

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>London Borough of Hammersmith &amp; Fulham</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>HEALTH, ADULT SOCIAL CARE AND SOCIAL INCLUSION POLICY AND ACCOUNTABILITY COMMITTEE</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>2 November 2016</b></p>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SAFEGUARDING ADULTS EXECUTIVE BOARD ANNUAL REPORT 2015/16</b></p>	
<p><b>Report of Stella Baillie, Director of Integrated Care Adult Social Care and Health</b></p>	
<p><b>Open Report</b></p>	
<p><b>Classification - For Information</b> <b>Key Decision: No</b></p>	
<p><b>Wards Affected: All</b></p>	
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## 1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This is the third Annual Report of the Safeguarding Adult Executive Board (SAEB). The multi-agency Board provides leadership of adult safeguarding across the London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham; the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea; and the City of Westminster.

It is the first year that the Board is operating under Schedule 2 of the Care Act 2014, and overseeing the statutory duties of conducting Safeguarding Adult Enquiries (Section 42) and Safeguarding Adults Reviews (Section 44). The Board is required to report on progress on its strategic priorities, and particularly, on the work it has carried out reviewing deaths and serious harm, of people with care and support needs, as a result of abuse and neglect, and where agencies may have worked better together to prevent harm or death.

## 2. RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1. The Committee is invited to submit any formal comments and note the report.

### **3. BACKGROUND PAPERS USED IN PREPARING THIS REPORT**

Protocol to set out governance arrangements between the Health and Wellbeing Boards and the Safeguarding Adults Board 14 January 2015

**Appendix 1 - Safeguarding Adults Executive Board Annual Report 2015-16**