Troubled Families Reading List

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Background

This is a very brief suggested reading list for the 'troubled families' agenda and the Troubled Families Programme mores specifically. It is not an exhaustive list and it is intended to act as a starting point for people interested in the concept of 'troubled families'. I would be very happy to receive recommendations or suggestions and apologies if I've missed off one of your papers....