

OLDHAM LOCAL SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN BOARD

COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION SUB-GROUP

WORK PLAN 2008-2009

Objective	Action	Outcome	Date	
1. To communicate and inform the to public about the LSCB and Safeguarding issues	1.1 Ensure Website kept updated and review regularly 1.2 Feed into newsletters within the authority e.g. One Voice and Oldham Parents. 1.3 Review factsheet information and include Case Conference information in consultation with parents and young people. 1.4 Run press release about public awareness about child protection and safeguarding issues (e.g. health and hygiene) 1.5 To develop programmes that can be rolled out in the community to raise awareness e.g. E-Safety	Public are aware of changes to the LSCB and can access information regarding safeguarding children.	1.1 Ongoing monthly checks 1.2 In line with LSCB media plan 1.3 April 09 1.4 In line with LSCB media plan 1.5 In line with LSCB media plan	
2. To communicate and inform professionals about the changes in working together and LSCB	2.1 To work in consultation with training sub-group to ensure that changes in work practice are delivered within the training (e.g. referral form). 2.2 Develop e-mail / news bulletins to update professionals and volunteers about new ways of working (e.g. Allegations against professionals) 2.3 To develop evaluation system to determine the effectiveness of communication.	Professionals are aware of the safeguarding message and all new messages from research and government guidance.	2.1 In line with new developments for professionals 2.2 In line with new developments for professionals 2.3 April 09	
3. To consult with children regarding the safeguarding message	3.1 Develop safeguarding plans to incorporate children in the action/work plans. 3.2 To work with the children's trust to run stakeholder events for parents and young people around the safeguarding issues 3.3 To consult with young people when developing new policies and procedures (for example E-Safety messages)	Public are a part of the planning within Safeguarding, informing the LSCB of what is working and what is not. Ensuring the public have a say in developing services.	3.1 December 08 3.2 March 09 and December 08 3.3 February 09	