**Safeguarding Week 2025 - Online Harm: Keeping Yourself and Others Safe  
10th November 2025 – 14th November 2025**

**Health Activity Programme**

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| **Monday 10/11/2025** | | | | | |
| **Event/Activity** | **Time** | **Target Audience** | **Location** | **Details** | **Facilitator & Session Link** |
| **All Week**  **drop-in sessions on how to complete the new C1 forms** | 9.30am - 4.30pm | All Staff | PCH Paediatric Ward | Managing Disclosures of abuse in children.   * sign posting where to gain support and advice * online safety reporting highlighting the use of AI and image sharing risks * maintaining professional boundaries * Celebrate what we do well | Sarah McMahon, Practice Educator for Paediatrics.  [Sarah.McMahon2@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Sarah.McMahon2@wales.nhs.uk) |
| **Meet the Safeguarding Team** | 9.30am – 1.30pm | All Staff and Patients | PCH | Face to face drop-in sessions to all wards within PCH to support staff and patients.  Safeguarding Supervision for those who have or are currently experiencing complex safeguarding cases.  How to complete a safeguarding referral.C1, A1, Domestic Abuse | Emma Reed  Safeguarding Practice Educator  [Emma.Reed3@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Emma.Reed3@wales.nhs.uk)  Samantha Thomas IDVA PCH  [Samantha.Thomas22@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Samantha.Thomas22@wales.nhs.uk) |
| **Safer Lives Merthyr** | 09.30am – 11.30am | All Staff | TEAMS | Domestic Abuse Perpetrator Programmes - Understanding behaviour-change interventions. | Karl Hazard, Safer Merthyr Tydfil  [Kh2@smt.org.uk](mailto:Kh2@smt.org.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NTIwOGNiZTEtNjJiOS00MDQ4LTgyODItOTZhNDRkY2QzNDFi%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **New Pathways - Ensuring a Positive Culture of Safeguarding, Online Event** | 9.30am – 11.00am | All Staff | Teams | This online event will form part of the regional programme for National Safeguarding Week, for which the theme this year is ‘Positive Safeguarding Practice’.    This session will provide an overview of what a positive culture of safeguarding is, why it’s necessary for every organisation/setting, and how to ensure you have one that complies with various safeguarding legislation and guidance. This session will take you through the various elements of creating, embedding and strengthening a positive culture of safeguarding into every facet of your day-to-day operations  This event is open to all agencies, although the organisers are particularly keen for attendees from the voluntary sector, for example, sports clubs, youth clubs, care & nursing homes, nursery’s, playgroups, and children’s activity groups etc. | **Please note that the closing date for applications will be Friday 31st October 2025.**  To book a place please use the link below  <https://forms.office.com/e/Twk7yVyj6e> |
| **Weapons Awareness Training** | 10.00am -11.00am | All Staff | TEAMS | The training will provide a basic overview of knife crime statistics and the law surrounding weapon carrying. | Emily Powell, Weapons Awareness Co-ordinator, Media Academy Cymru [emily@mediaacademycymru.wales](mailto:emily@mediaacademycymru.wales)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MWQ0NDZlNWQtZTZiZS00ZDE5LWI5NjEtZWVhNmE3MjZiNjdm%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Physical Injuries in Children** | 11.00 -12.00 noon | All Staff | TEAMS | The role of the health professional  Common presentations of physical abuse and what to do when you have concerns | Emily Payne, Consultant Paediatrician for Safeguarding  [Emily.payne@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Emily.payne@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_YWY3Y2Q2NTgtNmMwNi00MWU2LWI0MTgtN2Q0NWY5OWFhNTRh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Immediate Response Group (IRG) process-** | 12.00noon -1.00pm | All Staff | TEAMS | Supporting the community after death occurs and the challenges of social media | Donna Morgan, Bereavement Clinical Lead  [Donna.morgan10@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Donna.morgan10@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_OTc3NmMzNGItMTRlYi00Njg3LWE0ODgtY2QzZmM4MjNiZjFj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **MCA – Mental Capacity Assessments** | 09.30am -11.30am | All Staff | TEAMS | Completing a Mental Capacity Assessment | Mandeep Toor, Clinical Practice Educator for MCA, DoLS & LPS and Stephanie Voyle, DoLS Assessor  [Mandeep.Toor@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Mandeep.Toor@wales.nhs.uk)  [Stephanie.J.Voyle@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Stephanie.J.Voyle@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_OTRkYmE3MTYtNTI0ZS00MjM3LThiMjQtMzQ5NzVjNGExODZj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **IMCA/IMHA** | 12.00 noon -1.00pm | All Staff | TEAMS | The session aims to give and understanding of the IMHA and IMCA roles, including rights and functions under Mental Health and Mental Capacity legislation in Wales | Lois Danks, Advocacy Service  [LDanks@ascymru.org.uk](mailto:LDanks@ascymru.org.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MjEyYWM2YTItMGZkNy00MTBiLWEyNTctYmFmYjViYzk5ZGYy%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Court of protection** | 1.30pm -3.30pm | All Staff | TEAMS | Making decisions on behalf on someone else and the Court of Protection process | Anthony Zdzieblo, Senior Nurse for Court of Protection  [Anthony.Zdzieblo@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Anthony.Zdzieblo@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MWQ5ZDRlOGYtNmFiZS00ZWVkLWJjMWMtZTExNmQ2YjM0OWJl%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |

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| **Tuesday 11/11/2025** | | | | | |
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| **Media Scams and Language used with Fraud Victims** | 9.30am – 11.00am | All Staff | TEAMS | The aim of session is to raise awareness of types of fraud and scams | Adam Carter. Senior Project Officer for National Trading Standards Scams Team  [Adam@consumerfriend.org.uk](mailto:Adam@consumerfriend.org.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_Y2I2Y2FlNjQtM2I5OS00N2JiLTk2MjctNGNjYjJkNDdiNmFk%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Safeguarding and Neurodiversity** | 1.00pm-2.00pm | All Staff | TEAMS | Safeguarding children who are Neurodiversity and Mental Health | Sharon Coleman, Mental Health  [Sharon.Coleman@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Sharon.Coleman@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_ZDUxY2QyMDgtMTg5OC00YzhhLTg2MDctNTY3YmM0YmRhYTAz%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **ASK and ACT Level 2** | 2.00pm-4.00pm | All Staff | TEAMS | The aim of the session is to equip professionals with the skills to deliver effective, timely, and appropriate support to victims and survivors of  violence against women, domestic abuse, and sexual violence. | Kristy Davies, IDVA RGH [Kristy.davies@rctcbc.gov.uk](mailto:Kristy.davies@rctcbc.gov.uk)  Samantha Thomas, IDVA PCH  [Samantha.Thomas22@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Samantha.Thomas22@wales.nhs.uk)  Vanesa Ghigi, IDVA POW [Vanesa.Ghigi@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Vanesa.Ghigi@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_YTQ1MmI0M2UtMTVkMy00YmM1LWJlMmUtNGMxYWJkZWNmOGI5%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |

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| **Safer Lives Merthyr** | 09.30am – 11.30am | All Staff | TEAMS | **Domestic Abuse Perpetrator Programmes** - Understanding behaviour-change interventions. | Karl Hazard, Safer Merthyr Tydfil  [Kh2@smt.org.uk](mailto:Kh2@smt.org.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MDkwYTljZTUtMDk2MS00YWRiLWE2MzAtNDgzZjJhMzAxZjc5%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Child Sexual Abuse** | 10.00am-11.00am | All Staff | TEAMS | Your role as a health professional, common presentations of child sexual abuse, and the role of the sexual health service in CTM | Emily Payne, Consultant Paediatrician for Safeguarding  [Emily.payne@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Emily.payne@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_ZTZhMzk0MDYtNGY1Ni00YTc0LWEzMjEtMDgyN2Q0NGQ0NDJj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Professional Curiosity** | 2.00pm-3.00pm | All Staff | TEAMS | Presentation of link and learn session with Q&A | Karen Hooper, CNS for Safeguarding – Health Visiting  [Karen.Hooper2@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Karen.Hooper2@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NTZlYTZiMmItMTI0NS00Nzc5LTllZDgtOWZlZTcyMjQwYWM4%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **CSE in Midwifery** | 12.00noon-1.00pm | All Staff | TEAMS | Link and Learn session with Q&A, and case study | Fiona James, CNS for Safeguarding - Midwifery  [Fiona.James@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Fiona.James@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NDQ5YWMxOTItZWRjMi00MGU2LWFiYmItZjA2MzUxMGZlYTRm%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Stop Loan Sharks** | 2.00pm-3.30pm | All Staff | TEAMS | Shared Regulatory Services.The session aims to explain the work of Stop Loan Sharks Wales and the tactics of loan sharks. | Ryan Evans, Client Liasion Officer, Wales Illegal Money Lending Unit  [rydevans@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk](mailto:rydevans@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NWQxMDQ4ZjgtMTI3ZS00OTE0LWFhNzgtNzU0MzEyMDM2NDJl%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Health IDVA** | 11.00am -12noon | All Staff | TEAMS | The role of the Health IDVA in CTM | Samantha Thomas, IDVA PCH  [Samantha.Thomas22@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Samantha.Thomas22@wales.nhs.uk)  Vanesa Ghigi, IDVA POW [Vanesa.Ghigi@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Vanesa.Ghigi@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_ODUyYzcxZTQtNzQ1ZS00NzczLWE3Y2UtZGIzYjgxYWMwOGY4%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |

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| **The Voice of the Child** | 1.00pm – 2.00pm | All Staff | TEAMS | Link and Learn session with Q&A | Carla Blackshaw, CNS for Safeguarding – Health Visiting  [Carla.blackshaw@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Carla.blackshaw@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NzBjNzA5N2YtZThjMS00Y2U0LThiN2QtMWUyOWFjYzU2MGVh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Community Safeguarding Event** | 9.00am-5.00pm | All Staff | Merthyr Tydfil Town Centre Hub | Meet the CTM Health IDVA Team and learn how to talk about domestic abuse | Kristy Davies, IDVA RGH [Kristy.davies@rctcbc.gov.uk](mailto:Kristy.davies@rctcbc.gov.uk)  Samantha Thomas, IDVA PCH  [Samantha.Thomas22@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Samantha.Thomas22@wales.nhs.uk)  Vanesa Ghigi, IDVA POW [Vanesa.Ghigi@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Vanesa.Ghigi@wales.nhs.uk) |
| **Clinical Supervision** | 3.00pm-4.00pm | All Staff | TEAMS | Public Protection Nurses will be available for Safeguarding supervision and support | Emma Reed, Safeguarding Practice Educator [Emma.reed3@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Emma.reed3@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_OWQ1Yzc5MzktMjcyMi00OWQ1LTlmNGYtODgyNGY5MTc1ZWVj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |

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| **Friday 14/11/2025** | | | | | |
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| **Scams and rogue traders** | 10.00am-11.00am | All Staff | TEAMS | Shared Regulatory Services  Learn about how criminals worm their way into people’s lives, how they groom the elderly and vulnerable and then exploit them financially. Understand the methods they adopt and most importantly how to spot the signs if someone is already a victim of crime. | Allison Hunt, Doorstop Crime & Scams  [ahunt@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk](mailto:ahunt@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MDQ1Mzk3MjktNDZlZC00MjQ0LWI0N2EtZGU5NDM2YmZkNDgy%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Bystander training** | 10.00am-11.00am | All Staff | TEAMS | **Presented by the Positive Masculinity Team identify**  The aim of the active bystander sessions;   * Identify harmful behaviours * **U**nderstanding the bystander effect * Give advice on what to do when witnessing harmful behaviours * Help implement positive changes | [dan@mediaacademycymru.wales](mailto:dan@mediaacademycymru.wales)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MjVhZjQxMTgtY2FiZC00YTcwLWI5ZTYtNWVhYTE4YTk0MzJh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
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| **ASK and ACT Level 2** | 10.00am-12.00noon | All Staff | TEAMS | Level 2 Ask and Act Training | Kristy Davies, IDVA RGH [Kristy.davies@rctcbc.gov.uk](mailto:Kristy.davies@rctcbc.gov.uk)  Samantha Thomas, IDVA PCH  [Samantha.Thomas22@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Samantha.Thomas22@wales.nhs.uk)  Vanesa Ghigi, IDVA POW [Vanesa.Ghigi@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Vanesa.Ghigi@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NmE4YjcxMTgtNTEwMi00YjRkLTk1OGYtOGQ5ZDA0MWM1NDNh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Professional Curiosity** | 2.00pm-3.00pm | All Staff | TEAMS | Link and Learn session with Q&A and scenario-based learning | Lucy Hollifield, CNS for Safeguarding – Health Visiting  [Lucy.hollifield@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Lucy.hollifield@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_YTBhODJhNmMtYTkwOS00YmJhLTgwOWItMmMyMzI1NzFjMmVj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |
| **Child Exploitation Training** | 2.00pm – 4.00pm  **Face to Face training** | All Staff | RGH Lecture Theatre | Child Exploitation training as part of CTM’s Exploitation Strategy | Emma Reed, Safeguarding Practice Educator [Emma.reed3@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Emma.reed3@wales.nhs.uk)  [**Join the session now**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_ZTEzMWExNzItNDk1Ni00ZmM2LWFmM2ItNWZhZDJhNWU0M2M0%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22bb5628b8-e328-4082-a856-433c9edc8fae%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22346b8921-1601-46f3-b12b-c4f8f9c64971%22%7d) |