# Consultation form

We are seeking your views on potential topics relevant to social care for guideline and quality standard development. We would like your views on an initial list of proposed topics and any other areas that you feel need to be included. **The consultation is open from Friday 17 July 2015 to Friday 9 October 2015.** Please return this form to [socialcaretopics@nice.org.uk](mailto:socialcaretopics@nice.org.uk) by 5pm on Friday 9th October.

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## General comments

Please use the section below to include any general comments you and your organisation may have about the topics relevant to social care.

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## Feedback on proposed new topics relevant to social care

The table below lists the proposed topics relevant to social care. Please consider the list below and provide the following feedback:

* Should the topic be included?
* Why should the topic be included/excluded?
* If it is to be included what are the key areas that should be covered?
* What are the key sources of evidence for this topic?

In order to analyse the responses we would appreciate it if stakeholders could answer either yes or no to the first question and provide a more detailed response in the subsequent columns.

| **Proposed topic** | **Should this be included? (Yes/No)** | **Why should this be included/excluded?** | **If included what are the key areas to cover?** | **What are the key sources of evidence for this topic?** |
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| **Topic area** | | | |  |
| Adoption in looked-after children and young people |  |  |  |  |
| Assessment and care and support planning in adults |  |  |  |  |
| Care and support for people with an acquired physical impairment |  |  |  |  |
| Disabilities and complex needs in adults, children and young people |  |  |  |  |
| Fostering in looked-after children and young people |  |  |  |  |
| Maintaining independent living and preventing isolation in adults |  |  |  |  |
| Nutrition in care homes |  |  |  |  |
| Personal and intimate care in adults |  |  |  |  |
| Safeguarding in care homes |  |  |  |  |
| Short-term breaks (respite care) for people with social care needs and their carers |  |  |  |  |
| Support for carers and young carers |  |  |  |  |
| Support for adults, children and young people with sensory disabilities |  |  |  |  |
| Support for young parents in the community |  |  |  |  |
| Support in leaving care for looked-after children and young people |  |  |  |  |
| Supporting children in care homes: sexual orientation and preventing sexual exploitation |  |  |  |  |
| Supporting sexual identity in adults with social care needs |  |  |  |  |
| Supportive approaches and physical environments in care homes |  |  |  |  |
| Supportive approaches and physical environments in children's homes |  |  |  |  |

## Suggestions for further new topics

Please suggest additional topics that are not currently referred to NICE or included in the list of proposed new topics in this document. For the topics to be considered please provide a rationale and proposed remit for any possible topics.

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| **Are there any other topics that should be included?** | **Why should this be included?** | **If included what are the key areas to cover?** | **What are the key sources of evidence for this topic?** |
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## Importance of new topics

Please also select from the proposed and additional topics:

* + the 3 most important topics for children’s social care
  + the 3 most important topics for adults’ social care.

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| **Rank** | **Most important topic for children’s social care** | **Most important topic for adults’ social care** |
| **1** |  |  |
| **2** |  |  |
| **3** |  |  |

**Closing date:** Please send this form to [socialcaretopics@nice.org.uk](mailto:socialcaretopics@nice.org.uk) by Friday 9 October 2015.

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