

Adolygiad Diogelu Unedig Sengl Single Unified Safeguarding Review

# **SUSR 7 Minute Briefing**

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

# TRAINING PROGRAMME

- Feedback on the pilot training sessions has been very positive.
- Training has commenced in North Wales Safeguarding Board region w/c 22<sup>nd</sup> April. Demand for the training has been high, resulting in a further date being identified.

## SUSR BACKGROUND

Create a single review process where a multiagency 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

- The first Strategy Group meeting was held on 18<sup>th</sup> April.
- The Cardiff and Vale pilot SUSR report has now been signed off by the Safeguarding Board. The SUSR prevented the need for three separate reviews (APR, DHR, MHHR). It has to be submitted to the Home Office Quality Assurance Panel as it involves a domestic homicide.
- Geldards has been commissioned to undertake the Data Protection Impact Assessment for the whole of the SUSR process.

#### WALES SAFEGUARDING REPOSITORY

- The test research paper on the theme of Mental Health, with links to multi-agency working and the non-taking of medication has been completed. The result demonstrates the need for the Repository to be used at the start of the SUSR process to determine how issues have or have not been addressed in the past.
- An Accessibility Audit for the WSR is to be commissioned.

#### VICTIM AND FAMILY REFERENCE GROUP

- The voice of the family will be incorporated in the engagement flow chart, via a meeting with a family member from a recent Review.
- A meeting with designers has been arranged to change the table into an easy-to-use flow chart.
- The flow chart will be shared more widely to gain any final comments.



#### NEXT STEPS

- Correspondence continues with the Home Office Minister in relation to the Quality Assurance Panel and the need to send SUSR reports that involve a domestic homicide.
- Statutory Guidance amendments linked to comments received from Welsh Government legal services to be completed.
- Continue to populate approved Chairs and Reviewers list (please keep sending nominations)

## LEARNING FROM OTHERS

The following report has been produced on child exploitation titled 'Shattered Lives, Stolen Futures'. This report was presented at the last meeting with WG, Safeguarding Board Chairs and NISB and is very thought provoking.



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