

Evidence base: references and footnotes

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The advice in this authorised professional practice is developed from the applicable law (in particular [Code A](#)), the [Best Use of Stop and Search Scheme](#) (BUSSS), [Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Constabulary and Fire & Rescue Services](#) (HMICFRS) and [Equality and Human Rights Commission](#) reports on the use of stop and search, as well as police professional expertise. It also draws on findings from the following research studies.

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Tags

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