

## APPENDIX C SAFEGUARDING

### Context

This report combines adult and children's safeguarding data and analysis and provides an overview of safeguarding activity in Quarter 2 of 2015/16. It aims to highlight good practice and identify areas for development/improvement which will be incorporated into delivery plans for the relevant service areas. The children's data (except for the re-referral information) is shared with partners as required by the Local Safeguarding Children's Board (LSCB) performance scorecard.

### CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE UPDATE

#### Early Intervention

There were 7 new Common Assessment Frameworks (CAF's) opened in Quarter 2, 2 of which were referred by Social Care, representing 29% of the total number of CAF for the quarter.

5 cases were closed during the Quarter, 1 with their needs met by single agency, 3 by universal services, 1 were stepped up and 1 withdrawn consent.

Rutland	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Reporting Frequency
Number of new CAF's	40	7				Quarterly
Number/Proportion of Children's Social Care referrals that result in a CAF*	8	2				Quarterly
	20%	29%				

\*The proportion of referrals resulting in a CAF is calculated on referrals only, not referrals/contacts

#### Contact referral and assessment

- There was a 8% decrease in contacts this quarter (234 as opposed to 255 in quarter 1). Of those contacts, 33% (78) went on to referral compared to 39% (100) last quarter.
- 58% of all single assessments closed during Quarter 2, were closed within timescales (40 days)
- There were 17 section 47 enquiries during Quarter 2.

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total/ Cumulative	Reporting Frequency
Number of contacts to Children's Social Care (include referrals)	255	234				Quarterly
Number of referrals to Children's Social Care	100	78				Quarterly
Number of referrals made by EDT/Out of Hours Team (including those that were recorded as contacts only)	20	3				Quarterly
Number of single assessments started during Quarter	85	74				
No. of single assessments closed, and % closed within 40 days	77	69				Quarterly
	65%	58%				
Number of S47 enquiries	28	17				Quarterly

### Child Protection

- There were 26 child protection plans at 30<sup>th</sup> June 2015. This is a 21% decrease on Quarter 1.
- The largest category of abuse for CP plans at end of September 2015 was emotional, which represented 54% of all plans.
- Of the children with a CP plan for 3 months or more at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2015, 100% had been reviewed within timescales (PI 67).

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Cumulative	Reporting
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						Frequency
Number of children subject to a CP Plan	33	26			n/a	Quarterly
<b>Number/Rate in each Category of Abuse</b>						
Neglect	5	7			n/a	Quarterly
Physical	0	0			n/a	
Emotional	17	14			n/a	
Sexual	1	1			n/a	
Multiple*	9	4			n/a	
<b>*Breakdown of Multiple:</b>						
Phys/Neglect/Emotional	1	1			n/a	Quarterly
Phys/Sexual	1	0			n/a	
Phys/Emotional	7	3			n/a	
Unborn	0	0			n/a	Quarterly
0 - 4	15	8			n/a	
5 - 9	7	6			n/a	
10 - 15	9	8			n/a	
16+	2	4			n/a	
Male	17	14			n/a	Quarterly
Female	16	12			n/a	
Unborn	0	0			n/a	
Percentage of CP cases which were reviewed within required timescales	100%				<b>100%</b>	Quarterly Target - 100%
Number of CP cases allocated to a Social Worker	100%				<b>100%</b>	Target - 100%

### Looked After Children

<b>Rutland</b>	<b>Q1</b>	<b>Q2</b>	<b>Q3</b>	<b>Q4</b>	<b>Cumulative</b>	<b>Reporting Frequency</b>
Number of Looked After Children	34	31			n/a	Quarterly
<b>Ethnicity of LAC</b>						
White	32	29			n/a	Quarterly
Mixed	2	2			n/a	
Asian					n/a	
Black					n/a	
Other					n/a	
Undetermined					n/a	

0 - 4	9	7			n/a
5 - 9	8	6			n/a
10 - 15	10	11			n/a
16+	7	7			n/a
Male	18	18			n/a
Female	16	13			n/a
Percentage of LAC at period end with 3 or more placements	0%	0%			<b>0%</b>
LAC cases which were reviewed within required timescales					<b>100%</b>
Stability of placements of LAC: length of placement					<b>100%</b>

## ADULTS UPDATE

### Safeguarding Adults Data Collection

79 alerts/enquiries were received in Q2. This represents a significant increase from Q1 and reflects how effectively RCC is now receiving alerts through the single point of contact. The data reflects that individuals know where to raise their concerns as well as providers being confident to inform the Prevention and Safeguarding Team of incidents in residential care.

23 of this number resulted in the implementation of the Safeguarding Adults Procedures.

There was a high profile alert of a resident absconding from a residential care home. Multi-disciplinary work is ongoing to ensure that the remaining residents are safe and there is confidence that the voluntary suspension will be lifted within the next month. The CQC are completing their investigation and will be informing the relevant agencies the outcome and recommendation for lifting the suspension.

Location of alleged abuse	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Reporting Frequency
Community	34	45				Quarterly
Residential	24	34				Quarterly
Unknown	0	0				Quarterly
Source of Referral for all Alerts	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4		
Primary Health Care	2	0				
Secondary Health Care	4	7				
Adult Mental Health Setting	0	0				
Residential	13	23				
Day Care	1	0				
Social Worker/Care Manager	12	22				
Self-Directed Care Staff	0	0				

Domiciliary	4	4		
Other Care Workers	0	0		
Self	0	1		
Family Member	8	0		
Other Service User	0	0		
Friend/Neighbour	0	8		
Care Quality Commission	2	0		
Housing	3	3		
Education	0	0		
Police	2	4		
Other	2 - EMAS 1 - EDT	Other local authority – 2 3- EMAS 1 – Community Agent 1 - EDT		
Not Known				

### Closed Cases in Quarter 2

Safeguarding Adults performance data is obtained when a case is closed at the end of the Safeguarding Adults process. 9 cases were closed in Quarter 2. Older people have been consistently the largest service user group represented in safeguarding within adult social care services but in this quarter there were 3 investigations closed where the service users had a learning disability.

The proposed model for Adult Social Care is now formalised and the Prevention and Safeguarding Team will continue to process all alerts/enquiries and apply the thresholds of the LLR Safeguarding Adult Policy and Procedures. There is currently a new post within the team being advertised for a Senior Practitioner who will take a lead in investigations in the regulated services.

Outcome	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Substantiated - fully	3	4		
Substantiated - partially	0	0		
Not Substantiated	3	4		
Inconclusive	2	1		

Primary Client Type	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Older Person	3	5		
Mental Health	0	1		
Learning Disability	4	3		
Physical Disability	0	0		

Not recorded	1	0		
<b>Primary Age Group</b>	<b>Q1</b>	<b>Q2</b>	<b>Q3</b>	<b>Q4</b>
18-64	4	2		
65-74	1	2		
75-84	1	2		
85-94	2	3		
95+	0	0		

<b>Type of Abuse*</b>	<b>Q1</b>	<b>Q2</b>	<b>Q3</b>	<b>Q4</b>
Physical	2	1		
Sexual	0	1		
Psychological&Emotional	4	0		
Financial & Material	0	3		
Neglect & Acts of Omission	2	4		
Discriminatory	0	0		
Institutional	0	0		
Not Known	0	0		

\*Cases may include more than one category

<b>Source of Referral</b>	<b>Q1</b>	<b>Q2</b>	<b>Q3</b>	<b>Q4</b>
Primary Health Care	0	0		
Secondary Health Care	1	1		
Adult Mental Health Setting	0	0		
Residential	4	0		
Day Care	0	0		
Social Worker/Care Manager	1	2		
Self-Directed Care Staff	0	0		
Domiciliary	0	3		
Other Care Workers	0	0		
Self	0	0		
Family Member	1	1		
Other Service User	0	0		
Friend/Neighbour	0	0		
Care Quality Commission	0	0		
Housing	0	1		
Education	0	0		
Police	1	1		

Other	0	0		
Not Known	0	0		
<b>Protection Plans</b>	<b>Q1</b>	<b>Q2</b>	<b>Q3</b>	<b>Q4</b>
Adult Protection Plans accepted by either the service user or the agencies involved	0	0		
Adult Protection Plans not accepted	0	0		
Could not consent	0	0		
<b>Repeat Referrals</b>	<b>Q1</b>	<b>Q2</b>	<b>Q3</b>	<b>Q4</b>
No of Repeat Referrals	5	2		