

Luton Safeguarding Adults BUSINESS PLAN 2021 – 2023

INTRODUCTION:

The Luton Safeguarding Adults Board represents a statutory partnership of multi-agency partner organisations with the responsibility for safeguarding adults from abuse and neglect in accordance with the requirements of Section 6(7) of the Care Act 2014. To meet its responsibility it is required to:

- Develop policies and procedures for safeguarding and promoting the welfare of vulnerable adults in the area of the authority;
- Communicate to persons and bodies in the area of the authority the need to safeguard and promote the welfare of vulnerable adults, raising their awareness of how this can best be done and encouraging them to do so;
- Monitor and evaluate the effectiveness of what is done by partners individually and collectively to safeguard and promote the welfare of children and advise them on ways to improve:

OBJECTIVES:

The LSAB should support and / or seek assurance

- Organisations and Board compliance on the legal duties under the Care Act through an informed understanding of safeguarding arrangements and performance in single agencies and an authoritative oversight of the quality of front-line multi-agency practice.
- Support operational practice through the provision of relevant multi-agency policy or practice guidance.
- Ensure learning from audits, significant Incidents and Safeguarding Adult Reviews is identified and is used to develop practice and service provision.
- Ensure the provision of high quality multi-agency safeguarding training and evaluate the impact on practice of such training

KEY THEMES/PRIORITIES:

The Board has also identified three key areas to focus its work upon:

- Domestic abuse (joint with LSCB)
- Implementing learning from SARs and relevant CSPR's
- Emotional wellbeing and mental health (work on 16-25yrs is also part of the LSCB priority on emotional wellbeing and mental health)
- Cybercrime

Consideration of the Making Safeguarding Personal, the wishes and feelings of the person and their lived experience should be a part of everything we do.

