

Plymouth Adult Safeguarding Board

Update/Report to SAB or SAB Executive

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AGENCY	Plymouth City Council
PURPOSE OF THE UPDATE or REPORT	Present an update on progress of strategic objective and share current version of the draft framework
STRATEGIC PLAN REFERENCE	Priority 5) To produce and monitor an agreed competency framework for Board partners and related agencies and organisations.
SAB SUB-GROUP	LOG Sub-group

SUMMARY UPDATE/REPORT	The competency framework is based on the revised 2015 National Competency Framework for Safeguarding Adults (third edition) produced by Bournemouth University and endorsed by The Association of Directors of Social Services (ADASS) Learn to Care, Skills for Care and Social Care institute for Excellence (SCIE). The Competency Framework was finalised by LOG members and presented to SAB Executive in December 2016. For Plymouth Safeguarding Adults Board members, partner agencies, organisations, staff and managers, there is an expectation that organisations will ensure that all staff know how to respond to safeguarding concerns in line with legislation, national and local guidance. An embedding period will be negotiated to allow organisations time to ensure they have processes in place to implement the framework. The SAB can purchase for £500 a licence from Bournemouth University for the electronic version of the competency framework that can be used by all Board Partner agencies & organisations.
RECOMMENDATIONS & PROPOSED ACTIONS	
	The SAB to consider the competency framework and advise on implementation process, timescale and purchase of the licence.