

SAFEGUARDING IN 6

SAFEGUARDING MADE SIMPLE



ACTIVE ESSEX SPORT WELFARE LEADS

SAFER CULTURE

- Places welfare & safety at the heart of your organisations values & actions.
- Ensures safeguarding is everyone's responsibility .
- Demonstrates commitment to safeguarding through words & actions.
- Creates an environment where everyone feels confident their concerns will be heard & addressed appropriately.

SAFEGUARDING ESSENTIALS

- The foundations for a safer club or organisation are:
- SAFEGUARDING POLICIES
- CODES OF CONDUCT
- TRAINING
- SAFER RECRUITMENT



SAFER RECRUITMENT

- Protects children & adults at risk by ensuring only suitable individuals are selected.
- Ensures compliance with legal and regulatory requirements related to safeguarding .
- Builds trust within the community & promotes a positive & safe club culture.
- Improves the quality of staff by focusing on values, attitudes and behaviours aligned with safeguarding.

POLICIES

- SEPERATE CHILDREN & ADULTS POLICIES
- NAMED SAFEGUARDING LEAD
- KEY CONTACTS
- REPORTING PROCEDURES
- TYPES OF HARM
- LEGISLATION
- REVIEW DATES

CODES OF CONDUCT

- Should form part of the Induction process for all members, staff, volunteers, parents & carers
- Clarify what behaviours are acceptable & unacceptable
- Promote respect, sets clear expectations, improves safety
- Encourage accountability by providing a basis for challenging & improving practice

TRAINING

- Raises awareness & understanding of the signs & indicators of abuse, neglect or exploitation.
- Helps staff & volunteers understand how to respond appropriately to concerns or disclosures, including reporting procedures.
- Builds consistency in safeguarding practices across the organisation.
- Keeps staff up to date with current legislation, policies & best practices.

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