

# Safeguarding Adults Newsletter



## News from the Board

### Welcome – new members of BSAB

We are delighted to welcome:-

**Susan Brook** - Barnsley CCG  
**Julie Chapman** - Adult Social Care  
**Lindsay Hood** - Barnsley Hospital  
**Becky Hoskins** - Barnsley Hospital  
**Sam Rose** - Probation

### Want to know more about what the Board does?

Find out more about the Board via our webpage, including our plans for 2020 – 2021 here

<https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/services/children-families-and-education/safeguarding-families-in-barnsley/safeguarding-adults-in-barnsley/barnsley-safeguarding-adults-board/>

### STOP PRESS! - Updated Policies. Summary guidance and flow charts to follow

**Self Neglect and Hoarding** – now includes a separate risk score for adults who hoard. Includes contact details of all key agencies and more detailed legal guidance.

**Person in Positions of Trust (PIPOT)** - now includes dealing with abuse in other areas.

Find them -

<https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/media/14480/self-neglect-and-hoarding-policy-approved-bsab-may-2020.pdf>

<https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/media/14479/protocol-for-procedures.pdf>

### Self Neglect - Safeguarding Adults Review

We have completed a SAR into the death of Clive who died as a result of self-neglect. Thanks to his family for contributing. To access report –

<https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/services/children-families-and-education/safeguarding-families-in-barnsley/safeguarding-adults-in-barnsley/barnsley-safeguarding-adults-board/safeguarding-adult-reviews-sars/>

Clive – died alone at home weighing 6 stones in an unheated house due to worries about money. He struggled to access payments via the DWP due to his inability to leave his home.

**Key learning – impact of bereavement, need to provide home support for adults who are “unable” to attend appointments. Need to work together to share information and manage the risks.**

**Action plans will be monitored by the Board to embed the learning.**

A learning event will be held later in the year – if interested in attending contact [CathErine@barnsley.gov.uk](mailto:CathErine@barnsley.gov.uk)

### Safeguarding Awareness Week (SAW) – postponed

#### SAW 2020 – NOW 16-20 November 2020

Due to Covid-19, we have moved the South Yorkshire SAW from 6-12 July to November.

If you would like to be involved in the planning or have any suggestions for events during the week please contact Cath – [CathErine@barnsley.gov.uk](mailto:CathErine@barnsley.gov.uk)

#### NEW- Leaflets

- 1) Making Safeguarding Personal
- 2) What is safeguarding?

If you are talking to an adult about their safeguarding concerns and what they want to happen. This will help you with that conversation. It was developed by the SAFE (customer group).

Feedback would be much appreciated.

#### NEW- Public leaflet (2)

Printed copies are available – if you can display them where the public can pick them up? Email [CathErine@barnsley.gov.uk](mailto:CathErine@barnsley.gov.uk) for copies of the FREE leaflet

Find them -

<https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/media/14486/keeping-adults-safe-a5-leaflet-3.pdf>