

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Cabinet
Date:	7 December 2021
Title:	Annual Safeguarding Report – Adults’ Health and Care 2020-21
Report From:	Director of Adults’ Health and Care

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1. The decision:

That Cabinet:

- 1.1 Notes the positive progress and strong performance of the Department to keep adults at risk safe from abuse and/or neglect, whilst acknowledging ongoing risks to fulfilling statutory safeguarding duties.
- 1.2 Notes the commitment of a wide range of Adults’ Health and Care staff, and wider partner agencies, to delivering robust safeguarding arrangements in Hampshire.
- 1.3 Notes the contribution of the Hampshire Safeguarding Adults Board (HSAB) to safeguarding strategy, assurance and the development of policy across the four local authority areas of Hampshire, Portsmouth, Southampton and the Isle of Wight.

2 Reasons for the decision:

- 2.1 This report provides an annual update in respect of the local authority statutory duty to safeguard vulnerable adults.

3 Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1 None

4 Conflicts of interest:

- 4.1 Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None
- 4.2 Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: None

5 Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: None

6 Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: Not applicable

7 Statement from the decision maker:

Approved by:

Date:

7 December 2021

Chairman of Cabinet
Councillor Keith Mans