

REGIONAL ADULT PROTECTION PROCEDURES

STRATEGY/CASE DISCUSSION/CONFERENCE MINUTES

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Be notified to the Chairperson within 7 days: otherwise it
Will be assumed that the reports are agreed.**

This provides a template to record who participated in the discussion, submitted reports and future review arrangements. The DAPO will also include a minute of the essential facts, discussion and decisions taken at the meeting.

NAME:	ADDRESS:	DATE OF BIRTH:
H&C NO:	POSTCODE:	GENDER: M ☐ F ☐ OTHER ☐
VENUE:		DATE
DAPO CHAIR:		
WAS THE SERVICE USER INVITED? YES ☐ NO ☐ WAS THE SERVICE USER IN ATTENDANCE? YES ☐ NO ☐ <i>(if not give details)</i>		
OTHERS INVITED (ADVOCATE OR CARER) NAME: IN ATTENDANCE YES ☐ NO ☐ NAME: IN ATTENDANCE YES ☐ NO ☐ IF NOT INVITED OR DID NOT ATTEND SPECIFY REASON:		
NAME OF THOSE PRESENT	TITLE	
LIST OF APOLOGIES RECEIVED		
WRITTEN REPORTS SUBMITTED BY:		

INTRODUCTIONS & PURPOSE OF MEETING

Synopsis of referral and immediate actions taken to protect the individual(s) (Prompts to be hidden by ENCOMPASS)

PROFESSIONAL REPORTS *(where applicable)*

- Key worker
- RQIA
- Human Resources
- Other reports

DISCUSSION

Consideration should be given to the following as appropriate in making multiagency decisions:

- Wishes of the Adult
- Human Rights Considerations
- Safeguarding of other adults at risk of harm or children
- Undue influence / coercion
- Proportionate Response
- Consent / capacity
- Best interests Decisions
- Supports for adult and family through investigation process
- Crime prevention
- Employee Relations / Contract issues
- Summary of actions agreed

INVESTIGATION STRATEGY

- Process of Investigation – single/joint
- Appointment of Investigating Officer(s)
- Agree Terms of Reference for the investigation.
- Methods of gathering information – Medical / structured meetings / documentary evidence to be reviewed
- BSO Internal Audit / Counter Fraud Probity Services
- Who will conduct meetings / when / with whom
- Arrangements for special needs, race, culture, gender, language, communication etc
- Summary of actions agreed

REVIEW OF RISK ASSESSMENT AND PROTECTION PLAN

- Steps to be taken to enhance future safety, incl. When and by whom.
- Services, treatment or therapy to be accessed or modifications in services
- Support services through the legal process
- Updated risk assessment and management including actions to be taken
- Summary of actions agreed

COMMUNICATION ARRANGEMENTS

- Who is responsible to communicate with adult/family/staff involved/other agencies/media/communications teams (where appropriate).
- What is being shared with each party?
- Summary of actions agreed

IS ADULT PROTECTION INVESTIGATION TO BE CLOSED?
☐ Yes ☐ No

Date of next meeting if required:
AREAS FOR LEARNING FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION (POPULATED BY ENCOMPASS)
**Summary of Investigation
– areas of learning**
Select relevant themes:

- ☐ Communication;
- ☐ Recording;
- ☐ Incident Reporting;
- ☐ Medication;
- ☐ Moving and handling;
- ☐ positive behaviour support;
- ☐ assessment and care planning;
- ☐ restrictive intervention;
- ☐ pressure ulcer care;
- ☐ management of individual's monies;
- ☐ purposeful activities and social inclusion;
- ☐ service user on service user incidents;
- ☐ staffing;
- ☐ conduct;
- ☐ management systems;
- ☐ governance;
- ☐ training;
- ☐ supervision;
- ☐ culture and practice;
- ☐ user and carer engagement,
- ☐ other - specify

ACTIONS AGREED
RESPONSIBILITY
**MONITORING
ARRANGEMENTS**
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2
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Reason for Closure

Client unwilling to proceed ☐

Trust Investigation Complete ☐

Learning and recommendations identified Yes ☐ No ☐

Refer to RQIA for response ☐

Refer to another agency ☐

Refer to HR ☐

Refer to Professional Body ☐

Has anyone expressed a contrary view to closure? ☐ Yes ☐ No
(if yes specify)

Has the service user been informed in writing?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Has the referrer been notified of outcome?

☐ Yes ☐ No

*****See guidance note*****

Has service user and/or carer feedback been completed?

☐ Yes ☐ No

DAPO signature:

Print name:

Date: