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Welcome to the second edition of the Single Unified Safeguarding Review Bulletin.

Thank you to all of those who provided feedback and ideas following last month's edition. Please continue to share your thoughts, comments and ideas so that we can ensure the Bulletin is as relevant and informative as possible.

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Commissioned SUSRs

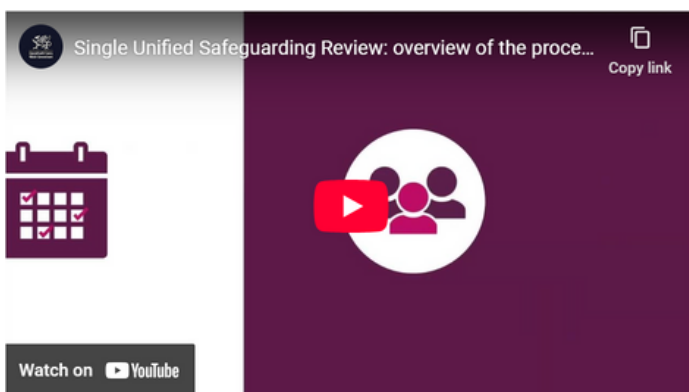
The Co-ordination Hub have received 4 SUSR notifications this month, bringing the total of ongoing SUSRs to 11



Published SUSRs

A pilot SUSR combining a mental health homicide and a domestic homicide was published by the Cardiff & Vale Safeguarding Board in February 2025

News



A short explanatory film on the SUSR has been produced. Please include this as needed in presentations and training. This can also be used with subjects or families to provide an overview of the SUSR process.

Save the Date!

The first SUSR Dissemination Event will be held in Llandudno on the 20th of May 2025. While we await our first SUSR reports, this event will focus on learning in relation to the SUSR process. This will include writing recommendations, engagement with subjects, families and perpetrators and support for Reviewers and Chairs. An agenda and Eventbrite booking link will be circulated soon

Good Practice

The following good practice has been shared with the Co-ordination Hub from an experienced Chair/Reviewer.

During the Review the Chair met with the family on a number of occasions. Following each meeting the Chair wrote a letter to the family which outlined what had been discussed during that meeting and confirming next steps. These letters were then sent to the family by the Business Unit. This meant that family expectations were managed throughout and they had a written record to refer to in case they forgot anything that was discussed during the meetings. Just remember; what works for one family may not work for another, tailor your approach to the needs of the family.

We want to hear from you!

Please share any good practice identified as part of a SUSR with the Co-ordination Hub at SUSRWales@gov.wales

Training

North Wales Safeguarding Board have been delivering SUSR Panel Member and Reviewer/Chair training sessions in the region.

Between September and November 2024 they trained 38 panel members and 31 Reviewers & Chairs!

Reviewers & Chairs Support Network

Feedback from the SUSR training sessions has highlighted the appetite for ongoing support for Reviewers & Chairs. To address this, the Co-ordination Hub will be running quarterly support sessions for Reviewers & Chairs. The first session (online) is planned for the **27th of March** and will focus on engagement with subjects and families. An invite to all on the approved list will follow shortly.

Please get in touch if you are an experienced Reviewer and/or Chair and you would be interested in participating in a Q&A during one of these support sessions.