

Luton Safeguarding Children Partnership Structure

Statutory Partners Chairs Safeguarding Assurance (MASA) - Annual Meeting
chaired by LBC Chief Executive as Lead Safeguarding Partners

Pan Bedfordshire Strategic Leaders of Children's Services Group

Chaired by Delegated Safeguarding Partners and meets 4 x a year

The Lead Safeguarding Partners (LSPs) attend twice year to agree priorities, funding and sign off Annual Reports

Luton Safeguarding Children Partnership Meetings

Strategic Board (x 4) chaired by one of its Delegated Safeguarding Partners

Joint Case Review Group (x 6), Additional CSRP/rapid reviews meetings (x 6)

Quality Assurance Learning & Scrutiny (x6)

Pan Bedfordshire Children's Assurance & Improvement Group (x4 a year)

Chaired by Independent Scrutineer and responsible for scrutinising safeguarding effectiveness and the coordination of improvement activities.

Pan Bedfordshire Child Exploitation and Missing Group (4 x year)

Chaired by Jonathan Churchill (Bedford Borough)

The purpose of the Group is to monitor and evaluate the effectiveness of the strategic and operational multi-agency response to Exploitation and Missing across Bedford Borough, Central Bedfordshire, and Luton. There may also be some task and finish groups to address themes and work streams.

Pan Bedfordshire Neglect Group (4 x year) Chaired by Ben Feasman (Central Bedfordshire Council)

Themes: Physical neglect - Educational neglect - Emotional neglect - Medical neglect - Supervisory neglect - Environmental Neglect. There may also be some task and finish groups to address themes

Pan Bedfordshire Policy and Procedures Group (2 x year).

Chaired by Sally Stocker (Bedford Borough SCP)

Task and Finish Groups will undertake the work as appropriate.

Pan Beds Safeguarding Education Group (4 x year) Chaired by LA Chief Officer

Education: Themes: (TBC) S175, Safeguarding Boards in Schools, Safeguarding/Exclusions, Child on Child Abuse, Radicalisation. Task and finish groups address themes and work streams as needed.

Pan Bedfordshire Voice of the Child Group (4 x year) - chaired by Sarah Mortimer.

The voice of children and young people is a golden thread throughout our work,. The Group actively seeks to ensure that our partner agencies are seeking the voice and lived experiences of children and young people when they are developing their services through a range of approaches including an annual conference. Task and finish groups address themes and work streams.

Pan Bedfordshire webinars to share the learning from Reviews and audits.

(Held as needed to share learning on agreed themes)