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**Action for Prisoners' Families (APF) produces publications and resources for practitioners, prisoners' and offenders families, prison staff, etc. This leaflet gives details of most in-print publications.**

## About APF

Around 160,000 children in England Wales experience the imprisonment of a parent every year. Around a million families suffer the consequences of non-custodial sentences such as a fine, community sentence, home detention curfew, probation, etc. A prison or community sentence damages family life. Relationships, finances, housing, education and mental health can all be affected.

## Come and join us

Membership of APF is free. Anyone can join so long as you agree to our aims and values. Go to our web site: [www.prisonersfamilies.org.uk](http://www.prisonersfamilies.org.uk) to register on-line or phone us on 020 8812 3600 and we will send you a form. Joining APF will entitle you to regular e-news bulletins, advice, information and support, and opportunities to contact others in our network and participate in on-line special interest groups.

## Feedback

Please let us have your feedback on our publications and resources, or any other aspect of our work.

E-mail: [diana@actionpf.org.uk](mailto:diana@actionpf.org.uk)

## Action for Prisoners' Families – better lives for prisoners' and offenders' families

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## Children's story books and magazines

These unique story books help children to explore their feelings by giving them a story they can relate to and identify with. They can also be used by carers, prisons, probation officers, school libraries, child care professionals, voluntary sector organisations, health visitors, etc. and teachers as a catalyst for discussion, or to help raise awareness of the problems prisoners' children face.



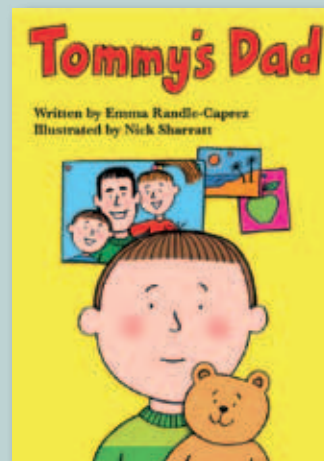
**DANNY'S MUM** is a colourful picture and story book telling the story of Danny, whose mother has been sent to prison.

**For children aged up to six.**

24 Pages. Full colour.  
Paperback.

**ISBN 0 95210728 7**

**£3.00**



**TOMMY'S DAD** is the story of a young boy and his sister whose father is sent to prison.

**For children aged four to seven.**

Illustrated by Nick Sharratt (Tracy Beaker/Jacqueline Wilson fame).

24 Pages. Full colour.  
Paperback.

**ISBN 0 95485930 8**

**£3.00**



**FINDING DAD** tells the dramatic story of eight-year-old James who turns detective to find out the truth about his dad who disappears with the police early one morning.

**For children aged eight to eleven.**

Illustrated by Korky Paul, written by Daniel Lee.

136 Pages. Paperback.

**ISBN 0 95485931 6**

**£4.50**



**IT'S A TOUGH TIME FOR EVERYONE** is a comic-style magazine aimed at the older child who has a mum, dad or close family relative in prison. It has been written by people who work with prisoners and their families. A must for any young person coping with this difficult situation.

**For young people aged 9 to 14**

24 pages full colour.

**ISBN 978 0 95485937 4**

**£2** for single copies.

**£8** for five copies.

Discounts apply to orders of ten or more children's books and magazines. Please contact the office for a quote: 020 8812 3600

## Practical Information

### THE OUTSIDERS

A series of informative booklets for the partners and families of prisoners. These survival guides outline the problems families are likely to face and provide practical information on how to cope while a relative or friend is in prison and what to consider when they are close to release.



Series titles:

**Sent to Prison**  
**Living with Separation**  
**Telling the Children**  
**Preparing for Release**

For sample copies: [www.prisonersfamilies.org.uk](http://www.prisonersfamilies.org.uk)

Single copies **£1**.

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**For larger amounts please contact the office.**

\*Single copies of all the above are free to family members\*



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We welcome payment by credit/debit cards.

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Please note pre-payment is required on all orders. However, if your organisation is unable to pay in advance please contact the office:

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Tel: 0208 812 3600 [www.prisonersfamilies.org.uk](http://www.prisonersfamilies.org.uk)  
[info@actionpf.org.uk](mailto:info@actionpf.org.uk)

### Discounts

- Libraries receive 10% discount on all titles.
- Trade terms. APF books and resources are available at 20% discount to booksellers and retailers.

### DELIVERY

We will aim to deliver publications to a UK address within four to seven working days.

## DVDs

Our DVDs provide a highly unique, effective, and creative starting point for peer discussion and exploration. They will also be useful for training and awareness raising amongst those working with prisoners' and offenders' families. The scripts of all three DVDs were written by award-winning playwright Mary Cooper. A resources booklet with guidance on how to use the DVD, as well as exercises and activities comes with every DVD.

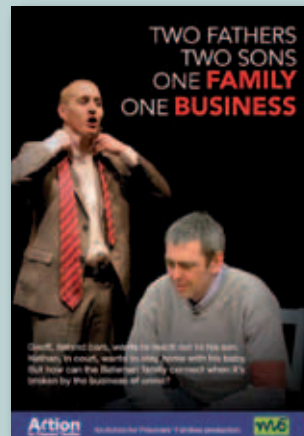


### MISSING OUT DVD

This award-winning DVD looks at the impact of a woman's imprisonment on family life. Lisa is in prison and wants another chance. Her mother doesn't trust her. Her daughter wants her back. But is Lisa ready to make the change? Missing Out brings three generations of women together to try and straighten out the problems left behind when Lisa receives a prison sentence. (2009)

**ISBN 978 0 95485938 1**

**£15 20 mins.**



### FAMILY BUSINESS DVD

Geoff, serving a life sentence for murder, wants to reach out to his estranged son Nathan. Nathan, in court for a violent offence, is desperate not to get a prison sentence and wants to stay at home with his baby. How can the Bateman family connect when it's broken by the business of crime?

Performed by M6 Theatre Company.  
(2009) **ISBN 978 0 9548593 9 8**

**£15 20 mins.**

**'It brought it home to me. I've been in prison 13 times. Watching this DVD has now made me think about the sentence that my wife and kids are serving on the outside'.**



### HOMEWARD BOUND DVD

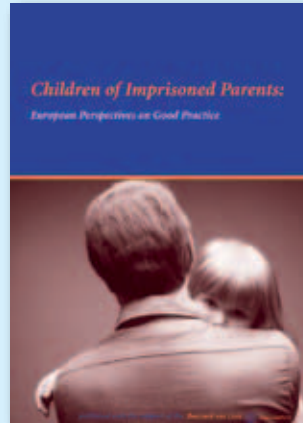
'Homeward Bound' deals with the emotional conflicts faced by families when a prisoner is due for release. Craig promises he's changed and swears he'll be the perfect husband and dad when he's released on parole from prison. Tania and her son, Connor, love him... but can they afford to believe him? (revised 2009)

**ISBN 0 954 85932 4**

**£10 20 mins.**

**\*Special offer – all 3 DVDs for £35 (a saving of £5)\***

## Books published by other publishers, available from APF



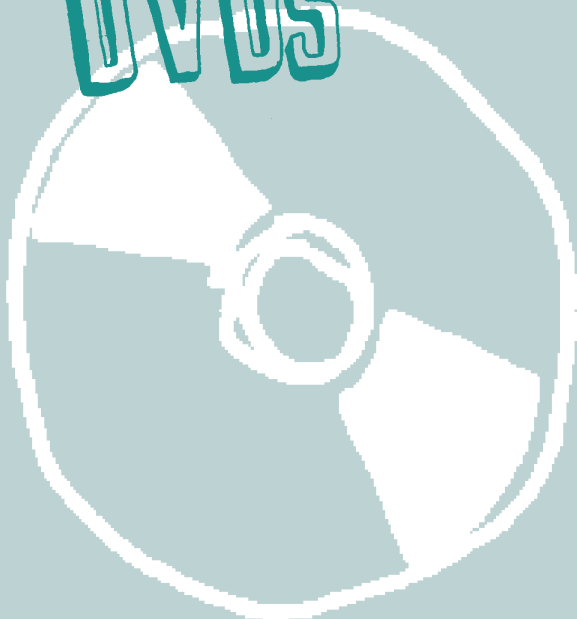
### CHILDREN OF IMPRISONED PARENTS: EUROPEAN PERSPECTIVES ON GOOD PRACTICE

Published by Eurochips, this handbook looks at European practice on prisoners' families. Eurochips is a European network for practitioners, experts and policy-makers with an interest in children with parents in prison.

**ISBN: 2 95267250 4**

**£10.50**

# DVDs



### Our members' publications

Many of our members produce publications. Go to our website: [www.prisonersfamilies.org.uk](http://www.prisonersfamilies.org.uk) to find out more.



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