

Review Summaries of model safeguarding documents for area meetings

Reviewed by Thirtyone: Eight consultants and BYM Safeguarding Officer May 2024.

1. Model Safeguarding Policy for area meetings

Removal of IICSA reference in para 1 as outdated.

Replaced 'Care of Adults' with Pastoral Care under 'What we do' section.

Under 'our commitment' 'at-risk adults' is replaced with 'adults'.

Commitment to seek professional advice added to 'working with those who pose a risk'.

2. Model Safeguarding Procedures and Toolkit for AMs

No major changes:

Clarification and expansion of 'Prevention' in s.3

Under Safer Recruitment, "where it is practicable" added to the requirement for there to be a pool of DBS-checked volunteers.

In the Toolkit, a link is provided to CQC guidance in assessing mental capacity.

One repetitive section has been removed.
