

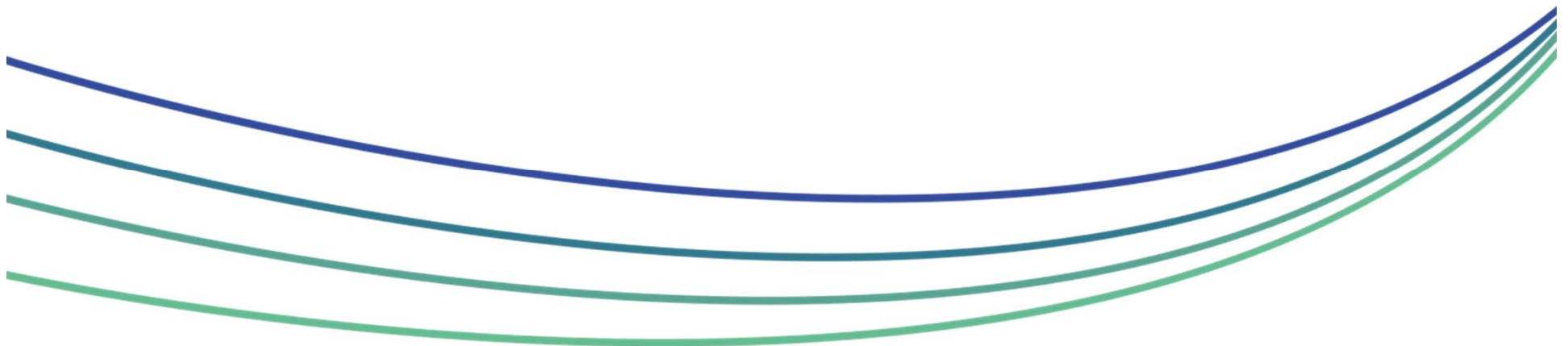
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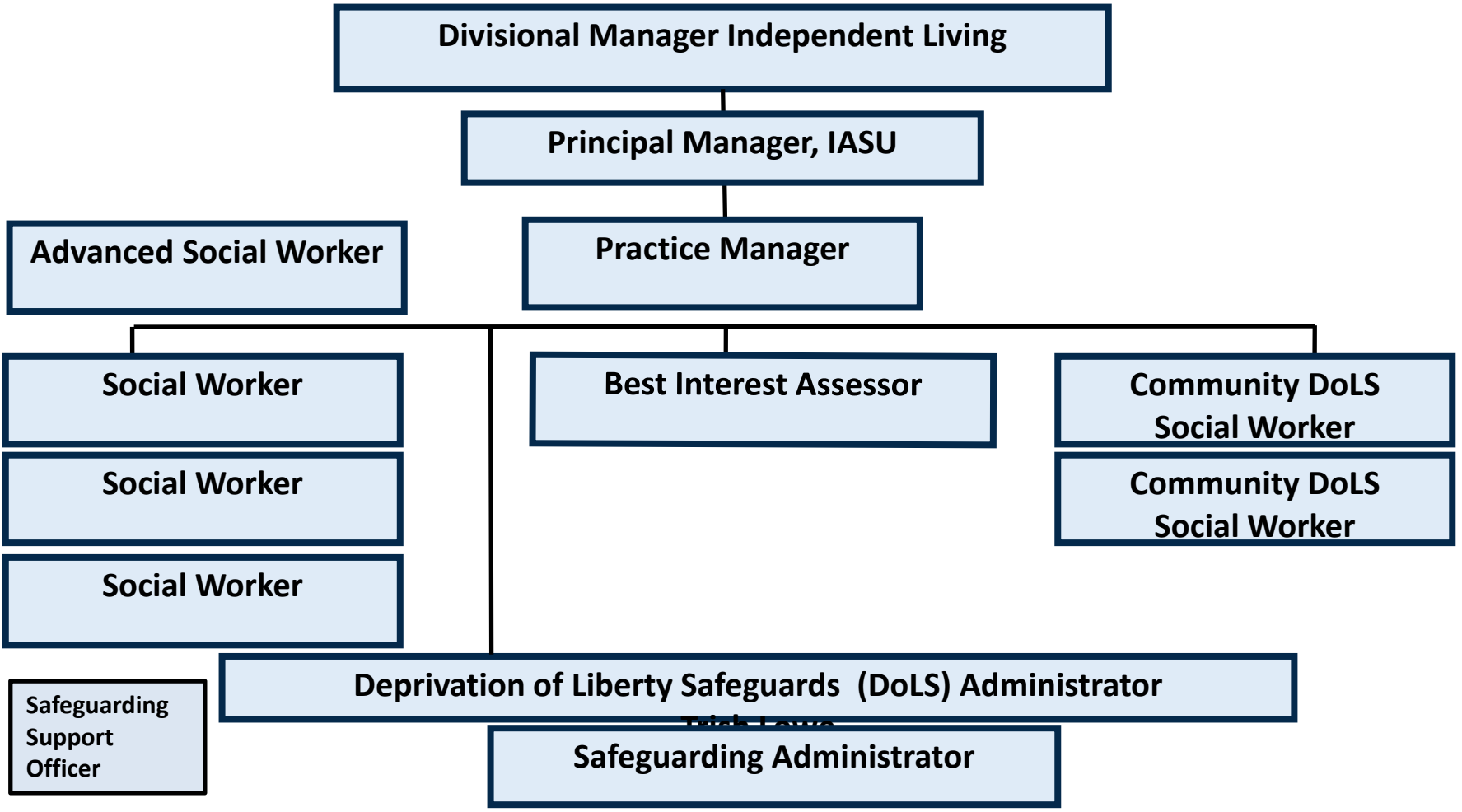
Halton Borough Council - Integrated Adult Safeguarding Unit (IASU)



Principles of Safeguarding

- **Empowerment**
- People are supported and encouraged to make their own decisions and informed consent.
- **Prevention**
- It is better to take action before harm occurs.
- **Proportionality**
- The least intrusive response appropriate to the risk presented.
- **Protection**
- Support and representation for those in greatest need.
- **Partnership**
- Services offer local solutions through working closely with their communities. Communities have a part to play in preventing, detecting and reporting neglect and abuse.
- **Accountability**
- Accountability and transparency in delivering safeguarding.

The Team



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- Divisional Manager, Helen Moir
- Principal Manager, Dean Tierney
- Practice Manager, Steve Westhead
- Advanced Social Worker –
- Safeguarding Social Worker – Katy Goodall
- Safeguarding Social Worker – Stephanie Grace
- Safeguarding Social Worker – Vicky Waller
- Community DoLS Social Worker – Marie McFarlane
- Community DoLS Social Worker – Tracey Woods
- Best Interests Assessor –
- Safeguarding Support Officer – Lesley Middlehurst
- DoLS Admin support – Trish Lowe
- Safeguarding Admin Support – Georgie Room

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Integrated Adult Safeguarding Unit – what we do!

- Triage Safeguarding concerns
- Triage Provider Led Concerns – CQC regulated services
- Conduct further enquiries into complex cases of high risk, high impact, multiple concerns in care homes
- Conduct further enquiries where cases are joint worked with PPU/PPD
- Support care homes/care providers
- Represents Adult Social Care at MARAC / MAPPA / MAM / CSE / CHDG / HDAF / Children's MAA
- Independent Hospitals oversight
- Represents Adult Social Care at various groups and subgroups at SAB
- Safeguarding Champions Forum
- Awareness sessions
- Policy development and oversight
- Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards
- LPS – implementation

- To name a few things.....

How to raise a safeguarding concern

- Call 0151 907 8306 – 9-5 Monday to Friday
- Call 0345 050 0148 – after 5pm, evenings and weekends
- Report online (note these will not get picked up if referred on a weekend) at <https://adult.haltonsafeguarding.co.uk/what-is-abuse/>
- Further guidance, support, training, resources at <https://adult.haltonsafeguarding.co.uk/professionals/>
- Queries – adultsafeguarding@halton.gov.uk or IASU Duty 0151 511 8555
- DoLS requests and queries – dols@halton.gov.uk
- Provider led concerns and enquiries – careconcerns@halton.gov.uk