



Joint Meeting of the North Wales Safeguarding Adults and Childrens Board

KEY MESSAGES

From meeting held on Tuesday 17th September 2019

- Presentation followed by questions and discussions with Rhiannon Edwards on the work of the VAWDA SV Regional Board. Shared Priorities and areas of joint working were identified. Training development and areas for new victim and perpetrator work were also discussed.
- Updates on the actions following recommendations from an IOPC Report were given by North Wales Police and discussion around themes and shared learning coming out of APR/CPR and DHR reports took place.
- A Partnership Review of Safeguarding has been undertaken with mapping of different Boards and their functions in order to avoid duplication of work. The Safeguarding Boards are now awaiting a decision from the Regional Leadership Group with regards to the recommendations they have received.
- National Protection Procedures – update given with reference to the current position. Launch for South Wales is planned for 11th November with the North Wales event taking place on 14th November – Deputy Minister will be in attendance. Development of the training materials is underway and the NWSB have input into these.
- NWSB Business Plan update noted progress in some areas. Limited progress around the exploitation priorities. Delay partly due to the Partnership Review and uncertainty as to where the priority will sit.
- Disclosure and Baring Service – work is currently being done within Welsh Governments Health Division and Local Practice Delivery Groups are currently receiving presentations from a senior officer of DBS on referral issues.