

# WHAT'S ON

## GENERAL ACTIVITIES



## THE RIGHT HELP AT THE RIGHT TIME

The right help at the right time, is the theme of a wide-ranging programme taking place across Mid and West Wales for National Safeguarding Week, commencing 11th November 2024. The programme has been co-ordinated by CWMPAS and CYSUR, the Regional Safeguarding Board, and this year has been designed in response to some of the safeguarding themes and issues that have emerged across the region in the last year, including learning identified from child and adult practice reviews.

A highlight of the week includes a conference for multi-agency practitioners, taking place at the Medrus Centre, Aberystwyth University. This will include presentations and workshops from key note speakers and will include information on early intervention approaches, trauma recovery models, alongside input from service users and those with lived experience.

During the week, we will also host a variety of events and webinars that will seek to raise awareness and highlight issues that affect children and adults at risk. This includes a webinar covering myth busting in information sharing, in multi-agency safeguarding work. There will also be an information sharing and promotional session to include a preview of the new CYSUR Threshold and eligibility support document and the next phase of Multiagency Safeguarding Training. In addition, we will also be hosting webinars on thematic lessons from child practice reviews in Wales & a thematic review of safeguarding adult reviews. Alongside these events will be input from third sector and independent groups with events from SHINE, NSPCC and the Children's Society.

**For full information on all of our events, please click on the registration links within this programme and scan the QR codes to book onto the events.**

### ALL

WEBSITE: Information and News

Sharing of resources and information associated to regional events and themes

## SOCIAL MEDIA

### ALL WEEK

SOCIAL MEDIA: Promotion and Information Sharing

Sharing of key messages linked to the theme 'Right place, right time', and promotion of regional events.

#SafeguardingWales #DiogeluCymru

# WHAT'S ON

MONDAY, 11th NOVEMBER



## REGIONAL

### The Right Help at the Right Time For Children, Young People and their Families

Microsoft Teams, 10:00am—12:00pm

**Presenter: Paula McCreary**

An information sharing and promotional session to include a preview of the new *CYSUR Threshold and eligibility support* document and the next phase of Multiagency Safeguarding Training, being developed to support practitioners in their safeguarding roles that includes working with Thresholds and Assessing Risk of Significant Harm.

10:00am

Aims:

1. Consider emerging themes from Professional Curiosity Training, currently being delivered across Mid and West Wales
2. Identity connections between thresholds and reoccurring themes from practice reviews
3. Introduction to the new threshold document
4. Discuss what's coming next in Mid and West Wales, including a preview and introduction to "Right Help at the Right Time" Multi-agency Training

To Register Click Here: <https://forms.office.com/e/izQtDdwiuv>

## REGIONAL

### MYTH BUSTING IN INFORMATION SHARING IN MULTI-AGENCY SAFEGUARDING WORK

Microsoft Teams, 2:00pm-4:00pm

**Presenter: Dai Durbridge**

This online event will provide engaging training on information sharing, with a particular focus on:

2:00pm

- Data protection legislation within the context of safeguarding, with links to regional and national CPR's in Wales.
- Exploration of the barriers to information sharing – What prevents professionals passing on information both to social care and exchanges between agencies when there are worries.
- Focus upon grey area's where there are worries and emerging concerns, but where it is not clear the threshold for significant harm has been reached.
- A look at consent. When is it ok to share without consent? The webinar will tackle some of the myths about this.

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### Listen Up, Speak Up Workshop—NSPCC

Microsoft Teams, 4:15pm-5:15pm

**Presenter: Lil Dunn (NSPCC)**

4:15pm

Half a million children suffer abuse and neglect a year in the UK. But there's something we can all do to change that. We know that, with the right support, every child can be kept safe. We can stop abuse, and even prevent it from happening. But to do this, we need to work together. Even if children aren't a big part of your everyday life, you'll still share a community with them – whether that's on your street, your commute or at the shops. Knowing how to speak up for them is essential.

Listen up, Speak up training will:

- help you understand how to listen and speak up on behalf of children
- show you who to contact if you're concerned about a child or need support yourself
- empower you to support children in your community.

To Register Click Here: <https://forms.office.com/e/KYGeZFptkb>

## SOCIAL MEDIA

ALL DAY

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TUESDAY, 12th NOVEMBER



## REGIONAL—LOCAL EVENTS DAY

### Carmarthenshire Local Authority

#### Dealing with a disclosure – Online, 1pm-3pm 12<sup>th</sup> November.

Course outline – Providing an understanding of sexual violence, indicators that someone has experienced it and how to deal with a disclosure. This will incorporate your policies, processes and how to access support services.

#### Vulnerabilities – Online, 1pm-3pm 13<sup>th</sup> November

Course outline – Understanding what makes an individual vulnerable including influence of substances, neurodivergent issues, know the interventions that can assist in keeping vulnerable people safe, provide understanding of becoming an upstander rather than a bystander

#### Sexual Harassment Awareness Workshops (SHAW) – Online, 14<sup>th</sup> November 1pm-3pm

Workshop outline – Understand what sexual harassment and violence is, know what legislation covers sexual harassment, Understand the impact that sexual harassment can have on victims, know what the potential consequences could be for them if their behaviour continues, in terms of potential criminal action and in relation to their work, tenancies, membership of groups etc.

#### Dewis Choice: Identifying and responding to older victims of adult family abuse—Online, 10am—12pm, 12th November.

The objectives of the research-led training session are to:

- Gain insight into the complex dynamics of familial abuse in later life, including power and control tactics and the impact of dependency and interdependency;
- Recognise the physical, emotional, and behavioural signs and impacts of adult family violence in later life, including subtle indicators;
- Explore effective communication techniques for approaching and supporting older adults who may be experiencing adult family violence, with an emphasis on person-centred responses.

To book a place people will need to apply via the L&D webpages on the Carmarthenshire website.

<https://intranet/our-people/learning-and-development/social-care-wales-workforce-development-programme-scwwdp/core-training/>

Internal staff in Carmarthenshire to book via the Thingi platform, booking via their learning account

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## REGIONAL—LOCAL EVENTS DAY

### Ceredigion Local Authority

#### Safeguarding in the Community – Awareness Stands

- Libraries
- Corporate - Canolfan Rheidol (manned): 10am – 4pm Social Care Support Staff
- Corporate - Penmorfa (manned) 10am – 4pm Social Care Support Staff
- Lampeter Wellbeing Centre
- Penmorfa Centre for Independent Living (PenCIL)

#### Launch event of new Provider Services Safeguarding Policies for Children and Adults—Training Workshop launch

**Host(s):** Nerys Lewis / Liz Upcott

**Format:** Teams invite for relevant management staff, Outline of future dates for front line staff to book via Ceri Booking System

**Summary:** Review of updated guidelines

#### Onsite awareness events

**Hosts(s):** Team Management Cascade (Residential Care Services / Domiciliary Care Services)

**Format:** Huddles 8am, 2pm and 8pm, Outline of future dates for front line staff to book via Ceri Booking System

**Summary:** Review of updated guidelines, Posters and printed guides for reference (pre training)

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## REGIONAL—LOCAL EVENTS DAY

### Ceredigion Local Authority (Continued)

#### Multi-agency MACE plan launch

**Hosts(s):** Liz Upcott

**Format:** Teams invite for relevant Practice Lead staff

**Summary:** Review of model and plan, Discussion on local team involvement and responsibilities

#### Divisional, Corporate & Partner Communications

- 7 Minute Seminars refresh
- Right Help Right Time daily focus message (all week)
- Newyddion
- Social Media
- Safe Recruitment Policy webinar

#### Safeguarding in Schools: message from the Director

**Hosts(s):** Ceredigion Internal Communication team

**Format:** Daily Newsletters, Self-learning

**Summary:** Daily Safeguarding focus with relevant link to support material (written and video)

#### Elected Members Seminar—Role of the Regional Safeguarding Board

**Hosts(s):** Audrey Somerton-Edwards (Statutory Director Social Services)

**Format:** Drop in Seminar, Democratic Services to arrange directly with Members

**Summary:** Upskilling and practice examples to strengthen Member engagement with their communities

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## REGIONAL—LOCAL EVENTS DAY

### Dyfed Powys Police

- **Name of Event:** County Lines and CSE – secondary school pupils
- **Times:** During school day and during safeguarding week.
- **Presenter Name:** School Liaison Police officers across HDPP (unable to specify officer names at present).
- **Brief Summary:** Safeguarding Inputs to be delivered within secondary setting (Yr 7) with primary focus on County Lines and CSE. 'Safe Call' will also be promoted within the school settings and local communities – Safe Call info previously submitted to CYSUR.
- **format (online or in-person):** in person.
- **How to Book:** Internal to Police Officers and Staff.

In addition, Dyfed Powys Police intend to promote further communications in relation to the implementation of Right Care Right Person (RCRP).

### Pembrokeshire Local Authority

**Launch of our New online module** – Coercive Control

**Brook Traffic Light Tool Training** - Brook's nationally recognised Sexual Behaviours Traffic Light Tool and training provides a highly visible, multi-agency response that helps professionals to identify, understand and respond appropriately to sexual behaviours in young people.

**Samaritans Online Webinar—Self-Harm; 10:00am—Tuesday 12th November 2024.**

(Open to anyone in the Mid and West Wales region).

- The link between emotional health and self-harm.
- Self-harm as a risk factor for suicide.
- Supporting someone who self-harms.

Booking links :

[Self Harm Awareness Webinar – Samaritans English](#) / [Self Harm Awareness Webinar – Samaritans Welsh](#)

**Further Education : Pembrokeshire College staff training sessions:**

- Best Practice Case Study: Stamping Out Peer-on-Peer Sexual Harassment
- TRACE Workshop
- PREVENT e-learning
- FE Safeguarding Modules

**Promoting NSW week & topics** – online social media platforms

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## REGIONAL—LOCAL EVENTS DAY

### Hywel Dda University Health Board

Monday 11th November

10.00 -12.30 Lucy Faithful Foundation delivering a session entitled 'Professionals Protect'. Professionals Protect. A session for professionals on the facts around child sexual abuse and our workplace responsibility to prevent abuse and support families to keep their children safe. (H DUHB staff only)

Tuesday 12th November 2024

11.00 -12.00 Alexander Simpson (H DUHB Service Manager CAMHS Hwb) and Bethan Thomas (H DUHB CAT T Team Leader) who will give an overview of the CAMHS Hwb provision (including referral process and statistics), along with patient stories. (Multi-agency event)

13.00 – 14.00 - Joseph Thomas (H DUHB MH Single Point of Contact 111 Option 2 Team Manager) and Michelle Webber (H DUHB Service Co-ordinator MH Single Point of Contact 111 Option 2). To present an overview of the service, including statistics and outcomes, and also a patient story. (Multi-agency event)

14.30- 15.15 - Laura Tranter (NHS Executive Regional Lead for Self harm and suicide prevention). To present a National and Regional overview on suicide and self-harm prevention, including the Rapid Response to Suspected Suicide Pilot, the new National Advisory and Liaison Service and Suicide e-learning. (Multi-agency event)

15.30 – 16.30 Jodie Denniss (H DUHB Specialist Adult Safeguarding Practitioner). To deliver a session on the 'Think Family' Approach (H DUHB staff only)

We have a Forms form for staff to register onto any of these sessions, which will all be delivered as a Webinar via MS Teams: <https://forms.office.com/e/C8tisfE2mh>

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## REGIONAL—LOCAL EVENTS DAY

### Powys Local Authority/ Powys Teaching Health Board

DBS Awareness Session: 10:00-12:00 , Online via MS Teams

Speaker: Kiran Rehal – DBS Regional Outreach Advisor

Kiran will be delivering a session to explain the purpose of the DBS, the services and products it provides and the part it plays in safer recruitment.

The two-hour session will cover:

- The different levels of DBS checks
- When an employee is eligible for a check
- Regulated Activity
- DBS Update Service
- Filtering Rules
- Duty to Refer
- Making a good quality referral
- Q&A

To Book: [practice.development@powys.gov.uk](mailto:practice.development@powys.gov.uk)

The Holly Project—12:30-14:30, Online via MS Teams

The Holly Project is a free, independent support service for the survivors of Child Sexual Exploitation (CSE) and their families, run by CSE Survivors.

It is a safe place for those affected by CSE to get support and advice from people who have experienced the trauma and impact of CSE.

The Holly Project aims to help survivors rebuild their lives and offer them hope for the future.

To Book: [practice.development@powys.gov.uk](mailto:practice.development@powys.gov.uk)

Live Fear Free—15:00-17:00, Online via MS Teams

To Book: [practice.development@powys.gov.uk](mailto:practice.development@powys.gov.uk)

Welsh Women's Aid—Speaker: Ann Williams

This session aims to offer reassurance that the Helpline is there to support everyone: victim survivors directly, their friends and family and professionals. Support given to professionals is two way in that we offer advice and suggestions for signposting, refuge availability etc but also some workers may be affected by what they've seen or heard and will need to have that confidential offload. It's critical that disclosures are not ignored as we know the results of this can be catastrophic but neither should your colleagues be expected to deal with these without support. That's where the Helpline can help.

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WEDNESDAY, 13th NOVEMBER



## REGIONAL

### A THEMATIC REVIEW OF SAFEGUARDING ADULT REVIEWS

Microsoft Teams: 10.00am - 12.00pm

**Presenter: Professor Michael Preston-Shoot**

10.00am

This webinar is for practitioners and managers whose roles and responsibilities include the safeguarding of adults at risk. The webinar will draw on learning from 652 safeguarding adult reviews in England. It will identify learning about the process of commissioning, undertaking and completing reviews. It will present quantitative and qualitative findings about effective safeguarding practice and shortcomings. Participants will have an opportunity to consider the relevance of the findings of the review, in respect of adult safeguarding practice in Wales.

To book click here: <https://forms.office.com/e/Mc8hRJBv4v>

## REGIONAL

### THEMATIC LESSONS FROM CHILD PRACTICE REVIEWS, RESEARCH AND MULTI-AGENCY INSPECTION REPORTS IN WALES

Microsoft Teams: 2:00pm—4:00pm

**Presenter: Dr Donna Peach and Dr Holly Gordon**

2:00pm

This online seminar will consider and present key themes and messages from Child Practice Reviews undertaken in Mid and West Wales in recent years, alongside the research undertaken by the National Independent Safeguarding Board, *Risk, Response and Review: Multi-Agency Safeguarding, A thematic Analysis Of Child Practice Reviews in Wales*. It will also consider key finding from recent national multi-agency inspection reports undertaken in Wales, including the *Rapid Review of Child Protection Arrangements in Wales and the Joint inspection of Child Protection Arrangements 2019-2024 (JICPA)*, undertaken by CIW, Estyn and HIW. The session will consider the implications for multi-agency practitioners and managers in their roles of safeguarding children and facilitate some reflective discussion time.

To book click here: <https://forms.office.com/e/TVM9Efc55t>

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## REGIONAL

### TALK PANTS INFORMATION SESSION—NSPCC

Microsoft Teams, 4:15pm-5:15pm

**Presenter: Lil Dunn (NSPCC)**

4:15pm

The Talk PANTS campaign is aimed at education professionals, teachers, early years practitioners and those with caring responsibilities for children aged 3-11, to have simple and age-appropriate conversations, that can help them keep children safe from sexual abuse. The information session helps professionals understand how the Talk PANTS campaign works while also sharing the large range of resources available to use.

The session will include information on the aim of the Talk PANTS campaign, teaching guidance, new early years content for children aged 3-5 and for ages 7-11, the Talk PANTS resource pack alongside new SEND, ASN, ASL content, as well as other additional resources including Makaton.

To Register Click Here: <https://forms.office.com/e/0SW9r9eE7A>

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THURSDAY, 14th NOVEMBER



## REGIONAL

### Conference: Right Help at the Right Time

10.00am to 4.00pm Medrus Conference Centre, Aberystwyth University, SY23 3BY

In line with this year's regional theme of Right help at the right time, Ceredigion Local Authority will be hosting a face to face conference on Thursday 14th November from 10.00am to 4.00pm (registration 9am). *Please note this is an in-person event.*

10:00am

#### Workshops Include:

- Keith Moultrie - Developing Services to Meet Families Needs
- Jonny Matthew - Trauma Recovery Model: Sequencing in Practice
- Mandy Miranda—Virtual Reality Training for Trauma Informed Practice
- Michelle Pooley—Survivor Stories: Expert by Experience

To register email: [conference24@ceredigion.gov.uk](mailto:conference24@ceredigion.gov.uk)

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FRIDAY, 15th NOVEMBER



## REGIONAL

### Safeguarding Transgender Young People from Exploitation Microsoft Teams: 10:00am—11:30am

Presenter: **Holly Sayce, Prevention Officer for Wales, The Children's Society**

**10:00am**

This session will explore how barriers in society, can lead to us failing to protect trans and non binary young people from exploitation and harm, and what we can do to overcome these in our practice and in our systems. It will also seek to promote a person centred and holistic approach to understanding and responding to exploitation and abuse, and explore the specific risks faced by transgender children and young people.

To Register Click Here: <https://forms.office.com/e/S3vFqUaWyS>

## REGIONAL

### Understanding Spina Bifida and Hydrocephalus Microsoft Teams: 2:00pm - 3.30pm

**Presenters:** Kate Steele, CEO Shine & Sian Prince, Wales Manager, SHINE Cymru.

**2:00pm**

This online event will be run by SHINE Cymru offering an introduction to spina bifida and hydrocephalus with a case study approach to address the theme of the 'right help at the right time'.

To Register Click Here: <https://forms.office.com/e/i7XDGXqx1B>

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