

Handout: Checklist for Quality Reports¹

1999 – UNSCR 1261: Places the issue of children affected by war on the Security Council agenda and condemns grave violations committed against children.

2000 – UNSCR 1314: Reaffirms that deliberate targeting of children may constitute a threat to peace and security and requests annual report from the Secretary-General.

2001 – UNSCR 1379: Requests the Secretary-General to list parties to armed conflict that recruit or use children in the following year's report.

2003 – UNSCR 1460: Calls for application of relevant international norms and standards, supports the UN entering into dialogue with parties to conflict that recruit or use children and developing clear and time bound action plans to end this practice.

2004 – UNSCR 1539: Requests the Secretary-General to devise a monitoring and reporting mechanism on the recruitment and use of children and other violations, and expresses intentions to impose targeted measures against parties that continue to violate children.

2005 – UNSCR 1612: Endorses the proposed monitoring and reporting mechanism and creates the Security Council Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict.

2009 – UNSCR 1882: Establishes killing and maiming, rape and other forms of sexual violence against children as triggers for listing parties in the annexes of the annual report.

2011 – UNSCR 1998: Establishes attacks on schools and hospitals and attacks (or threats) against protected personnel as triggers for listing parties in the annexes of the annual report.

2012 – UNSCR 2068: Reiterates the Council's readiness to adopt targeted and graduated measures against persistent perpetrators of grave violations against children.

2014 – UNSCR 2143: Encourages Member States to consider concrete measures to deter the military use of schools.

2015 – UNSCR 2225: Establishes the "abduction of children" as a trigger for listing parties to armed conflict in the annexes of the annual report.

2018 – UNSCR 2427: Strengthens mechanisms to prevent violations committed against children in conflict and decides to remain actively engaged in this matter.

¹ Content for this handout is drawn from <https://childrenandarmedconflict.un.org/about-us/mandate/history/>