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Video narratives and demonstrations

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Haley's story

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Gary's story

Gary: CHRIS DUNCAN
Worker: JOHN MAURICE

Marissa's story

Marissa: JULES WOOD
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Worker: FIONA LARDNER

Case studies

The dramatised families in this resource are fictional and are portrayed by actors. However their situation and circumstances were based on consultation with many families and workers across a range of services.

e-Learning and site development

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