



# Children and Families (Wales) Measure 2010

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## CHILDREN AND FAMILIES (WALES) MEASURE 2010

### PART 1

#### CHILD POVERTY, PLAY AND PARTICIPATION

#### CHAPTER 1

#### ERADICATING CHILD POVERTY

##### *Broad aims*

- 1 Broad aims for contributing to the eradication of child poverty

##### *Strategies*

- 2 Strategies for contributing to the eradication of child poverty
- 3 Strategies prepared by the Welsh Ministers
- 4 Strategies prepared by local authorities ...
- 5 Strategies prepared by other Welsh authorities

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- 6 The Welsh authorities

##### *Services to tackle child poverty*

- 7 Local authority duty to secure the availability of free childcare
- 8 Parental support services: powers of a local authority
- 9 Health support services: powers of a local authority
- 10 Regulations about services to tackle child poverty

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SCHEDULE 1 — MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

*Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 (c. 43)*

- 1 Amend the Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 as follows.
- 2 In section 65 (meaning of family proceedings), in subsection (1)...

*Senior Courts Act 1981 (c. 54)*

- 3 Amend the Senior Courts Act 1981 as follows.

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- 4 In Schedule 1 (distribution of business in High Court) after...

*Children Act 1989 (c. 41)*

- 5 Amend the Children Act 1989 as follows.  
6 In Section 80 (inspection of children's homes etc by persons...  
7 In section 105 (interpretation)— (a) in subsection (1)—

*Water Industry Act 1991 (c. 56)*

- 8 Amend the Water Industry Act 1991 as follows.  
9 In Schedule 4A (premises that are not to be disconnected...

*Protection of Children Act 1999 (c. 14)*

- 10 Amend the Protection of Children Act 1999 as follows.  
11 In section 2A (power of certain authorities to refer individuals...  
12 In section 9 (the Tribunal), in subsection (2)—

*Care Standards Act 2000 (c. 14)*

- 13 Amend the Care Standards Act 2000 as follows.  
14 In section 55(3)(e)— (a) for “Assembly” in both places where...

*Children Act 2004 (c. 31)*

- 15 Amend the Children Act 2004 as follows.  
16 In section 29 (information databases: Wales) in subsection (8)(a) for...

*Education Act 2005 (c. 18)*

- 17 Amend the Education Act 2005 as follows.  
18 In section 59 (combined reports), for subsection (1)(b) substitute the...

*Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40)*

- 19 Amend section 162 of the Education and Inspections Act 2006...  
20 In subsection (5A)— (a) after paragraph (a) insert—

*Childcare Act 2006 (c. 21)*

- 21 Amend the Childcare Act 2006 as follows.  
22 In section 30 (interpretation of Part 2) in the definition...  
23 In section 75 (disqualification from registration), in subsection (3)(f)  
after...  
24 In section 101 (provision of information about children: Wales)—

*National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006 (c. 42)*

- 25 Amend the National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006 as follows...  
26 In Schedule 1, paragraph 7A (weighing and measuring of children)—...

*Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 (c. 47)*

- 27 Amend the Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 as follows.  
28 In Schedule 4— (a) in paragraph 1(6)(a) for “section 79D...

SCHEDULE 2 — REPEALS

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- s. 6(1)(g) words substituted by [2022 asc 1 Sch. 4 para. 27](#)