

TSAB Safeguarding Champions Keeping In Touch



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A Spotlight on Modern Slavery and Sexual Exploitation

TSAB, Cleveland Anti-Slavery Network and partners from both public and voluntary service organisations came together between 2nd and 6th October to share key messages and resources during our weeklong campaign “A Spotlight on Modern Slavery and Sexual Exploitation”.

Watch our video, [‘What is Modern Slavery?’](#)

380 Professionals from across Tees attended our half-day conference, hearing from Cleveland Anti-Slavery Network, Cleveland Police, North East Regional Organised Crime Unit, Barnardo’s, Causeway, The Salvation Army and Local Adult and Children’s Safeguarding teams. The recordings from the conference are now available [online](#).

Today is Anti-Slavery Day

(Wednesday 18th October)

You can raise awareness by following @TeeswideSAB on Facebook and Twitter and sharing our social media post. You can also view and share resources from our [campaign webpage](#), including printable posters to display in public spaces.

Please [click here](#) to visit our resource page.



NEW Process for Supporting Our Most Vulnerable People in Tees - High Risk Adults Panel

Formerly known as the Team Around the Individual (TATI) panel the new High Risk Adults Panel (HRAP) will replace TATI and will be launched in Hartlepool, Middlesbrough, Redcar & Cleveland and Stockton-on-Tees on **Monday 6 November 2023**.

HRAP is an escalation process and aims to work in collaboration with a core group of multi-agency professionals and extended members to reduce/remove or manage the risk of ‘our’ most vulnerable individuals who are identified as being complex and at high risk of harm.

From the 6 November professionals should refer to the new HRAP Terms of Reference, Guidance and supporting documents.

<https://www.tsab.org.uk/key-information/policies-strategies/high-risk-adults-panel/> 

Medication Incidents: Guidance for Providers

Practice Guidance for Reporting Medication Incidents Into Safeguarding

[Click here](#) to access the document.

To access all policies and procedures [click here!](#)

YOU ARE INVITED!

A date has been set for our **Safeguarding Champions Event**. The event will take place during Sexual Abuse and Sexual Violence Awareness week (5th—9th February 2024).

Date: Wednesday 7th February 2023

Time: 9am—12:30pm

Location: Microsoft Teams

Guest Speakers will include ARCH presenting on Sexual Violence and Abuse, Safer Communities presenting on Financial Abuse and Scams, TSAB presenting on Learning from Safeguarding Adult Reviews and Independent Voices Advocacy Service presenting on their service and the Safe Place Scheme. [Click here](#) to secure your space!

HAVE YOUR SAY IN OUR ANNUAL SURVEY!

We want to hear from you to help us plan our priorities for 2024-25. Below you will find the links to our Annual Survey. Please share widely amongst your networks and where possible include in any internal/external publications. Please encourage colleagues, service users and carers to complete.

- [Professionals Survey](#)
- [General Public Survey](#)
- [Easy Read \(General Public\) Survey](#)



National Safeguarding Adults Week

National Safeguarding Adults Week (NSAW) is a time for organisations to come together to raise awareness of important safeguarding issues. The aim is to highlight safeguarding key issues, facilitate conversations and to raise awareness of safeguarding best practice.

NSAW is led by the [Ann Craft Trust](#) who set the themes for the week. Each day has its own theme, with an overarching theme of “prioritising the welfare and wellbeing of yourself and others”:

- ⇒ Monday 20th November: What’s My Role in Safeguarding Adults?
- ⇒ **Tuesday 21st November: Taking The Lead on Safeguarding in Your Organisation - see below how you can get involved**
- ⇒ Wednesday 22nd November: Who Cares For The Carers? Secondary and Vicarious Trauma
- ⇒ Thursday 23rd November: Adopting a Trauma Informed approach to Safeguarding Adults
- ⇒ Friday 24th November: Listen, Learn, Lead – Co-Production With Experts by Experience

Resources and activities for the week will be updated on the TSAB website in advance of the campaign. [Click here](#) for more information.

Why not take the lead on Safeguarding in your organisation during NSAW? You can share our social media posts, deliver the [Safeguarding Champions Presentation](#) to your organisation and/ or share the [Safeguarding Champions Poster](#) across your networks.

Let us know how you get involved by emailing tsab.businessunit@stockton.gov.uk



NEW Dedicated Learning Briefings webpage

We have recently published a dedicated [Learning Briefings webpage](#). Our 7-minute briefings are a quick and simple way to share learning on various safeguarding topics, and will help teams and their managers discuss and reflect on their practice and systems.

Our most recent Learning Briefing is on Fire Risks - [click here](#) to view the document. Please share within your organisation.



Training Courses January - March 2024

<p>Section 42 Enquiry Training – Level 1</p> <p>Request A Place</p>	<p>The course aims to increase the knowledge of practitioners and managers who work with adults at risk in the purpose and function of a safeguarding enquiry, and to improve skills and confidence for conducting a safeguarding enquiry</p>	<p>Format: 1 Day – Face to face</p> <p>Venue: Inspire 2 Learn</p> <p>Course Date: 7th December 2023</p>
<p>Section 42 Enquiry Training – Level 2</p> <p>Request A Place</p>	<p>The content is suitable for professionally qualified and experienced staff involved with adults at risk who may be required to lead a complex safeguarding enquiry, which may include those where Court of Protection proceedings may be likely, where there may be a police investigation or in situations where there is institutional abuse. It is expected that delegates will already be undertaking enquiries</p>	<p>Format: 1 Day - Face to face</p> <p>Venue: Inspire 2 Learn</p> <p>Course Date: 17th January 2024</p>
<p>Adult Sexual & Criminal Exploitation</p> <p>Request A Place</p>	<p>The course is aimed at adult social care staff and multi-agency workers. It will help delegates understand what Adult Sexual and Adult Criminal Exploitation is, how vulnerable adults are targeted and multi-agency practice and responsibilities</p>	<p>Format: 1 x Full Day webinar session</p> <p>Course Dates: 9th January 2024</p>
<p>Safeguarding & Self-Neglect</p> <p>Request A Place (January)</p> <p>Request A Place (March)</p>	<p>The course aims to increase knowledge about Self-neglect, the impact that it can have on an individual and to increase understanding and confidence in the use of Local Risk Management policies.</p>	<p>Format: 2 x Half day webinar sessions</p> <p>Course Dates: 16th & 23rd January 2024</p> <p>Or</p>
<p>Safeguarding Vulnerable Dependent Drinkers</p>	<p>Facilitated by Alcohol Change UK. The course aims to encourage and enable to use legal frameworks to manage and protect chronic dependent drinkers.</p>	<p>Format: 1 x Half day webinar session</p> <p>Course Dates: 18th January 2024 (am)</p>
<p>Adult Safeguarding - Essential Legal Literacy</p> <p>Request A Place</p>	<p>To refresh knowledge and ensure a secure foundation of legal literacy for Safeguarding Adults work</p>	<p>Format: 1 x 2 Hour webinar session</p> <p>Course Date: 6th February 2024 (am)</p>

<p>Adult Safeguarding in a Multi-Agency Context</p> <p>Request A Place</p>	<p>To refresh and develop legal literacy around multi-agency working in the Safeguarding Adults context</p>	<p>Format: 1 x 2 Hour webinar session</p> <p>Course Date: 6th February 2024 (pm)</p>
<p>Safeguarding Adults Training for Managers of Services – Refresher</p> <p>Request A Place</p>	<p>To refresh registered managers knowledge of how to fulfil their responsibilities to safeguard adults.</p> <p>Please note that this is a refresher course which is designed for delegates that have already completed the full Safeguarding Adults Training for Managers of Services course previously.</p>	<p>Format: 1 x Full day webinar session</p> <p>Course Date: 7th February 2024</p>
<p>Aftercare under s.117 Mental Health Act</p> <p>Request A Place</p>	<p>To support staff in understanding s.117 responsibilities</p>	<p>Format: 1 x 2 Hour webinar session</p> <p>Course Date: 8th February 2024 (am)</p>
<p>Making Safeguarding Personal</p> <p>Request A Place</p>	<p>The course aims to equip practitioners and managers who work with adults at risk with the knowledge, skills and confidence, to ensure that all Safeguarding interventions are person centered, and include the person (or their advocate) in identifying and achieving their desired outcome.</p>	<p>Format: 2 x Half day webinar sessions</p> <p>Course Dates: 29th February & 7th March 2024</p>
<p>Adult Safeguarding – Complex Cases</p> <p>Request A Place</p>	<p>To support practitioners in applying learning from SARs and case law to complex adult safeguarding cases</p>	<p>Format: 2 x Half day webinar sessions</p> <p>Course Dates: 26th & 27th March 2024</p>

Our full list of Training Courses can be viewed on the TSAB Website: [Course List](#)

