Single Unified Safeguarding Review

Illuminating the Past to make the Future Safer



7 MINUTE BRIEFING

If you have any questions or comments, please email: SUSRWales@gov.wales

SUSR STATUTORY GUIDANCE

- The SUSR team are working closely with key stakeholders to address recent comments on the draft Statutory Guidance. All feedback will be reviewed ahead of the next Steering Group meeting.
- A joint Steering Group and Legal and Governance meeting has been scheduled for the 14th of February to review the final draft of the guidance.

BACKGROUND

Create a single review process where a multi-agency approach is required, incorporating the following review processes Adult Practice Review; Child Practice Review; Domestic Homicide Review; Mental Health Homicide Review; Offensive Weapon Homicide Review. The final report is then used to inform professional practice via the Wales Safeguarding Repository.

PROGRESS TO DATE

- As you will now be aware, the Learning and Training, Policy and Process, Wales Safeguarding Repository and Mental Health Homicide Task and Finish groups are closing. If you are a member of one of these groups and would like to still have some involvement with the development and implementation of the SUSR, please email to join our Stakeholder Reference Group (SRG).
- The inaugural SRG meeting will be held on the 26th of January.
- The Dyfed Powys Police and Crime Commissioner now has a seat on the Mid and West Wales Regional Safeguarding Board to strengthen links between community safety and safeguarding across the region.

WALES SAFEGUARDING REPOSITORY

- Discussions have been held around using the Stakeholder Reference Group to test the Repository.

 Please get in touch if you would like to be a part of this testing.
- The WSR team are currently reviewing the SUSR Report template to ensure its compatibility with the Repository.



LEARNING & TRAINING

 Work continues to plan the next steps of the development of the SUSR Training materials with Mid and West Wales Regional Safeguarding Board.

MENTAL HEALTH HOMICIDE

 This group has reviewed the Statutory Guidance to ensure that the Mental Health Homicide Appendix is still up to date.

OFFENSIVE WEAPONS HOMICIDE

- Training has commenced for the Offensive Weapons Homicide Review pilot.
- The OWHR team will be linking in with Regional Safeguarding Boards to share information about the OWHR process.

POLICY & PROCESS

 The final draft of the SUSR Report template is now being finalised with key members of this group alongside the WSR team.

LEGAL & GOVERNANCE

 This Task and Finish group will meet with the Steering Group to review the SUSR draft Statutory Guidance before it is submitted for formal Welsh Government consultation.

Mae'r ddogfen hon hefyd ar gael yn Gymraeg