## Rotherham child sex abuse scandal: Gang jailed for total of 106 years for 'harrowing' child sex offences

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Seven men who committed a string of child sex abuse offences against two young girls in Rotherham have been jailed for a total of 106 years.

The men were all <u>convicted in June</u>, <u>after a nine-week trial at Sheffield Crown Court</u>, which was the result of an investigation by the National Crime Agency's Operation Stovewood.

The men handed jail sentences are:

- Tahir Yasin, 38, of Burngreave Street, Sheffield –
  jailed for 13 years for eight counts of rape.
- Ramin Bari, 38, of of Derby Street, Sheffield jailed for nine years for four counts of rape.
- Mohammed Amar, 43, of Elizabeth Way, Rotherham jailed for 14 years plus two years on licence for two counts of indecent assault of a girl aged 11 years. Amar was found not guilty of one count of indecent assault.
- Yasser Ajaibe, 39, of Walter Street, Rotherham jailed for 6 years plus one year on licence for indecent assault of a girl aged 11 years.
- Mohammed Zameer Sadiq, 49; of Richard Road, Rotherham jailed for 15 years plus one year on licence for rape and sexual intercourse with a girl under 13 years.
- Mohammed Siyab, 45, of Stevenson Drive, Rotherham jailed for **25 years** for sexual intercourse with a girl

- under 13 years; two counts of rape; and trafficking within the UK for sexual exploitation.
- Abid Saddiq, 43, formerly of Rotherham jailed for 24 years plus one year on licence for indecent assault of a girl aged 12 years; rape of a girl aged under 13; and two counts of rape.



From top left: Abid Saddiq, Mohammed Amar, Mohammed Siyab, Mohammed Zameer Sadiq, Ramin Bari, Tahir Yassin and Yasser Ajaibe

The victims, who were both in care and aged between 11 and 16 at the time of the offences, in the early 2000s, were groomed and often plied with alcohol or cannabis before being raped or assaulted.

<u>Other cases</u>, in other courts, continue. No all of them reach the loca newspaper, let alone the <u>BBC</u>