

**REPORT TO:** Health Policy and Performance Board

**DATE:** 28 September 2021

**REPORTING OFFICER:** Strategic Director, People

**PORTFOLIO:** Health and Wellbeing

**SUBJECT:** Halton Safeguarding Adult Board (HSAB)  
Annual Report 2020/2021

**WARD(S)** Borough-wide

**1.0 PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

1.1 To present the Board with the HSAB Annual Report 2020/2021 at the Appendix.

**2.0 RECOMMENDATION: That the Board:**

**i) Approve the HSAB Annual Report 2020/21 for publication**

**3.0 SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

3.1 Under the Care Act 2014, Safeguarding Adults Boards are responsible for producing both an Annual Report, setting out achievements of the SAB and highlighting priorities for the following year.

3.2 The HSAB Annual Report has been developed in conjunction with HSAB partners to ensure the report encompasses a multi-agency approach. The Annual Report includes performance data and comparisons between years, achievements in the year and highlights some of the good practice in the borough.

3.3 Once approved, the Annual Report will be published widely and shared with HSAB members organisations through the SAB Board at the end of October.

**4.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS**

4.1 The HSAB Annual Report is in line with current regulations and guidance from the Care Act 2014.

**5.0 OTHER/FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

5.1 None identified.

6.0 **IMPLICATIONS FOR THE COUNCIL'S PRIORITIES**

6.1 **Children & Young People in Halton**

N/A

6.2 **Employment, Learning & Skills in Halton**

None identified.

6.3 **A Healthy Halton**

This document is an important part of the safeguarding policy framework ensuring that the Council fulfils its statutory obligations, in line with the Care Act 2014.

6.4 **A Safer Halton**

As above.

6.5 **Halton's Urban Renewal**

None identified.

7.0 **RISK ANALYSIS**

7.1 Halton Safeguarding Adults Board strives to show improvement in fulfilling its statutory duties and a dedication to seeking and providing the best possible care and support to protect those members of our community that need it.

8.0 **EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY ISSUES**

8.1 None identified.

9.0 **LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS UNDER SECTION 100D OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**

9.1 None identified.