HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD	AGENDA ITEM No. 11	
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· ·		Peterborough Safeguarding Children Board and Peterborough Safeguarding Adults Board	
Cabinet Member(s) responsible:		Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Councillor Sam Smith Deputy Leader & Cabinet Member for Integrated Adult Social Care and Health, Councillor Wayne Fitzgerald	
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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PETERBOROUGH SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN BOARD 2016-17 ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PETERBOROUGH SAFEGUARDING ADULTS BOARD 2016-17

RECOMMENDATIONS			
FROM: Dr Russell Wate QPM Chair of the Cambridge & Peterborough Adults & Children Safeguarding Boards	Deadline date: N/A		

It is recommended that the Health and Wellbeing Board:

1. Note the content of the Peterborough Safeguarding Children Board Annual Report 2016-17 and Peterborough Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report 2016-17

1. ORIGIN OF REPORT

1.1 This report is submitted to the Health and Wellbeing Board following sign off and publication of the Peterborough Safeguarding Children Board Annual Report 2016-17 and Peterborough Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report 2016-17 in July 2017.

2. PURPOSE AND REASON FOR REPORT

2.1 There is a statutory requirement under Section 14a of the Children Act 2004 and Schedule 2 of the Care Act 2014 that Safeguarding Boards publish an annual report detailing the work of the Boards.

The purpose of the reports being brought to the Health and Wellbeing Board is to ensure members are fully aware of the work and progress of the Peterborough Safeguarding Children Board and Safeguarding Adults Board.

The reports cover the period from April 2016 – March 2017 and were published in July 2017.

2.2 This report is for the Health and Wellbeing Board to consider under its Terms of Reference No. 2.7.2.2:

To actively promote partnership working across health and social care in order to further improve health and wellbeing of residents.

2.3 The report links into the Children in care Pledge as there is a specific section in the Safeguarding Children Board annual report that addresses children in care.

3. TIMESCALES

Is this a Major Policy	NO	If yes, date for	N/A
Item/Statutory Plan?		Cabinet meeting	

4. BACKGROUND AND KEY ISSUES

4.1 The annual reports include information on the work that has been undertaken by the Peterborough Safeguarding Children Board and Safeguarding Adults Board in the period April 2016- March 2017. Members are requested to note the contents of the reports.

5. CONSULTATION

5.1 Partner agencies including Peterborough City Council, contributed to the information contained within the annual reports.

The annual reports were approved by the Safeguarding Children Board and Safeguarding Adults Board in July 2017 and were subsequently published on the Boards website (www.safeguardingpeterborough.org.uk) and shared on social media.

The Boards have also produced a young person's version of the Safeguarding Children Board annual report and an easy read version of the Safeguarding Adults Board annual report. Both of these can both be found on the board's website.

6. ANTICIPATED OUTCOMES OR IMPACT

The annual reports highlight the significant events during the last year. They summarise the work of the safeguarding boards and their sub committees. They highlight areas of good practice and present statistical information regarding safeguarding performance.

The reports have been brought to the Health and Wellbeing Board for information purposes.

7. REASON FOR THE RECOMMENDATION

7.1 There are no recommendations for the Board to consider – the reports are for information only.

8. ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED

8.1 There were no alternative options- it is a statutory responsibility of the Boards to produce and publish an annual report.

9. IMPLICATIONS

Financial Implications

9.1 There are no financial implications

Legal Implications

9.2 There are no legal implications

Equalities Implications

9.3 There are no equalities implications

10. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

Used to prepare this report, in accordance with the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985

10.1 The majority of the statistics contained within the annual reports are from the Safeguarding Boards dataset.

Partners provided information from their agencies which was used to formulate the annual reports.

11. APPENDICES

11.1 Appendix 1 – Annual Report of Peterborough Safeguarding Children Board 2016-17 Appendix 2 – Annual Report of Peterborough Safeguarding Adults Board 2016 -17

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