

Salford Safeguarding Adults Board  
Our Priorities  
2023 - 2026

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You have a right  
to be **safe** from **abuse**.

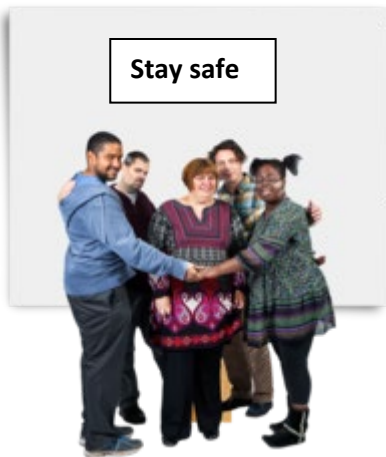
# Introduction

## Salford Safeguarding Adults Board

Salford Safeguarding Adults Board is a group of people who meet and work together to help adults with care and support needs stay safe from abuse and harm.



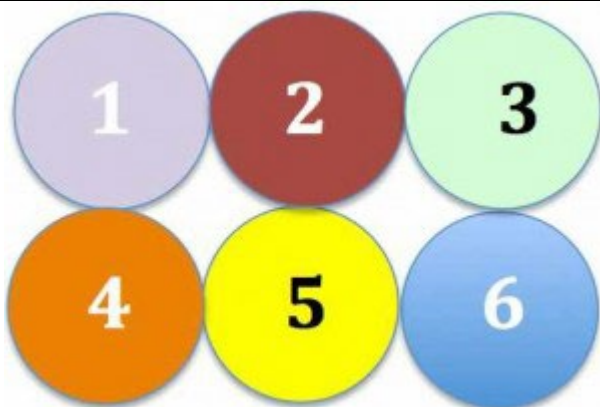
This document contains details of Salford Safeguarding Adult Board's (SSAB) plan for the next 3 years (2023–2026).



We want to try and make sure people who might need support are kept safe from abuse and harm.



Protecting people from harm and abuse is called Safeguarding.



There are six rules of Safeguarding.



### 1. Empowerment

The person should feel in control and decide what they want to happen.



### 2. Prevention

Try to stop abuse before it happens



### 3. Proportionality

Think about the risks and do not interfere more than you need to.



### 4. Protection

Support and speak up for the people who are most at risk



### 5. Partnership

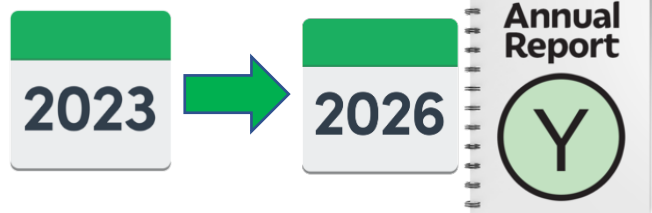
People and professionals working together to try and keep people safe from harm and abuse.



### 6. Accountability

Make sure people can see and check how safeguarding is done.

# Strategic Plan



The Board must create a three-year plan and give updates on the plan every year in their Annual Report.



The Board want to make sure that if things go wrong lessons are learnt to try and stop mistakes happening again.



The Board want to make sure that people are listened to, and their voices are heard.



The plan for the next three years (2023 - 2026) focuses on 5 things:



# 1. Preventing abuse



Helping people to spot the signs of abuse to try and stop if happening.



Helping people know what to do if they are worried about any harm or abuse.



Helping people understand the different types of harm and abuse



Reviewing policies and procedures to make sure they are up to date.

## 2. Working to Protect adults



We will work together to make sure we are committed to try and keep people safe.



To make sure the policy and procedures are up to date.



They make sure the voice of the adult is central throughout the process.



Learn from different reviews to make improvements and to keep adults safe in Salford.

### 3. Voice of the Adult (and their carers)



Listen to the voices of people who receive care or who care for others.



Learn from people's experiences and use this to improve safeguarding in Salford.



## 4. Communication and Engagement



Listening to people living and working in Salford to make sure their views are represented



Asking people to tell us their experiences of using care services.



Providing information about safeguarding for different groups of people living in Salford



Make sure that information about safeguarding is

- Widely shared
- Easy to access
- Easy to understand

## 5. Safeguarding effectiveness



Collect information on safeguarding.



Analyse the information to make sure that work is being done to a good standard.



Use the information to make things better and help partner agencies work better with each other.

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