



## **HSAB Engagement and Prevention Subgroup** (Ratified at the HSAB meeting on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2024)

### **PURPOSE**

The Engagement and Prevention subgroup will report to the Haringey Safeguarding Adults Board (HSAB) on the delivery of the Board's Strategic Plan (**Priority 1: Prevention and Awareness**). It will promote engagement, raise awareness of safeguarding and lead on prevention.

The subgroup will oversee the delivery of the Haringey Safeguarding Adults Prevention Strategy, and development and coordination of multi-agency safeguarding adults training provision. Delivery of safeguarding awareness campaigns. Promote effective communication and engagement with the local community and relevant stakeholders; and to ensure that information about the HSAB's work, priorities, and initiatives is accessible and understandable to a wide range of individuals.

The HSAB has overall responsibility for co-coordinating safeguarding adult matters and ensuring that partner agencies carry out safeguarding adults work.

### **The Subgroup will:**

- Take forward relevant recommendations/actions from any of the Safeguarding Adult Reviews (SAR) that are relevant to the subgroup.
- Ensure regular engagement with Healthwatch Haringey and wider voluntary and community sector.
- Work collaboratively across North Central London (NCL) boroughs of Enfield, Barnet, Camden and Islington on shared priorities, joint working on shared projects to share resources where possible.  
Explore data to identify community groups requiring targeted engagement activities and promote relevant initiatives based on the identified needs.
- Produce and deliver a communication and engagement plan to raise awareness of safeguarding in Haringey which will deliver the engagement and outreach work with the community to increase awareness of adult safeguarding issues and support people to raise safeguarding concerns.
- Continue to use data available to target engagement activity and monitor short and long term impact jointly planned with the Joint Partnership Board.
- Develop and deliver safeguarding awareness campaigns using a variety of medium and channels to encourage reporting of safeguarding adult concerns and provide clear guidance to the public to take action and prevent abuse.

- Implement and refresh the Prevention Strategy (2022-25) aligned with the new HSAB Strategic Plan and Priorities.  
Collaborate with residents, community groups, charities, and volunteers to identify areas of concern and share knowledge and expertise around prevention and safeguarding awareness-raising  
Use stakeholder mapping to be able to develop and implement targeted outreach and engagement activities with vulnerable groups and different communities to increase awareness of adult safeguarding.  
Contribute to the HSAB Annual Account.
- The subgroup will actively engage with other HSAB subgroups, partner agencies, and stakeholders to foster collaboration, share good practice, and maximize the collective impact of safeguarding efforts.
- Produce a programme of events for Safeguarding Adults Week.

## **GOVERNANCE ARRANGEMENTS**

### **Chairperson**

The Subgroup will be co-chaired by Haringey Council (Adult Social Care Service Manager) and a representative from the Healthwatch Haringey to oversee the subgroup's activities, facilitating meetings, and ensuring effective communication and collaboration among members.

### **Membership**

The subgroup will consist of representatives from relevant partner agencies. The subgroup may invite additional members with specific expertise or experience as required:

- Participation Delivery Lead, Policy and Strategy Team
- Council's strategic partner for Voluntary and Community sector
- Healthwatch Haringey/ Public Voice representative(s)
- NHS: Whittington Health NHS Trust, Safeguarding Adults Lead
- NHS: North Middlesex University Hospital NHS Trust, Safeguarding Adults Lead
- Safeguarding Adults lead NHS: Barnet, Enfield and Haringey Mental Health Trust
- Senior Coordinator – PREVENT
- Strategic Lead, Violence against women and girls
- Strategic lead, modern slavery
- Haringey Housing (safeguarding and homelessness representatives)
- Safeguarding Adults NHS: NCL ICB rep
- London Fire Brigade
- Metropolitan Police Service: North Area Public Protection
- Haringey Learning Disabilities Partnership

- Haringey provider services representative and any other officer or community representative who may be asked to join the subgroup to assist with specific pieces of work.
- Primary Care Network:

### **Meetings**

The subgroup will meet regularly, at least quarterly, to discuss progress, share information, and make decisions. Additional meetings may be scheduled as necessary.

### **Quorum**

The subgroup will require a minimum quorum of 5 members present to proceed with decision-making and discussions. Key partners are as follows:

Police, Haringey Council Adults, Health & Communities, Healthwatch Haringey, North Middlesex University Hospital NHS Trust, BEH- Mental Health Trust, Whittington Health, NHS Haringey ICB. Or 3 of key partners Adult Social Care, Health, Police, Voluntary and community sector,

Attendees are expected to make every effort to attend meetings. If representatives cannot attend a meeting, they should formally submit apologies to the Co-Chairs in advance of the meeting and make every effort to send a substitute/ report/ update

### **Reporting**

The subgroup will provide regular quarterly updates and progress reports to the HSAB and Chairs Executive highlighting achievements, challenges, and recommendations for practice improvement.

### **Review**

The Terms of Reference will be reviewed annually to ensure their continued relevance and alignment with the HSAB's strategic objectives.

By adhering to these Terms of Reference, the HSAB Engagement and Prevention Subgroup will actively promote prevention, awareness, and community engagement in safeguarding adults, thereby contributing to improved outcomes and the achievement of the HSAB's objectives.