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# FE/HE Prevent News: London

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**Your monthly Prevent update for Further Education (FE) and Higher Education (HE) providers in London.**

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**Dear Further Education and Higher Education providers,**

This is a very short digest this month on account of the pre-election period, but thought it was important to reiterate the support available following last Friday's terrorist incident at Fishmonger's Hall and on London Bridge.

Primarily, my thoughts go out to the friends and family of Jack Merritt and Saskia Jones.

Support is being offered to education providers caught up in the incident, namely Cambridge University, as well as other providers who had students/staff present at Fishmonger's Hall or their buildings were within the vicinity.

The NHS have developed some guidance for coping with stress following a major incident, which can be found [here](#). There is also some guidance around trauma response, which is using the lessons learnt following on from the terrorist attack in Manchester in 2017. Let me know if you would like this shared.

The Met have detailed advice on protective security, which is worth ensuring you or a relevant colleague are familiar with. Do have a look at [www.nactso.gov.uk](http://www.nactso.gov.uk) and [www.cpni.gov.uk/advice](http://www.cpni.gov.uk/advice). Additionally, do get in contact

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If you have had students/staff affected by the incident or there have been resulting issues following Friday then do get in contact with me. I would be happy to help.

I hope everyone has a restful and peaceful Christmas and New Year.

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## Independent Review of Prevent: Call for evidence closes on 9 December

A final reminder that the Independent Review of Prevent [call for evidence](#) closes at 23.45 on 9 December. Please do use this opportunity to feed in your views.

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