety and Wellbeing Working Group

The Online Child Safety and Wellbeing Working Group is a new international initiative bringing together professionals from across disciplines to address the rapidly evolving opportunities and risks that digital environments present for children and young people. As technology continues to reshape childhood, there is an increasing need for global collaboration to strengthen research, policy, professional practice, prevention, and child participation.

This inaugural meeting will introduce the Working Group, provide an overview of emerging issues in digital child protection and wellbeing, and offer participants the opportunity to shape the group's future direction. Attendees will discuss potential priorities and objectives, explore opportunities for international collaboration, and identify ways to contribute to ongoing activities throughout the year.

The session is designed to be interactive and welcomes researchers, clinicians, educators, child protection practitioners, policymakers, technology and online safety specialists, legal professionals, and others with an interest in children's digital lives. Participants will have the opportunity to connect with colleagues from around the world, share perspectives from their own disciplines and countries, and help establish a multidisciplinary international community committed to promoting children's safety, wellbeing, rights, and healthy development in digital environments.

Whether you are an experienced expert in online child safety or are seeking to become involved in this emerging area, we invite you to join us in helping shape the future agenda of this new ISPCAN Working Group.