

Safeguarding Adults and Children update 24th March 2020

During the current COVID-19 outbreak in the UK the most vulnerable patients in our communities will become even more at risk of suffering abuse and neglect. We will be putting together an additional safeguarding bulletin in the coming days and weeks but until then please see below for reminders of contact details and any changes to current safeguarding services.

The MASH professional consultation line is still your first port of call if you are unsure whether to make a referral for a child or adult.



The consultation line number is 0345 606 1499

If you have an urgent concern please call Customer First on 0808 800 4005

To make a referral visit the online portal on the appropriate website:

For a child: www.suffolkscb.org.uk

For an adult: www.suffolkas.org

The Adult Designate Nursing Team can be contacted via e mail

IESCCG.Adultsafeguarding@nhs.uk

Primary care contact for the east is: Sally Ryan 07904355089 or 01473 770275

And for the west it's Tabitha Griffin 07971591479

The Children's Designate Nursing Team can be contacted via e mail

WSCCG.suffolksafeguardingchildren@nhs.net

Primary care contact for Suffolk is Jo Hutchings 07958362068

The SARC (The Ferns) have released guidance for their current service level – see attached. Remember to always refer any suspected sexual abuse cases into the MASH.