



## Nottingham North and East Clinical Commissioning Group

<b>Meeting Title:</b>	NHS Nottingham North and East CCG Open Governing Body		<b>Date:</b> 16 October 2018					
<b>Paper Title:</b>	Proposed Future Safeguarding Arrangements – Working Together to Safeguard Children (2018)		<b>Paper Reference:</b> NNE/GB/18/112 a					
<b>Sponsor:</b>	Nichola Bramhall, Director of Nursing and Quality Elaine Moss, Chief Nurse, Mid Nottinghamshire CCGs							
<b>Previous Related Papers:</b>	The Nottinghamshire CCGs' Strategic Safeguarding Group Highlight Report is a standing quarterly agenda item							
<b>Recommendation:</b>	Approve	<input type="checkbox"/>	Endorse	<input type="checkbox"/>	Review	<input type="checkbox"/>	Receive/Note for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Assurance</li><li>• Information</li></ul>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Summary Purpose of Paper:</b>	<p>Under the new legislation, the three Safeguarding Partners, namely Nottinghamshire Local Authority, Nottinghamshire Police and Nottinghamshire NHS Clinical Commissioning Groups must make arrangements to work together with relevant agencies to safeguard and protect the welfare of children in the area.</p> <p>The legislative requirements are placed on individual organisations and should be complied with unless exceptional circumstances arise.</p> <p>The three Safeguarding Partners should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• agree on ways to co-ordinate their safeguarding services;</li><li>• act as a strategic leadership group in supporting and engaging others and;</li><li>• implement local and national learning including from serious child safeguarding incidents</li></ul> <p>To fulfil this role, the CCG along with the Local Authority and the Police must set out how they will work together and with which relevant agencies. Relevant agencies are those organisations whose involvement the Safeguarding Partners consider may be required to safeguard and promote the welfare of children locally.</p> <p>All areas must publish their arrangements and notify the Secretary of State for Education by 29 June 2019</p> <p>Strong leadership is critical for the new Working Together (WT 2018) arrangements to be effective, including bringing together various organisations and agencies to protect and promote child welfare. It is important therefore that the CCGs support and prioritise this important area of work.</p> <p>Meetings have taken place between the three partners to agree a way forward which is outlined in the attached paper.</p> <p>Similar work is underway in Nottingham City and agreement in principle has</p>							

	been reached to undertake as much sub-board level safeguarding work on a cross authority basis as possible. The City arrangements are therefore being developed to align with those being proposed in Nottinghamshire.				
If paper is for Approval/Endorsement, have the following impact assessments been completed?					
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<b>Conflicts of Interest:</b> Recommended action to be agreed by the Chair at the beginning of the item.					
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<b>Have All Relevant Implications Been Considered? (please tick where relevant)</b>					
Clinical Engagement		<input type="checkbox"/>	Patient and Public Involvement	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Quality Improvement		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Equality, Diversity and Human Rights	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Integration		<input type="checkbox"/>	Innovation / Research	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Improving Health Outcomes / Reducing Health Inequalities		<input type="checkbox"/>	Patient Choice / Shared Decision Making	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Financial Management		<input type="checkbox"/>	Corporate Governance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Risk:</b> (briefly explain any risks associated with the paper)					
<b>Recommendation:</b>	The Governing Body is asked to:  <b>NOTE</b> the contents of the Report				