

COVID-19 EMERGENCY PLANNING HIGHLIGHT REPORT

SERVICE AREAS:	Safeguarding Partnership Boards
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NEW GUIDANCE AND IMPACT

None during this reporting period

NEW CHALLENGES AND ACTIVITY

No new challenges

RECOVERY ACTIVITY

Interim recovery plan for child exploitation has now been completed and the partnership are working to the “usual” action plan that was in place pre Covid. We are continuing to develop the test and trace process for young people who are / at risk of exploitation and this is forming part of the Socially excluded vulnerable groups work. We are aware that a significant number of people across the children’s workforce will need access to the latest information around test and trace process and it is likely that this information will be available through a virtual briefing that will be accessible via the Safeguarding Boards website.

Mapping of street based violence within Peterborough is completed, mapping of Cambridgeshire is still being completed. The Cambridgeshire mapping will include a focus on whether the violent instances were linked with county lines activity and were targeted attacks.

Recovery plan for multi agency safeguarding training further developed and the first workshops will be delivered in August. In the interim we are still producing the “virtual training” that people can access at any time. There is now a number of virtual training topics available including, online abuse, safeguarding adults (part 1 & 2) safeguarding children (part 1 & 2) Domestic Abuse and safeguarding for community volunteers. To date 2,156 people have accessed the virtual training that we have developed since lockdown.

DECISIONS MADE SINCE LAST REPORTING PERIOD

Safeguarding Boards (adults and children’s) were held on the 7th July 2020.

It was agreed that the Graded care Profile will be the countywide neglect tool that will be used across the partnership. A multi agency task and finish group is being established to consider the implementation of the tool across the partnership.

The process for non use of PPE was officially shared across partners. Since agreeing the new process (shared in previous highlight reports) there have been no reported instances of non use of PPE.

NEW FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS SINCE LAST REPORTING PERIOD

None

WORKFORCE CHANGES

None

COMMUNICATIONS

Multiple safeguarding communications delivered daily via social media/ email and Covid page on website