TASPB
Tameside Adult Safeguarding Partnership Board

Tameside Adult Safeguarding Partnership Board (TASPB) is a partnership of agencies and organisations whose aim is to safeguard adults who are vulnerable to, at risk of or are experiencing abuse and neglect.

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TASPB STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN 2025/26

Tameside Adult Safeguarding Partnership Board – What we do ...

Our overarching aim is to help and safeguard adults with care and support needs to ensure these adults are free from abuse and the fear of abuse. TASPB has a role to ensure Safeguarding Adults is everybody's business and in doing so must apply 3 statutory functions as defined in the Care Act 2014:

- Publish a Strategic Plan
- Publish Annual Report
- Commission Safeguarding Adult Review

How do we do this?

Governance & Accountability

- Subgroups and task-and-finish groups aligned with strategic objectives.
- Regular progress reviews and risk assessments.
- Annual report to reflect effectiveness and outcome

Strategic objectives

Exploitation
Objective: We will work with Partner Organisations in Tameside to protect those adults who have care and support needs from exploitation.

Support to Adult Carers
Objective: We will promote the work of Partner Organisations in Tameside to support Adult Carers to continue to provide and maintain dignity in care and quality of life for adults with care and support needs

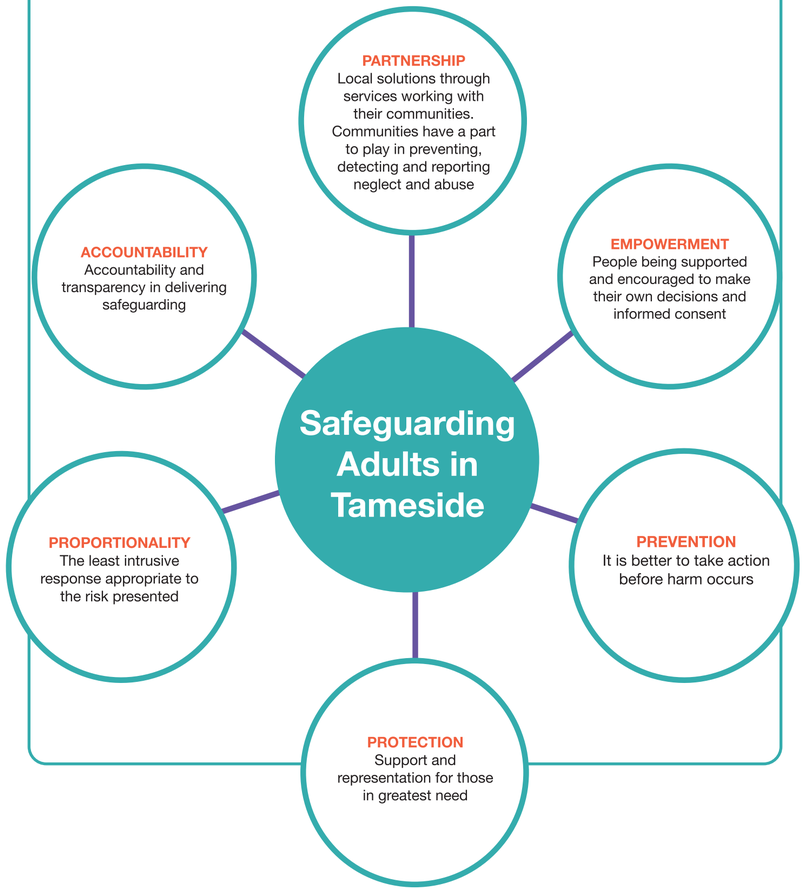
Adults who Experience Multi-Disadvantage
Objective: We will demonstrate that there are strong cross-sector partnerships to respond to tackling multiple disadvantage and improving outcomes to prevent Adult Abuse in this cohort of people.

Homelessness and Rough Sleeping
Objective: We will have assurance that local safeguarding arrangements and partnerships adequately protect adults with care and support needs who may be vulnerable to abuse or neglect (including self-neglect) and are homeless.

Principles

Included in The Care Act 2014 are 6 Principles of Safeguarding, these are a core set of standards for Partner Organisations that underpin the Safeguarding Adult Work.

We strive for these Principles to be applied and seek assurance that this practice is adopted.



What are TASPB going to do to respond to our strategic objectives/priorities in 2026/27

Action	Why are we doing this?	Progress	Completion date
Exploitation **Strengthen the multi-agency approach to identifying, preventing and responding to exploitation,** through improved intelligence sharing and partnership coordination, increased professional and community awareness of emerging exploitation risks, and timely and proportionate safeguarding responses	TASPB is assured that adults at risk of exploitation are identified at the earliest opportunity and receive a coordinated and proportionate multi-agency response to reduce the risk of abuse and harm.	In progress	March 2027
Support to Adult Carers **Strengthen the identification and support of Adult Carers,** promoting access to services that support carers' wellbeing and resilience and ensuring carers are recognised and supported in their caring role.	TASPB has assurance that Adult Carers are recognised, listened to and have access to the right information and support at the right time, supporting their wellbeing and their ability to maintain dignity and quality of life	In progress	March 2027
Adults who Experience Multiple Disadvantage **Strengthen cross-sector collaboration for adults experiencing multiple disadvantage, with a particular focus on improving transitions and coordination between services,** embedding trauma-informed and person-centred approaches and identifying and addressing barriers to accessing support.	TASPB has assurance that adults experiencing multiple disadvantage are supported effectively when transitioning between services, reducing the risk of people falling through gaps in provision and ensuring timely access to coordinated support to prevent abuse, neglect and self-neglect.	In progress	March 2027
Homelessness **Seek assurance that safeguarding arrangements effectively protect adults who are homeless, rough sleeping or at risk of homelessness,** through strengthened partnership working and safeguarding practice that is inclusive, flexible and responsive to complex needs.	TASPB has assurance that homelessness does not create a barrier to accessing safeguarding, health, social care and housing support and that adults with care and support needs receive a coordinated response to reduce the risk of abuse, neglect and self-neglect.	In progress	March 2027