



Isle of Wight Safeguarding Children Partnership



Designated Safeguarding Leads Conference

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What is a Safeguarding Children Partnership?

Established in accordance with the:

- Children and Social Work Act 2017, and
- Working Together to Safeguard Children 2018 statutory guidance.

Provides the safeguarding arrangements for the partners and relevant agencies to:

- coordinate their safeguarding services
- identify and respond to the needs of children on the IOW
- commission and publish local child safeguarding practice reviews
- provide scrutiny to ensure the effectiveness of the arrangements



Who are the Safeguarding Partners?

Working Together 2018 explains that the three safeguarding partners in relation to a local authority area are defined under the Children Act 2004 (as amended by the Children and Social Work Act 2017) as:

- The Local Authority Chief Executive
- The Accountable Officer, Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG)
- The Chief Officer of Police



Who are the Relevant Agencies?

The 3 safeguarding partners work collaboratively with a range of other **Relevant Agencies** in order to effectively safeguard and promote the welfare of children

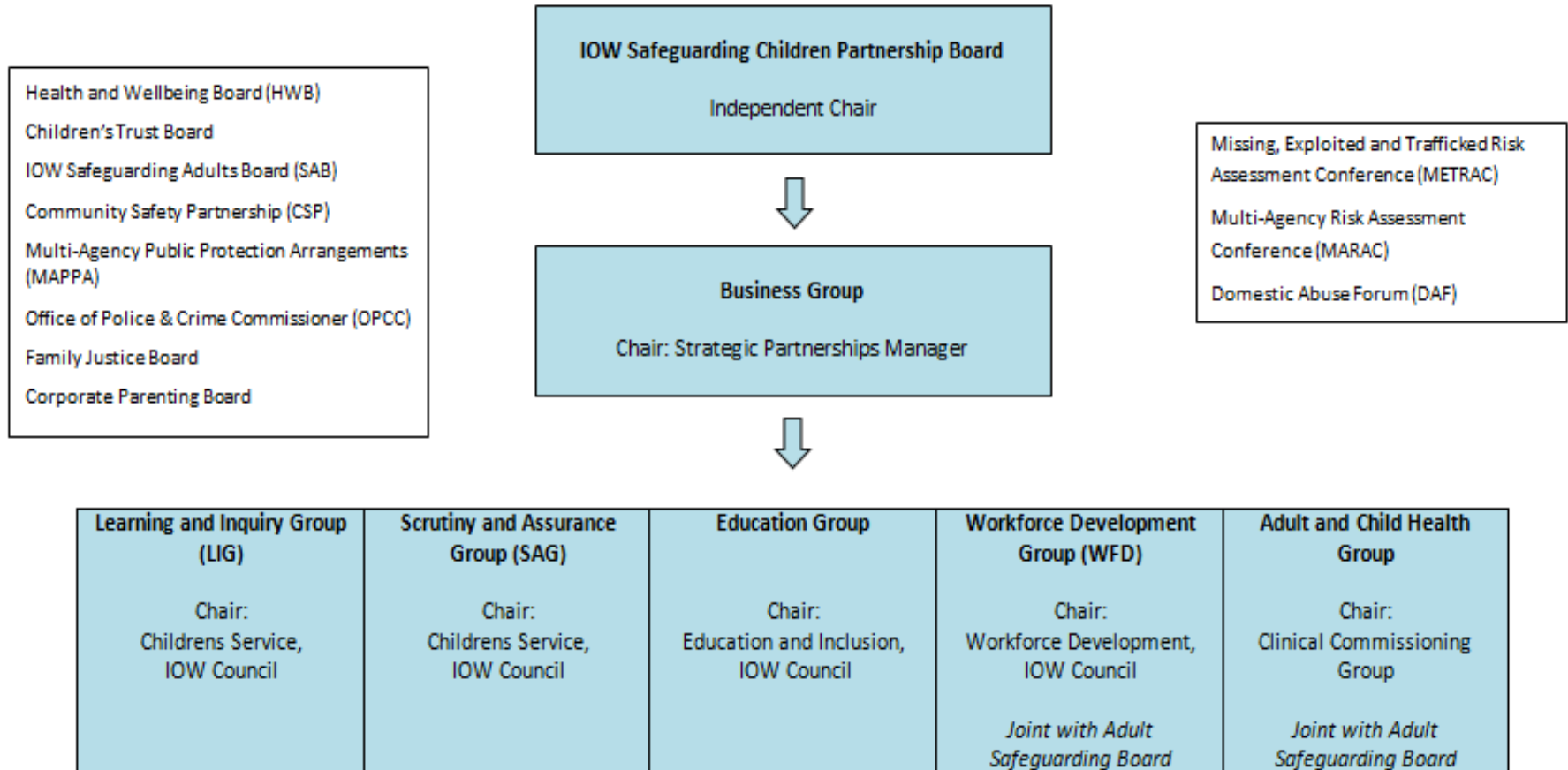


The role of the Safeguarding Children Partnership

- Developing safeguarding and child protection procedures (available on the IOWSCP website iowscp.org.uk)
- Multi-agency [training and development](#)
- Quality assuring safeguarding practice
- Communicating and raising awareness
- Commissioning and publishing child safeguarding practice reviews



The Partnership Structure



- Health and Wellbeing Board (HWB)
- Children's Trust Board
- IOW Safeguarding Adults Board (SAB)
- Community Safety Partnership (CSP)
- Multi-Agency Public Protection Arrangements (MAPPA)
- Office of Police & Crime Commissioner (OPCC)
- Family Justice Board
- Corporate Parenting Board

- Missing, Exploited and Trafficked Risk Assessment Conference (METRAC)
- Multi-Agency Risk Assessment Conference (MARAC)
- Domestic Abuse Forum (DAF)



Business Plan Key themes for 2019/20

The [IOWSCP Business Plan](#) describes key Board priorities for the year ahead.

Detailed work plans for each sub group support delivery of these key priorities.

The three key priorities for 2019/20 are:

- 1 - Further embed and evaluate IOWSCP initiatives**
- 2 - Strengthening our assurance programmes**
- 3 - Leadership and transformation**



Theme 1 – Further embed and evaluate IOWSCP initiatives

- Launch Family Approach protocol, toolkit, training
- Launch ICON project (abusive head trauma in babies)
- Launch Safe Sleep Project
- Launch Lurking Trolls Project across schools
- Review Neglect Toolkit



Theme 2 – Strengthen our Assurance programmes

- Section 11 Audits - respond to outcomes of audits and visits and re visit agency responses
- Training Evaluations - evidencing impact of training



Theme 3 – Leadership and Transformation

- New Partnership arrangements published by 29.06.19
- New Partnership arrangements implemented by 29.09.19
- Develop and implement Pan-Hants and IOW joint work streams including Exploitation Group and Health Group



Key Threads running through all Partnership activity in 2019/20

- The voice and lived experience of the child
- Multi-agency partnership working
- Lessons identified and learned from case reviews and multi-agency audits undertaken, and the monitoring of the implementation of recommendations.



Audits

- 2019 Education audits and visits – update
- Case file audit themes for the coming year

1 - MASH - General with some DV cases

2 - JTAI - Children living with Mental Ill Health

3 - Exploitation

4 - Prevention and Early Intervention



Training

- Annual SCP Training and Development Programme
- New training
- Annual Conference
- ‘Alter Ego’ plays
- Booking system and charges



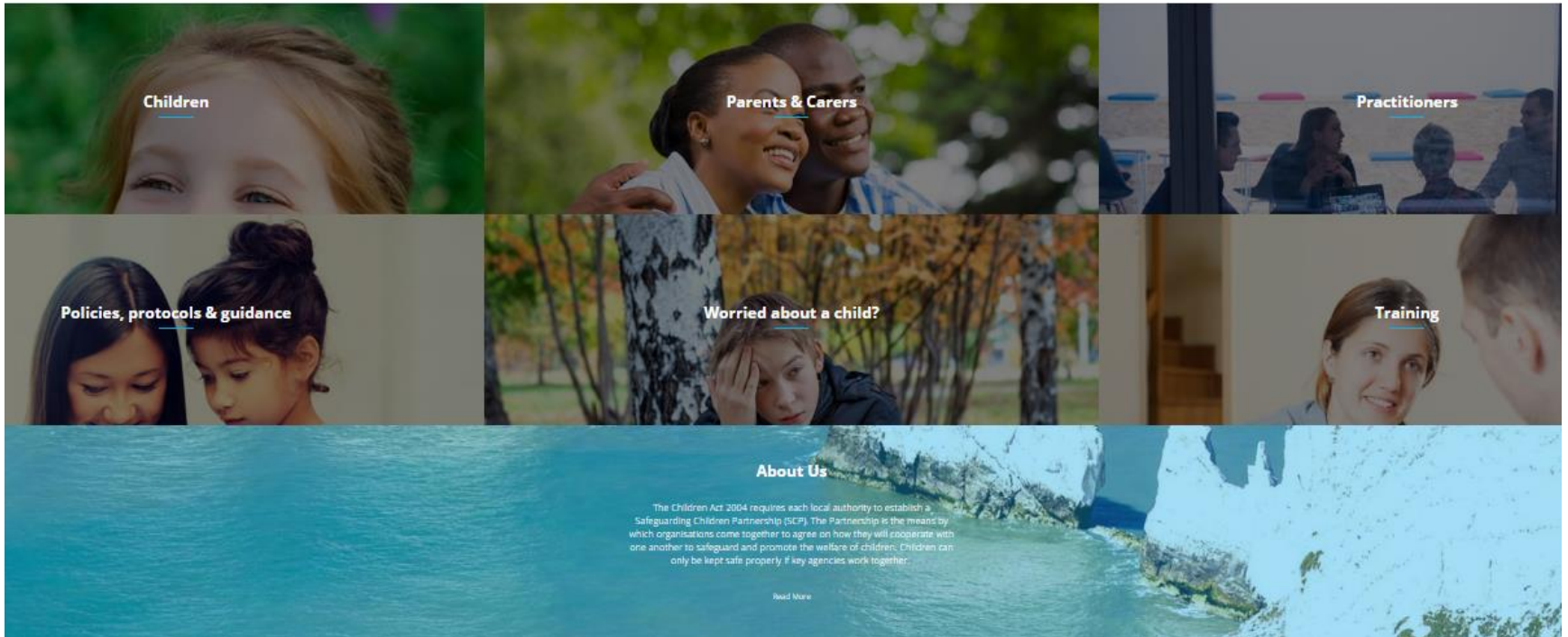
New IOWSCP Website



Welcome to the
Isle of Wight Safeguarding Children Partnership

The Safeguarding Children Partnership coordinates and ensures the effectiveness of their member agencies in safeguarding children.

Keeping children safe is everybody's responsibility. Our website brings together information for children, parents and carers and practitioners who work with children and families.



Communication

- Communication to and from Board
- Communication to and from Groups
- Communication via Heads Forum
- SCP newsletter
- Website
- Twitter





Thanks for listening.