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## National Council for Children calls for ban on male circumcision

The National Council for Children has called on lawmakers to make male circumcision illegal.

While media reports of female circumcision in Denmark have caused a public outcry and prompted lawmakers to amend existing legislation, this unacceptable practice is still a lot less common than the circumcision of boys, the chairman of the council told Danish media this morning.

The chairman is now calling on legislators to ban male circumcision for the benefit of the children.



Children, circumcision  
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It'll be sunny but chilly  
today.

Temperatures will range  
from 5 to 10 degrees, and  
the easterly and south-  
easterly wind will reach  
gale force.

Saturday, it'll start off  
sunny and dry in the north  
and the east, but other  
than that it'll be rather  
cloudy and, later in the  
day, rainy.

Temperatures will range  
from 7 to 12 degrees, and  
the south-easterly wind  
will be light to fresh.

Sunday, it'll be cloudy and  
rainy at first, but in the  
course of the afternoon it'll  
clear up.

Temperatures will range  
around 10 degrees, and  
the south-westerly wind

will be light to fresh.

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