

WEST GLAMORGAN SAFEGUARDING BOARD

About Us

The West Glamorgan Safeguarding Board (WGSB) was established to promote, inform and support multi agency safeguarding for Children and Adults across Neath Port Talbot and Swansea.

We are the key statutory mechanism for agreeing how organisations will co-operate to safeguard and promote the welfare of Children and Adults living in the region.

The WGSB is a multi-agency forum which brings together representatives of each of the main agencies and professionals who are responsible for helping to protect Children and Adults from abuse and neglect.

The WGSB is responsible for agreeing on how the different services and professional groups should co-operate to safeguard children and Adults, and for making sure that arrangements work effectively in bringing about better outcomes for Children and Adults.

'Safeguarding means protecting people's health, wellbeing and human rights, and enabling them to live free from harm, abuse and neglect. It's fundamental to high quality health and social care'

'We aim to safeguard and protect adults and children at risk, so that they live a life free from abuse and neglect.'



Website:www.wgsb.wales

The West Glamorgan Safeguarding Board is **Chaired by**;



Director of Social Services NPT Council

Andrew Jarrett



David Howes



Assistant Director of Nursing, Corporate Services - Swansea Bay **University Health Board**

Paul Stuart Davies



Superintendent South Wales Police

Practice Review Management Group

The Social Services and Well Being (Wales)
Act 2014, states that the Regional
Safeguarding Board must arrange for an Adult
or Child Practice Review to be held where
abuse or neglect of an adult or child is known
or suspected and the adult or child has:

Died

Sustained potentially life threatening injury or Sustained serious and permanent impairment of health

The purpose of the review will be to identify if there is any learning for future practice and to promote future improvements in relation to inter-agency protection practice. Learning events are held which will include professionals who had involvement with the adult or child and/or family.

Policy, Procedure & Practice Management Group

The Policy, Procedure &
Practice Management Group
has a key role in ensuring that
effective policies and working
practices are in place to protect
children & adults.

Quality & Performance Management Group

The Quality and Performance
Management Group (QPMG) monitors
and evaluates the effectiveness of West
Glamorgan Safeguarding Board (WGSB)
and local organisations, individually and
collectively, in safeguarding and
promoting the welfare of children and
adults. It has responsibility to audit,
monitor and challenge partners'
safeguarding arrangements.

Joint Strategic Training Management Group

The Joint Strategic Training
Management Group promote
learning which leads to
improved practice in
safeguarding and are
accountable to the WGSB
and provides support in the
requirements placed upon
them in assuring the
availability of appropriate
training and multi-agency
training amongst board
partners.

WGSB STRUCTURE

