**Doncaster Safeguarding Adults Board Delivery Plan 2021/22**

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| Strategic Priority | To deliver this priority, we will: | Lead Person | Milestones | What will success look like |
| 1. Ensure that LGA / ADASS guidance is fully embedded in multi-agency safeguarding practice:  * Understanding what constitutes a Safeguarding Concern (2020)   <https://www.local.gov.uk/publications/understanding-what-constitutes-safeguarding-concern-and-how-support-effective-outcomes>   * Making decisions on the duty to carry out Safeguarding Adult enquiries (2019)   <https://www.local.gov.uk/making-decisions-duty-carry-out-safeguarding-adults-enquiries> | 1. Engage with practitioners and referrers to ensure a full understanding of the frameworks 2. Audit application of the S42 decision making framework in adult social care 3. Review policies, procedures and guidance as required 4. Commission and roll out training to support the priority as required | 1. Angela Waite 2. Ashton Wynter 3. Safeguarding Business Unit 4. Safeguarding Business Unit | 1. Report to DSAB October 2021 2. Report to Quality Subgroup Nov. 2021 3. Revisions identified and completed by December 2021 4. Initial training programme completed by 31.3.22 | Al partners fully understand when a safeguarding concern should be raised, and have disseminated that understanding throughout their agency  The Board is assured that decision making on the duty to carry out a safeguarding adults enquiry is fully consistent with the ADASS framework  If the S42 duty is not met, there are effective arrangements in place to ensure an appropriate alternative response |
| 1. To support and challenge work to deliver a more effective response to self-neglect | 1. Review learning from local and national Safeguarding Adult Reviews 2. Engage with practitioners across partner agencies, and with community and user groups, to identify key practice issues 3. Review the Self Neglect and Hoarding Policy and Procedure in light of this learning and engagement 4. Commission and roll out training to support the priority as required | Luke Shepherd  Safeguarding Business Unit | 1. Report to 2. DSAB on learning and practice issues identified September 2021 3. Revised policy and procedure to Board October 2021 4. Initial training programme completed by 31.3.22 | Practice is effective in striking an appropriate balance between the duty to safeguard individuals who are unable to protect themselves from self-neglect as a result of their care and support needs, and respect for adults’ right to make their own decisions about how they live.  Practitioners feel supported in their practice with this very challenging issue.  The community has confidence in the response of the adult safeguarding system to self-neglect |
| 1. To fully embed Making Safeguarding Personal by ensuring that the voice of the service user is heard, listened to and acted upon in all of the Board’s work and all adult safeguarding adult activity | 1. Develop and pilot a service user engagement project, co-produced with practitioners, users and community groups 2. All agencies to review safeguarding adults procedure and practice to ensure that Making Safeguarding Personal is at the centre of all activity | 1. Andrew Goodall 2. Louise Bertman | 1. Proposals to Board October 2021   Pilot completed and reported to Board by 31.3.22   1. Ongoing | The Board will be able to evidence in its Annual Report 2021/22 the impact of the service user’s voice  Performance on recording and achieving service users’ desired outcomes exceeds national and regional benchmarks |
| 1. To ensure the embedding, dissemination, and evaluation of learning from the full range of quality assurance activity | 1. Streamline the reporting of performance data to DSAB, ensuring areas for improvement clearly identified 2. Establish programme of quarterly multi-agency audits of the effectiveness of multi-agency frontline practice 3. Receive annual reports from all safeguarding partners on single-agency audit activity undertaken, outcomes, and action taken. 4. Engage with and learn from frontline practitioners in order to disseminate and embed learning from audit and case review activity. | 1. Policy, Insight and Change Team 2. Ashton Wynter 3. Safeguarding Business Unit 4. Safeguarding Business Unit | 1. Revised reporting in place from October 2021 2. Audit programme in place from Quarter 2 2021/22 3. Reporting cycle established from October 2021 onwards 4. First Practitioner Conference held October 2021 | The DSAB can evidence that it has a clear line of sight into frontline practice  There is evidence of continuing improvement as an outcome of performance monitoring, audit, and engagement activity.  Practitioners confirm that they feel their voice is consistently heard, listened to, and acted on by the DSAB |
| 1. To ensure that adults with care and support needs who experience domestic abuse, and who are unable to protect themselves against abuse due to their care and support needs, are effectively supported and safeguarded. | Work with Safer Stronger Doncaster Partnership to ensure that the strategy and service development has clear focus on the adult safeguarding dimension of domestic abuse. | Safeguarding Business Unit | Ongoing | The Board is assured adults with safeguarding needs are effectively supported and protected |
| 1. To ensure that multi-agency policies and procedures are kept under review, commissioning any work required as a consequence, and effectively scrutinising proposed new multi-agency policies and procedures. | Review all existing DSCP policies and procedures, and agree schedule for any necessary revision | Safeguarding Business Unit | Ongoing and completed by 31.3.22 | The Board is assured that multi-agency safeguarding policies and procedures are comprehensive, up to date, and regularly reviewed |