

GP and Independent Contractors Safeguarding Children Briefing



Cambridgeshire and
Peterborough
Clinical Commissioning Group

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Welcome to the CCG Safeguarding Children Briefing for GPs and Independent Contractors.

This briefing is sent out on a quarterly basis from the CCG Safeguarding Team to support GPs, Dentists, Optical Practitioners and Pharmacists in Safeguarding Children.

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- Points raised by practice visits
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Effective Support for Children and Families in Peterborough and Cambridgeshire November 2018

This replaces the previous 'Threshold Document'. It is one document for Cambridgeshire **and** Peterborough. It is guidance for all practitioners in working together with children and families to provide early help, targeted and specialist support. Reading it can help you decide if you need to make a referral and give you the language to use in your referral to make it more effective. If you feel you do not understand the difference between Early Help and CSC and would like someone to come to your practice to give a talk please contact me on juliemay1@nhs.net

Please note the Joint Referral Form can be found on the Safeguarding Children Board website **and** through SystemOne safeguarding template. *You should follow up any referral made after three working days.*

Named Nurse Safeguarding Children for Primary Care - Feedback from Practice visits

I have nearly completed my round of the practices in Cambridgeshire and Peterborough. Its been great getting to meet so many people. Here are some useful pointers to share:

- Record who all children attend appointments with
- Look in 'Record attachments' for previous child protection related documents: Health Visitor and School Nurse admin will scan reports, DASH forms etc here rather than 'Comms and Letters'
- Learn the difference between 'Early Help' and 'Children's Social Care' – a referral to the wrong service may delay getting right support for child and family
- Use the Child Protection Conference Report Template and scheduled tasks – it saves time!
- Use the CCG Safeguarding template – it enters the read codes in and you can run 'registers'
- If you need information or are worried about school aged children try school nurse duty desks, schools, Early Help Hub or Contact Centre
- Ensure the Child Protection reports & minutes are read and attached to records of every child in family and signposted. Summarise any health actions and discuss at your MDT meetings.

Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence update

To coincide with National Stalking Awareness Week (8-12 April), a new leaflet for professionals about the Stalking and Harassment IDVA post has been created alongside a bespoke referral form (attached). Both documents are also available on the Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Partnership at

https://www.cambsdasv.org.uk/website/key_contacts/86057

The National Stalking Helpline, provided by Suzy Lamplugh Trust and giving advice and support to victims, can be contacted on 0808 802 0300

If you need advice about domestic abuse in relation to a patient

You can call the Duty IDVA on 01480 847718 (9-5, Mon-Fri)

This number is for professionals only

Safeguarding Admin Network Meetings

Following the successful workshops in February the meetings will start again.

- Peterborough @ Bretton Health Centre June 12th 12-1pm & September 25th
- Cambridge @ Cornford House Surgery June 19th 12-1pm & September 18th
- Huntingdon @ tbc
- Fenland @ tbc

Please email juliemay1@nhs.net to attend.

Safeguarding Admin User Group Workshops

There are two new events planned for September and October for primary care staff who are responsible for managing the safeguarding administration in their practices. This follows on from the network meetings that have been held and is in response to the request for sharing best practice, keeping up with developments and support for staff new to the role.

Please book a place for your safeguarding administrator via GP Training Hub

candptraininghub@nhs.net

- September 12.30- 2.30pm Oak Tree Centre, Huntingdon
- October 12.30-2.30pm St George's practice, Littleport

Level 3 GP Safeguarding Training Dates

*Please note that Level 3 requirements have increased from 6 to **8** hours over 3 years

Histon, Football Association – 24th September 2019

Peterborough DeafBlindUK- 3rd December 2019

This Level 3 training session is designed for all GPs across Peterborough and Cambridgeshire along with Practice Nurses/ANPs within GP Practices.

to book please visit the following link.

<http://www.safeguardingpeterborough.org.uk/availabletraining/>

The course is located under Safeguarding Children Training.

If you have any queries , please contact Isabel on 01733 863747 or email

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Children's Social Care

- Cambridgeshire0345 045 5203
- Peterborough01733 864180
- Early Help Hub01480 376 666
- **Out of office hours and weekends****01733 234724**

Police

- Non-emergency101
- Emergency999

Local Safeguarding Children Boards (LSCBs)

- Cambridgeshire
www.cambslscb.co.uk01480 373522
- Peterborough
www.peterboroughlscb.org.uk01733 863744

Other

- NSPCC National Helpline0808 800 5000
- Childline0800 1111