

Appendix 1 – Transitional Safeguarding Task Group Activity

Key Lines of Enquiry

The following key lines of enquiry were identified for the Transitional Safeguarding Task Group:

1. *What is transitional safeguarding, and how is transitional safeguarding practice being implemented nationally?*
2. *Who are the most vulnerable young people in Brent, what are their needs and what are the risks they face?*
3. *What is the current transitional safeguarding offer in Brent, and how effective are local transitional safeguarding arrangements in identifying and meeting the needs of young people?*
4. *How are local agencies working together to develop transitional safeguarding practice in Brent?*
5. *What are the experiences of young people who may require transitional support, and how do they have a voice in the review and development of local transitional safeguarding arrangements?*
6. *How are lessons and learning from both good practice and where things could be improved implemented to improve transitional outcomes for young people in Brent?*

Evidence Sessions

A series of evidence sessions have been held by the Task Group from December 2021 to January 2022 with a range of key stakeholders.

	Themes/Areas for Discussion	Participants
<p>Evidence Session 1</p> <p>December 2021</p>	<p>Understanding transitional safeguarding</p> <p>Practice of transitional safeguarding</p> <p>Evolution of transitional safeguarding practice nationally</p> <p>Examples of best practice and learning from other boroughs and/or nationally</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Georgina Diba - Head of Adult Safeguarding , Brent Council • Sonya Kalyniak - Head of Children’s Safeguarding and Quality Assurance, Brent Council • Natasha Langleben - Team Manager (Integration and Improved Outcomes), Brent Council • Jyoti Morar - Deputy Team Manager – (Integration and Improved Outcomes), Brent Council • Rebecca Byrne - Head of Learning Disability and Mental Health, Community Wellbeing • Colin Wilderspin – Head of Community Protection, Brent Council • Dez Holmes – Director, Research in Practice
<p>Evidence Session 2</p> <p>December 2021</p>	<p>Transitional safeguarding development work undertaken in Brent</p> <p>Role of multi-agency working in developing transitional safeguarding practice</p> <p>Experience of young people and families who may require transitional support</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Georgina Diba - Head of Adult Safeguarding , Brent Council • Sonya Kalyniak - Head of Children’s Safeguarding and Quality Assurance, Brent Council • Rebecca Byrne - Head of Learning Disability and Mental Health, Brent Council • Colin Wilderspin – Head of Community Protection, Brent Council • Andy Brown – Head of Substance Misuse, Brent Council • Marcus Hanvey - Acting Inspector, Gangs and Project Horizon, North West London Basic Command Unit • Kathryn Hunt - Head of Service, Brent Prison and Probation Service • Hermann Farrington - Headteacher, The Village School • Trish Davies - CAHMS Manager, Central and North West London NHS Foundation Trust

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<p>Evidence Session 3</p> <p>January 2022</p>	<p>Development of transitional safeguarding practice going forward</p> <p>Lessons learned from both good practice and where things could be improved and from other services/wider parts of the system</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gail Tolley – Strategic Director Children and Young People, Brent Council • Phil Porter – Strategic Director Community and Wellbeing, Brent Council • Dr Arlene Boroda - Designated Doctor for Safeguarding Children, Child Death and Children Looked After, North West London Clinical Commissioning Group • Philippa Galligan – Borough Director, Central and North West London NHS Foundation Trust • Rebecca Byrne – Head of Learning Disability and Mental Health, Brent Council • Tiffany Adonis-French – Head of Adult Services (Complex Care, Brent Council • Councillor Harbi Farah - Lead Member for Adult Social Care, Brent Council • Councillor Margaret McLennan – Deputy Leader and Lead Member for Children's Safeguarding, Early Help and Social Care