Newcastle City Council Job Description



Post Title: Safeguarding Adults Manager KK332

Evaluation: 626 points **Grade:** N10

Responsible To: Service Manager

Responsible For: N/A

Job Purpose: To co-ordinate safeguarding to customers in receipt of services

commissioned or delivered by the Council and with external agencies in accordance with agreed objectives, quality and

performance standards.

Main Duties: The following list is typical of the duties the postholder will be

expected to perform. It is not necessarily exhaustive and other duties of a similar nature and level may be required from time

to time.

- To chair and participate in safeguarding adult meetings with respect to service users and service provision in accordance with Adult and Culture Services, City Council and legislative requirements.
- To co-ordinate and, where appropriate liaise with officers from within Adult and Culture Services; with other directorates in the Council and external organisations, on an individual and multi-disciplinary care team basis, to ensure effective risk assessment and safeguarding of customers including children and young people.
- 3 To co-ordinate adult investigation processes whilst ensuring that child protection procedures are undertaken if appropriate.
- To advise and provide professional direction/and support in relation to Safeguarding Adults to managers and staff in Adult and Culture Services, City Council and external organisations on safeguarding adult concerns/responses to ensure effective safeguarding of adults and children.
- To promote good practice in work with vulnerable adults, offering support, training and guidance on a city-wide and multi-agency basis.
- To assist in the development, implementation, monitoring and maintenance of effective operational procedures and to ensure effective safeguards for adults and children.
- 7 To manage and co-ordinate the Deprivation of Liberty safeguards to fulfil the statutory requirements.
- 8 To interpret local and national policy and legislation, and advise management on the implications in terms of service provision and resources.
- 9 To contribute to the development and promotion of Adult and Culture Services and collaborate with other staff to assist the directorate to determine and achieve its service plan objectives.

10	To promote and implement the Council's Equality Policy in all aspects of employment and service delivery.