This archive contains files containing data and analysis from

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**Establishing outcomes of care proceedings for children before and after care proceedings reform.**

The following files have been archived:

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| **File name** | **Description** |
| CourtCareOutcomes.sav | SPSS file containing a combined dataset of court data, post-proceedings care outcomes and re-applications to the court. The data cover 290 children from 170 families subject to care proceedings in 2009-10(S1) and 326 children from 203 families subject to care proceedings in 2014-15 (S2). |
| File\_study\_\_T1\_T2\_oucomes.sav | SPSS file containing local authority data for a sample of 118 children purposefully selected and observed at 1 year after the end of proceedings (T1) for both samples. For 58 children in S1, social care outcomes at 5 years after the end of proceedings (T2) were also observed. |
| Abbreviations.pdf | Abbreviations used in all interviews, focus groups and variable descriptions in SPSS. |
| Dictionary\_CourtCareOutcomes.xlsx | Variable list and value labels used for CourtCareOutcomes.sav |
| Pro\_forma\_File\_study.zip | 3x pro-forma sheets for the collection of local authority file data. |
| Pro\_forma\_S1\_CourtCareOutcomes.zip | Template for data collection for court files in S1 (5x files). |
| Syntax\_CourtCareOutcomes.sps | SPSS syntax for created variables in CourtCareOutcomes.sav |
| Variable\_values\_File\_study.pdf | Value labels used for File\_study\_\_T1\_T2\_oucomes.sav |
| Methodology.pdf | Description of the methodology used in the study. |
| Interviews\_TableOfTopics.pdf | Table of topics for interviews with social work and legal staff. |
| Outcomes\_Nvivo\_Interviews\_FocusGroups.nvp | Nvivo file with transcripts of interviews and focus groups. |
| Qualitative data datalist.xlsx | Datalist for interviews. |
| Information sheets and consent documents.zip | Information sheets and consent forms for interviews and focus groups. |