

Social Care Services Board

20 January 2017

Surrey Safeguarding Adults Board

Annual Report 2015-2016

Purpose of report:

To inform the Social Care Services Board of the content of the Surrey Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report for 2015-2016 and invite the Board to review.

Introduction:

1. The Surrey Safeguarding Adults Board is a statutory Board. Its responsibilities are set out in the Care Act 2014 and is headed by an Independent Chairman.
2. Safeguarding Adults Boards nationally have a statutory duty to publish an annual report, the Surrey Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report for 2015/16 is contained in Annex 1.
3. The core objective of the Surrey Safeguarding Adults Board is to reassure itself of the effectiveness of safeguarding in its area. The Safeguarding Adults Board has 3 core duties to ensure it meets its objective, which are detailed in the annual report.
4. This report is presented to the Board by the Independent Chairman and complies with the statutory requirements under the Care Act.

Recommendations:

5. That the Board reviews the Annual Report of the Surrey Safeguarding Adults Board and provides comment as necessary.

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Sources/background papers:

Surrey Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report – Annex 1

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