

Community Safeguarding Policy





At Volunteering Matters we are committed to adhering to safeguarding practice and ensuring that we keep our volunteers and beneficiaries safe.

In times of crisis and uncertainty it is important that we protect and safeguard are most vulnerable and at risk individuals within the community

This user friendly guide will help remind you of key safeguarding policies and how to spot any incidents of harm and abuse.

This guide does not supersede your local safeguarding policies and practice.

If you think a child or adult is at risk of harm or abuse we want community volunteers to:

-  • stay safe
-  • see it
-  • recognise it
-  • refer it

For your local Social Work Department got to

<https://socialworkscotland.org/>

<https://www.socialworkengland.org.uk/>

If there is an immediate danger of harm call
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