

OFFICER RESPONSES TO CONSULTATION

PROTECTING CHILDREN AND VULNERABLE PEOPLE

ISSUE RAISED	COMMENT
Where should the display on mental health be and what will the contents be	This will be left to the discretion of the business and advice can be sought from the licensing team, premises already display similar material signposting help for problem gamblers.

ALCOHOL INTERVENTION TRAINING

ISSUE RAISED	COMMENT
Questions how safe it will be for staff to intervene	The training is about early intervention and will complement other training already in place.

AGGRESSIVE BEHAVIOUR INTERVENTION PRIOR TO LEAVING

ISSUE RAISED	COMMENT
Need clear guidance on what this intervention is	The purpose is to intervene and try to calm an individual prior to leaving. A policy from the premises on talking to such individuals and signposting the various elements of guidance other areas of this policy recommends premises adopt, such as problem gambling.

ACCESS

	This section is about ensuring all facilities, not just exits are accessible by all.
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LOCAL AREA PROFILE

	<u>Each premises has to conduct a risk assessment based on the locality. The local area profile provides the data for premises to use when considering the risk. This applies to current premises and any new applications. This will place requirements on applicants and licence holders to ensure appropriate mitigation is in place to reduce the identified risks.</u>
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OTHER COMMENTS

Suggestion to display the probability of winning a gamble	This will vary dependant on the type of premises and the type of gambling on offer. The Gambling Commission have not made it a mandatory condition. Machines already hold this information. Conditions should be imposed when it is proven necessary to support the licensing objectives.
Inclusion of research on vulnerable groups	The document simply states the research identified these groups as at 'greater' risk. The purpose is to highlight the potential for risk to allow the

