



Meeting	Warwickshire Safeguarding Executive Board
Date	Monday 6 th February 2023
Present	<p>Elaine Coleridge-Smith (<i>Warwickshire Safeguarding</i>) George Shipman (<i>Warwickshire County Council</i>) Jackie Channell (<i>Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board</i>) Nigel Minns (<i>Warwickshire County Council</i>) Pete Hill (<i>Warwickshire Police</i>)</p> <p><u>In Attendance:</u> Amrita Sharma (<i>Warwickshire Safeguarding</i>) Chelsea Jones (<i>Warwickshire Safeguarding</i>)</p>
Apologies	Tracy Pilcher (<i>Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board</i>)

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1.	<p>Welcome, Introductions and Apologies</p> <p>The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting with apologies as noted above.</p>		
2.	<p>Minutes of the previous meeting</p> <p>The minutes from the previous meeting were agreed as an accurate record.</p>		
3.	<p>Presentation: Contextual Safeguarding multi-agency panel</p> <p>George Shipman presented WSEB with an overview of the Child Exploitation and Extra Familial Harm Forums proposal.</p> <p>The key principals of the forums are to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See young people as children • Understand their developmental needs • Understand the negative and positives of risks in young people's development • Recognise constrained choices • Work through a contextual lens <p>The SOCJAG Interventions Meeting is to be replaced with monthly Local Contextual Safeguarding Meetings (LCSMs) in the North, East and South of the County.</p> <p>The monthly CE and Missing Operational Group will be replaced with a new group who has responsibility to drive the</p>		



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	<p>operational delivery of the LCSMs and contextual safeguarding arrangements across Warwickshire.</p> <p>It was noted that, due to the crossover between the North of the county and Coventry, Coventry City Council attend some of the DREMM meetings when required.</p> <p>George Shipman is to liaise with the school nursing and sexual health commissioners to discuss the logistics for their services involvement.</p> <p>WSEB welcomed the proposal and approved its implementation. Members thanked George for his work in progressing this proposal.</p>		
4.	<p>Feedback from WSEB assurance visit to Front Door</p> <p>WSEB agreed that the assurance visit to the Front Door was an informative exercise which provided the board members with assurances that the MASH is now operating very differently to how it was a couple of years ago.</p> <p>There were good examples of escalation being used and the visit generated a variety of learning.</p> <p>The visit highlighted that there is a poor level of understanding of how the Children and Families Front Door operates. Therefore, it was agreed that there should be a recap of the new Front Door arrangements at the next Partnership Groups Meeting in March 2023.</p> <p>Jackie Channell and Amrita Sharma are to put together an summary overview report of the assurance visit for members to consider at the next meeting.</p>	<p>Include Front Door arrangements on the next Partnership Groups meeting agenda</p> <p>Put together an analysis report of the MASH assurance visit</p>	<p>AS</p> <p>AS/JC</p>
5.	Refresh of WS Strategic Priorities/Plan		



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	<p>Nigel Minns provided WSEB with an update on the Care Review recommendations that are due to come out in Spring.</p> <p>The report is to recommend that each Safeguarding Board throughout the country should have a strategic board and a separate operational group. The strategic board will consist of partners at the highest levels within their organisations who have authority to make decisions. The operational group will deal with the day-to-day responses of safeguarding.</p> <p>These arrangements are due to be piloted prior to implementation. Local areas will be selected to participate in the pilots.</p> <p>Nigel Minns is to share the summary slides provided from the care review.</p> <p>Amrita Sharma provided WSEB with an overview of Warwickshire Safeguarding's 2019-2021 strategic priorities, detailing activities and impact on outcomes.</p> <p>Effective Safeguarding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Undertook the Core Strategic Thematic Review which provided the partnership with a source of intelligence of how the land lies across the partnership and the levels of understanding and awareness that refine or improve performance • Introduced the multi-agency training programme which places a focus on key safeguarding practices and topics • Continue to develop Lessons Learned Briefings and 7-Minute Briefings to help improve understanding and awareness <p>It was agreed that a deep dive into escalation and supervision needs to be carried out.</p> <p>Exploitation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exploitation Strategy has undergone a refresh 	Share summary slides	NM



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Undertook the Exploitation Thematic review IICSA review and recommendations being overseen by the Exploitation Subgroup to ensure that the expectations are being met Something's not Right campaign was launched to ensure that we raise the profile and understanding Launched the Philomena Protocol to improve the management and oversight of missing children and young people The partnership held a 'Exploitation Safeguarding Week' in 2021 The partnership held a 'Safeguarding Week' in November 2022 where the theme of exploitation was included Planning to hold an 'Exploitation Safeguarding Week' in March 2023 <p>Amrita Sharma is to include an element within the information sheet on what the partnership has achieved on exploitation for adults.</p> <p>Amrita Sharma and Pete Hill are to have a discussion outside of the WSEB meeting to ensure that the partnerships aspirations are aligned to where we think the partnership will be in a couple of years' time.</p> <p>Prevention and Early Intervention:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Amrita Sharma is to liaise with Marina Kitchen to obtain information on the multi-agency work that has been carried out on prevention and early intervention The WSEB agreed that the partnership will use the JTAI framework for the Prevention and Early Intervention Strategic Thematic Review. <p>It was agreed that the partnership is to continue with these three thematic priorities; however, work will be guided by the changes that arise from the care review.</p>	<p>Include an element on adults</p> <p>Liaise with Pete Hill to ensure that the partnerships aspirations are aligned</p>	<p>AS</p> <p>AS</p>



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	<p>Overview of WSP Survey:</p> <p>Amrita Sharma provided WSEB with a list of areas that were identified as potential new strategic priorities as part of the 2021 WSP survey:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Neglect & Self-Neglect• Homelessness• Mental Health• Domestic Abuse• Suicide Prevention• Missing• Children out of education• Drug & Alcohol Abuse• Hoarding <p>Members felt that, as work is already underway in different areas, the partnership should seek assurances on these areas of safeguarding and present the findings to the wider partnership.</p> <p>In addition, neglect, self-neglect, and children out of education are to be mini themes within the partnership's Strategic Thematic Review programme.</p>	<p>Seek assurances on areas of safeguarding identified on the WSP survey</p>	AS
6.	<p>Safeguarding Partner Information Sharing Survey</p> <p>WSEB responded to the national survey requiring partnership boards to provide an evaluation of local information sharing arrangements amongst partners, their effectiveness and issues which may present as barriers to sharing efficiently. Amrita Sharma to submit WSEB's response accordingly.</p>		
7.	<p>7 Minute Briefings</p> <p>The following list of draft 7 Minute Briefings were shared with WSEB for sign-off. Amrita Sharma explained that these had been developed to respond to issues being identified within CSPRs/SARs. The draft copies had already been approved by the</p>		



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	<p>Safeguarding Reviews Subgroup prior to being presented to WSEB.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Underage Sexual Activity • Making a Referral to CFFD • Suicide Awareness • Child Accident Prevention • LADO • Harmful Sexual Behaviour <p>Agreed that WSEB provide any feedback on the draft 7 Minute Briefings to Amrita Sharma by 17/02/23. Unless otherwise advised, the 7 Minutes Briefings will then be published and distributed across the wider partnership.</p>	<p>Provide feedback on 7MB's by 17/02/23 to Amrita Sharma</p>	All
8.	<p>Safeguarding Week 2022 – summary analysis of evaluations</p> <p>Members were advised that Warwickshire Safeguarding held a virtual Safeguarding Week in November 2022. A multi-agency programme of training related to safeguarding both children and adults was delivered on the following topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Victim Blaming Language • Preventing Online Grooming • Cuckooing/Home Invasion • Professional Curiosity • Financial Abuse • Impact of Drugs and Alcohol • Child Exploitation • Preventing Harm/Death by Fire <p>A total of 242 attendees from partner agencies joined the sessions across the duration of the week.</p> <p>It was agreed that another safeguarding week would be scheduled for the end of 2023.</p>		
9.	<p>Quarterly WS News Bulletin</p> <p>The WSEB were advised that the quarterly news bulletin is to be published on 06/02/23.</p>	<p>Publish quarterly news bulletin</p>	AS



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10.	<p>Any Other Business</p> <p><u>Safeguarding Conference/Learning Event – June 2023</u> WSEB agreed that Amrita Sharma confirm the venue for the June conference, proposed agenda for the day to be discussed at the next meeting.</p> <p><u>Partnership Groups Meeting – March 2023</u> It was agreed that the March 2023 Partnership Groups Meeting should include the following agenda items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation of the three strategic priorities • Front Door Assurance Visit - Overview • Care Review update • ASC Inspection Framework 	Venue booking to be confirmed.	AS
	<i>Date of next meeting: Monday 13th March 2023, 2:00-4:30pm</i>		