

# ISLE OF WIGHT SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN BOARD



## Who we are:

The Children Act 2004 requires each local authority to establish a Local Safeguarding Children Board (LSCB). The Board is the means by which organisations come together to agree on how they will cooperate with one another to safeguard and promote the welfare of children.

## Board Meeting 21<sup>st</sup> March 2019 - Key Information:

- The 2019/20 Business Plan was agreed and will be available on the IOWSCB website.
- Discussions were held on the Annual Conference theme for 2019.
- Funding to support the 2019 Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) Conference was agreed. The 2018 Conference was well received with inputs from various organisations. Funding will help to find a better venue to give opportunity for all DSLs across the island to attend.
- Funding for Alter Egos plays on Child Sexual Exploitation was agreed. These have been well received across the island in previous years and the teaching goes directly to the children.
- Funding was agreed for a Pan Hampshire Safe Sleep Project. This is a proactive approach to raise awareness in all areas of safe sleep for babies.
- The 2018/19 Quarter 3 Performance and Quality Assurance data report was presented and good discussions were held.
- The Performance and Quality Assurance (PQA) audit report on the Newborn/Unborn Baby Protocol was presented. Some very good strengths were identified. Audit Recommendations will be monitored by the PQA Group.
- A presentation on the transformation of mental health services was presented by Dr Lesley Stevens.
- The results of the 2017 Children and Young People's Survey Report was presented by Public Health.
- It was agreed a small group would review the IOW LSCB and Children's Trust Thresholds Chart.

## Next Board Meeting – 19<sup>th</sup> September 2019

### New LSCB Secure Email Address

The LSCB have a new secure email address [LS.CB@private.iow.gov.uk](mailto:LS.CB@private.iow.gov.uk) which replaces [LSCB@iow.gcsx.gov.uk](mailto:LSCB@iow.gcsx.gov.uk)  
Please update your records accordingly.

13<sup>th</sup> May – Foster Care Fortnight

20<sup>th</sup> May – Walk to School Week

1<sup>st</sup> June – SANDS (Stillbirth and Neonatal Death) Awareness Month

3<sup>rd</sup> June – Child Safety Week

10<sup>th</sup> June – Carers Week

17<sup>th</sup> June – Children's Hospice Week

Spring 2019

LSCB Independent Chair:

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## Upcoming Training

### Child Neglect

16<sup>th</sup> May 2019

### Working Together To Safeguard Children (Level 3)

13<sup>th</sup> June 2019

### Missing, Exploited & Trafficked

3<sup>rd</sup> July 2019

### What Happens When a Child Dies

11<sup>th</sup> July 2019

### E-learning courses

Safeguarding Children Refresher  
Safer Recruitment  
Wellbeing in Sexual Health  
Parental Mental Health  
Parental Substance Misuse  
Basic Awareness of Domestic Abuse including the impact on children

Click [here](#) for more information on the training courses above



## Changes to the IOW Local Safeguarding Partnership

Following legislative changes introduced through the Children and Social Work Act 2017, revisions to the Working Together to Safeguarding Children were made and a new statutory guidance published in 2018. Changes were made to the arrangements for multi-agency safeguarding, Serious Case Reviews, Child Death Reviews.

From the 29<sup>th</sup> June the IOW LSCB will be replaced with the **IOW Safeguarding Children Partnership (SCP)**.

Under the new legislation, the SCP will be led by three safeguarding partners, IOW Council, Hampshire Police and IOW CCG, and they will continue to work together with relevant agencies to safeguard and protect the welfare of children on the Island.

Further information on the changes will be published in the coming months.

## Family Approach Protocol and Toolkit

The Local Safeguarding Children and Local Safeguarding Adult Boards in the Pan-Hampshire and Isle of Wight area have worked together to develop a 4LSCB and 4LSAB [Family Approach Protocol](#) and [Toolkit](#). This has been commissioned jointly to respond to learning arising from Serious Case Reviews, Serious Adult Reviews and Domestic Homicide Reviews in our local area and building on national learning and research.

The toolkit is free to access and aimed at all professionals from any organisation working with children, adults with care and support needs, and their families.

Learning workshops will be taking place in June and can be booked via the links or IOWSCB website:

[12<sup>th</sup> June 5pm – 8pm](#)    [18<sup>th</sup> June 9.30am – 12.30pm](#)    [26<sup>th</sup> June, 1.30pm – 4.30pm](#)

## 2019/20 Training Programme

Now available on our website is the 2019/20 Training Programme, of which a snapshot of courses/dates are listed below. These courses are fully funded by the LSCB and often popular so it is important attendees cancel tickets so that they can be offered to those on waiting lists. Further courses are being arranged and developed and details will be added to the website as soon as possible.

General Safeguarding			
Introduction to Safeguarding	1	Online	-
Safeguarding Children Refresher	1	Online	-
Working Together to Safeguard Children	3	Face-to-face	13 Jun 19
Working Together to Manage Staff who Safeguard Children LEVEL 4 <i>Course name to be confirmed</i>	4	Face-to-face	26-27 Feb 2020
Sandstories	3	Face-to-face	14 Jan 20
Understanding pathways to extremism and the PREVENT programme	1	Online	-
Safer Recruitment	1	Online	-
What Happens When A Child Dies	3	Face-to-face	11 Jul 19
Safeguarding Issues			
Child Neglect	3	Face-to-face	16 May 19
Teenage Sexual Behaviours	2	Face-to-face	12 Dec 19
Family Approach to Parental Substance Misuse, Mental Illness and Domestic Abuse	2	Face-to-face	14 Nov 19
Missing, Exploited and Trafficked Children	3	Face-to-face	3 July 19
Female Genital Mutilation (FGM)	1	Online	-
Transitions (joint with SAB)	2	Face-to-face	TBC
Hoarding issues (Joint with SAB)	2	Face-to-face	TBC
Learning Workshops			
Domestic Abuse (DASH/RIC Forms) (Joint with SAB)	Tbc	Workshop	TBC
Looked After Children	3	Workshop	TBC
Safeguarding Supervision	tbc	Workshop	TBC
Keeping Children Safe Online	1	Face-to-Face	2 July 19