

Raising a Referral to the High Risk Adults Panel Flowchart (Stage 1 - Referrer)



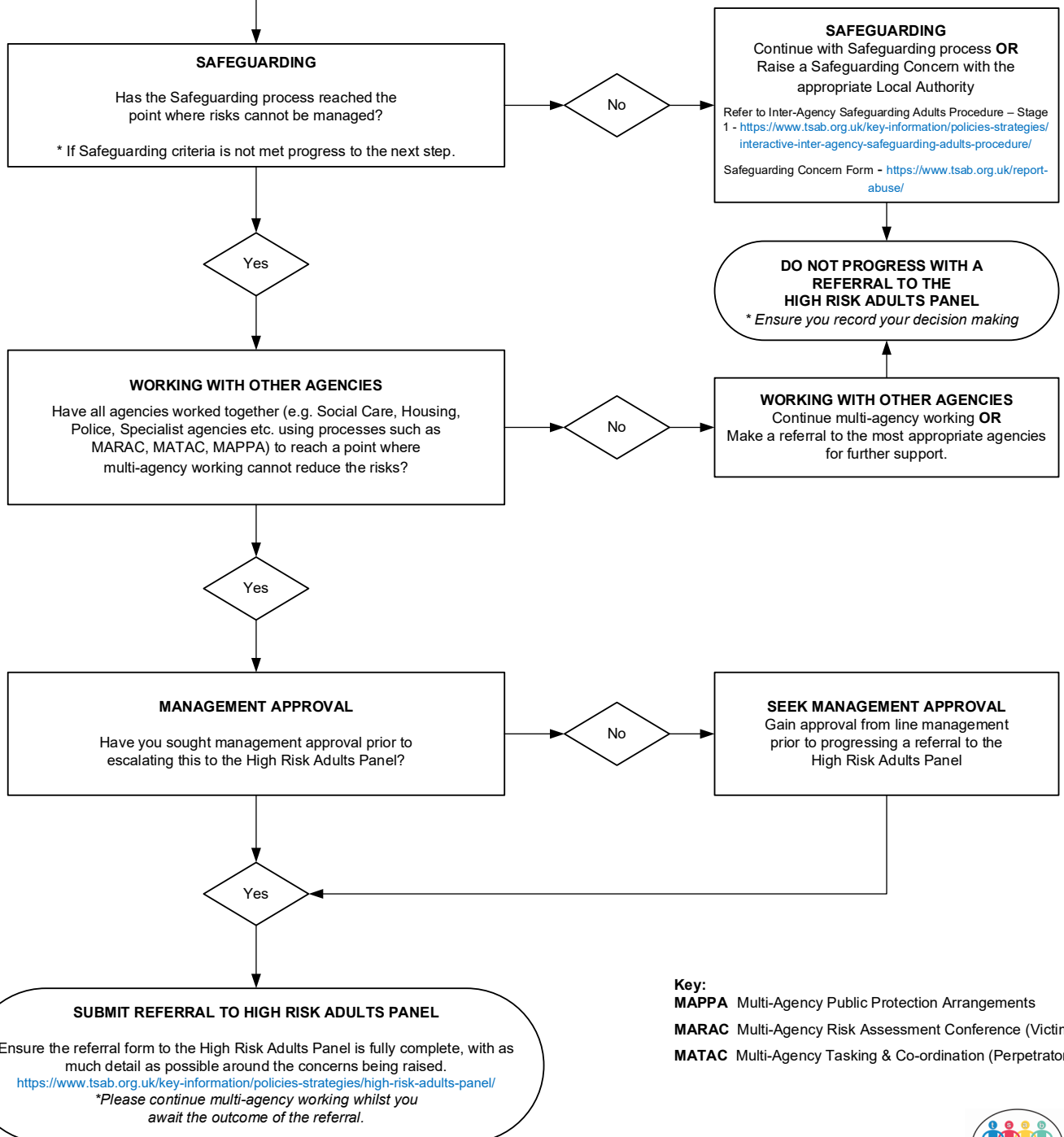
STOP & CONSIDER...

- Have you been unable to achieve an outcome which will reduce the risk to the adult / wider community?
- Have you considered the support other agencies can offer to help manage / reduce the risk to the adult / wider community?
- Have you had a previous multi-agency plan in place for this adult at risk?
- Have you exhausted all options to reduce the risk to the adult / wider community, by escalating your concerns internally within your own organisation?
- Have risks to children been considered, if not consider a referral to Childrens Services (Safer Referral). <https://www.teescpp.org.uk/>
- Have risks to other people in the household been considered, seek advice from your line manager to establish whether any further steps need to be taken.
- If your concern is URGENT and it cannot wait until a monthly High Risk Adults Panel meeting takes place, then seek advice from your line manager immediately.

PLEASE NOTE THAT A REFERRAL TO THIS HIGH RISK ADULTS PANEL IS NOT A REPLACEMENT FOR THE DAY TO DAY MANAGEMENT OF THE CASE / RISKS BY AGENCIES INVOLVED; THIS WORK SHOULD STILL CONTINUE WHILST THE CASE IS REFERRED AND CONSIDERED BY THE HIGH RISK ADULTS PANEL.

RECOGNISING WHEN FURTHER INTERVENTION IS REQUIRED AT A STRATEGIC LEVEL

- Previous multi-agency work has been unsuccessful when managing the risk to the adult / wider community
- Case would benefit from being escalated and discussed at a strategic level to explore what further steps can be considered or undertaken to reduce the risk to the adult / wider community



Key:
MAPPA Multi-Agency Public Protection Arrangements
MARAC Multi-Agency Risk Assessment Conference (Victim)
MATAC Multi-Agency Tasking & Co-ordination (Perpetrator)