

# <u>Clinical Governance Leads Meeting –</u> Adult Safeguarding Update - October 2019

# Training Opportunities:

# Safeguarding Adults Care Act Section 42 Enquiry Multi Agency Training

(Provided by Derby and Derbyshire Safeguarding Adult Boards) For all clinicians

3 <sup>rd</sup> December 2019	9:30am – 12:30pm	Erewash Adult Care, Mercian Close, Ilkeston, DE7 8HG
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### Safeguarding Adults Chairing Meetings Multi Agency Training

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7 <sup>th</sup> Nov 2019	1:30pm – 4:30pm	County Hall, Matlock DE4 3AG

To book any of these multi agency courses please visit the link below:

#### Online Course Booking System

# <u>Workshop to Raise Awareness of PREVENT (WRAP)</u> For all CCG staff (clinical and non-clinical) and GP's

22 <sup>nd</sup> Oct 2019	1:30pm – 3:30pm	Robert Robinson Room, Scarsdale, Chesterfield S41 7PF
21 <sup>st</sup> Nov 2019	9:30am – 11am	Boardroom, Cardinal Square, Derby DE1 3QT
13 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2019	9:30am – 11am	Boardroom, Cardinal Square, Derby DE1 3QT

To book : please email <u>natalie.hall1@nhs.net</u> (Senior Adult Safeguarding Administrator) or ring : 01332 868809

#### **VARM** and Hoarding Grant

2018 saw a revision of the VARM process. This has resulted in a revised policy and information booklet for adults at risk, the employment of a VARM co-ordinator, and consolidation of the hoarding grant. All revised information and all other related safeguarding materials can be found on the Derbyshire Safeguarding Adult Board website, <a href="https://www.derbyshiresab.org.uk/home.aspx">https://www.derbyshiresab.org.uk/home.aspx</a>

There can be little doubt that the VARM has led to successful outcomes for adults. Many referrals involving self-neglect and, in particular hoarding, have had successful interventions

and outcomes. The number of VARM meetings being held across the County has increased. A recent VARM case file audit provided further evidence of effective inter-agency working and positive results for individuals. These cases are often complex and high risk.

#### Feedback from Safeguarding Adult Reviews

A learning brief for practitioners has been produced following SAR17A but cannot currently be shared until a decision has been made by HMC whether to hold an inquest.

#### **Feedback from Domestic Homicide Reviews**

A further DHR was commissioned recently following a death in Chesterfield, GP surgery are assisting with the drafting of the chronology and individual management review (IMR) for both victim and perpetrator.

#### Mental Capacity Act/Deprivation of Liberty update

Awaiting the new Code of Practice for the new liberty protection safeguards now expected late 2019.

#### **Derby/Derbyshire Safeguarding Adult Board**

Each of the DSAB's supporting Sub Committee's:- Performance Improvement Sub Group, MCA & DoLs, Learning and Development, Customer Inclusion and Making Safeguarding Personal have now developed action plans linked to key objectives within the DSAB's 3 year strategic plan. The key objectives of the strategy are quality assurance, prevention and making safeguarding personal.

The Derbyshire Annual Report 2018-19 will be published imminently. This, as well as a range of safeguarding information and resources, can be found at the Derbyshire Safeguarding Adult Board website. https://www.derbyshiresab.org.uk/home.aspx

#### **Safeguarding Assurance**

Varieties of models are being used across the NHS to evaluate provider performance in relation to adult safeguarding and associated topics. The safeguarding adult assurance framework (SAAF), the joint safeguarding assurance framework for Primary Care (JSAF) and the joint independent provider safeguarding assurance framework document, as well as individual visits and the monitoring of activity are all used to monitor and assess performance.

The CCG is hosting a multi-agency emergency planning event following the Panorama, Whorlton Hall undercover exposé into abusive criminal behaviour perpetrated by staff members. The purpose of the event is to develop a protocol to manage interventions in the event of a care setting closure

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