

## SAFEGUARDING IN SCHOOLS CONFERENCE:

working together to keep children and young people safe

CODE **7657** 

Thursday 28th November 2019 Central London

1st Delegate Rate **£299**+VAT 2nd Delegate Rate **£242**+VAT

## **KEYNOTE SPEAKERS INCLUDE:**

#### **Judy Shaw**

President, NAHT and Headteacher, Tuel Lane InfantSchool

#### **Anna Cole**

Parliamentary and Inclusion Specialist, ASCL

#### Jon Drake

Lead for Safeguarding, National Police Chiefs' Council

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## **CONFERENCE AIMS**

In schools and colleges, all staff have a responsibility to provide a safe environment in which children can learn and to identify those who need further help. How confident are you that your safeguarding policies and procedures are compliant with the latest regulations?

Concerns around emotional and mental health, behaviour and attendance, and gang and knife crime, amongst others, all contribute to the challenges faced by accountable staff in education. Key current legislation and reforms including the Children and Social Work Act 2017, Working together to safeguard children, Keeping children safe in education, and the Domestic Abuse Bill 2018 are changing the landscape considerably. Working together across schools, colleges, social services, police, CAMHS and other agencies is imperative. However, many organisations report difficulties in collaborating and communicating effectively, especially when it comes to exchanging information.

Offering a clear understanding of the latest regulatory requirements for safeguarding, the Safeguarding in Schools conference has been established to promote best practice in effective collaboration across statutory and non-statutory bodies. Focusing on the intersection between safeguarding, wellbeing, behaviour and attendance, the agenda will cover themes including successful emotional and mental health response arrangements; effective approaches to gang-based violence including county lines, CSE and CCE; and best practice in online safety, peer-on-peer abuse and contextual safeguarding. The only such event to be researched directly with key stakeholders from across primary and secondary schools, sixth form colleges, local authorities and more, this conference is built around speakers and sessions which will equip you with practical solutions to take back to your school.

Join us at the Safeguarding in Schools conference to gain new knowledge from professionals with innovative and transferable approaches to safeguarding. Benefit from indepth case scenario sessions and case studies which will leave you informed, confident and empowered to safeguard the children in your care.

#### Confirmed speakers include:

**Judy Shaw** *President, NAHT and Headteacher, Tuel Lane Infant School* 

**Clare Erasmus** Head of Faculty, Mental Health and Wellbeing, Brighton Hill Community School

**Anna Cole** Parliamentary and Inclusion Specialist, ASCL

Ann Marie Christian Director, Child 1st Consultancy

**Dean Coady OBE** Managing Director, Urban Pure Solutions

**Jon Drake** Lead for Safeguarding, National Police Chiefs' Council

**Joanna Madyarchyk** Head of Safeguarding, Manchester United

**Jenny Lloyd** Senior Research Fellow, University of Bedfordshire

**Steve Warner** Deputy Headteacher, St Mary's High School

#### **BENEFITS OF ATTENDING:**

- Receive guidance on the latest regulatory requirements for safeguarding and ensure that your organisation is fully compliant
- Gain a clear understanding of the implications of the Timpson Review for management of behaviour, attendance and early help, supported by practical solutions to take back
- Obtain best practice examples for collaboration across statutory and non-statutory bodies including schools, social services, police and CAMHS
- Explore transferable examples of successful emotional and mental health response arrangements in school settings
- Evaluate the impact of a contextual safeguarding approach to peer-on-peer abuse and see how it could be applied in your local area
- Gain vital knowledge on gang based violence and antisocial activity, including knife crime, county lines, child sexual exploitation (CSE) and child criminal exploitation (CCE)
- Benefit from case scenario sessions, offering an opportunity to actively work through case scenarios and test your knowledge and understanding

#### WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

This conference has been designed to bring together professionals from across education and the wider public sector, including primary, secondary, sixth form, local authorities, police, health and voluntary agencies.

#### Job titles include:

- Chairs/Members of Local Safeguarding Children Boards
- CSE Team Managers and Coordinators
- Headteachers and Principals
- Deputy and Assistant Headteachers
- Designated Safeguarding Leads
- Heads of Year and Pastoral Leads
- Designated Health Professionals
- Directors/Heads of CAMHS and their teams
- Directors/Heads of Children's and Young People's Services and their teams
- Directors/Heads of Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hubs (MASH) and their teams
- Directors/Heads of NEET Strategy Teams
- Heads of Pupil Referral Units and their teams
- Early Intervention Teams
- Family Support and Outreach Team Leads
- School Governors and Trustees
- Senior Police Officers
- Youth Inclusion Teams, Youth Workers and Youth Offending Teams

### **PROGRAMME**

TIME

#### Registration and coffee in the networking area

8.30 - 9.30am

#### Chair's opening address

9.30 - 9.40am

**Anna Cole** Parliamentary and Inclusion Specialist, ASCL (confirmed)

#### What you need to know: regulatory safeguarding compliance and guidance

9.40 - 10.00am

- Focusing on the absolute need-to-know requirements for senior leaders, designated safeguarding leads, teachers and other key stakeholders in child safeguarding
- Providing an update on guidance including working together to keep children safe and information sharing, as well as other key reforms and legislation
- How to deliver and demonstrate outstanding safeguarding through safer recruitment, records of training, maintaining child safeguarding records, and more

**Department for Education** (invited)

#### Behaviour, attendance and early help policy post-Timpson

10.00 - 10.10pm

- Considering what effective school-based early help should look like following the publication of the Timpson Review
- Balancing the management of curriculums, behaviour and attendance at the same time and preventing children from missing
  or falling out of education
- Sharing examples of successful measures put in place to support families, working in partnership to deliver early help and mitigate neglect and abuse

Matt Jones (Principal, Ark Globe Academy (invited)

#### Questions and discussion

10.40 - 11.00am

Coffee and networking

11.00 - 11.20am

#### Really working together to safeguard children

11.20 - 12.00pm

- Bringing together senior stakeholders from schools, children's social care, police, CAMHS and sport to identify best practice in multi-agency collaboration and communication
- Working towards a shared vision for schools and other agencies, building a real understanding of the roles of the respective agencies
- Addressing common challenges including referral thresholds, securing timely feedback and sharing of information

**Judy Shaw** President NAHT and Headteacher, Tuel Lane Infant School (confirmed)

**Rachel Dickinson** President, Association of Directors of Children's Services and Executive Director People, Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council (invited)

**Jon Drake** Lead for Safeguarding, National Police Chiefs' Council (confirmed)

Joanna Madyarchyk Head of Safeguarding, Manchester United (confirmed)

**Guy Northover** Clinical Lead (CAMHS), Getting It Right First Time and Consultant Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist, Berkshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust (invited)

#### Successful emotional and mental health response arrangements in schools

12.00 - 12.30pm

A detailed case study around mental health and wellbeing

Claire Erasmus Head of Faculty, Mental Health and Wellbeing, Brighton Hill Community School (confirmed)

#### Assessing the impact of contextual safeguarding on peer-on-peer abuse

12.30 - 1.00pm

 Presenting an evaluation of the leading work done by the University of Bedfordshire and Hackney Council around contextual safeguarding and peer-on-peer abuse

**Jenny Lloyd** Senior Research Fellow, University of Bedfordshire (confirmed)

**PROGRAMME** 

TIME

Questions and discussion 1.00 – 1.10pm

Lunch 1.10 – 2.00pm

#### **Enhanced youth engagement**

2.00 - 2.15pm

- Providing an update on current trends in gang and knife crime child including online grooming and abuse, county lines and other CCE issues, and CSE
- Sharing brief examples of collaborative strategies that really work
- Setting the context for breakout sessions covering CCE, CSE and online safety

**Dean Coady** Managing Director, Urban Pure Solutions (confirmed)

**Breakout into streams** 

2.15 - 2.45pm

Stream A: Child criminal

Stream B: Child sexual exploitation

Manchester Complex Safeguarding

**Hub** (invited)

**Stream C: Online safety** 

exploitation

 ${\bf Manchester\ Complex\ Safeguarding}$ 

**Tony Stower** Head of Child Safety

St Mary's High School University

Steve Warner Deputy Headteacher,

(confirmed)

Online, NSPCC (invited)

Questions and discussion

2.45 - 3.00pm

Bringing all speakers from the previous sessions back together to discuss best practice

Coffee and networking

3.00 - 3.10pm

#### Case scenario session - Appropriate handling of safeguarding cases

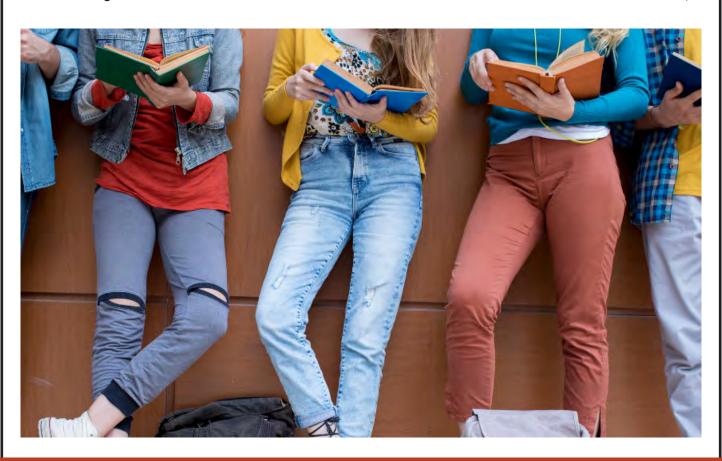
3.10 - 3.55pm

• An opportunity to actively work through case scenarios, pressure testing and understanding appropriate responses

Ann Marie Christian Director, Child 1st Consultancy (confirmed)

#### Chair's closing remarks

3.55pm





An outstanding day that will really help our school move from a punitive approach of behaviour management to one of inclusion without lowering standards.

Assistant Headteacher, St John Fisher CVA



Brilliant conference with excellent speakers.

Waltham Forest Local Authority



A truly thought provoking event - with a broad spectrum of engaging speakers. Very well organised and well run.

Assistant Principal, Moor End Academy



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# WIDENING ACCESS & PARTICIPATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION: a coordinated response to

a coordinated response to the UK's attainment and progression gap

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# Thursday 14th November 2019 Central London

**Keynote Speakers Include:** 

#### **Stephen Gorard**

Professor of Education and Public Policy, Durham University

#### Sam Kalubowila

Head, Greater Manchester Higher

#### **Kirsty Wilkinson**

School and College Liaison Manager, Loughborough University

The Widening Access and Participation in Higher Education conference exists to join up thinking and practice across schools, colleges and further and higher education institutions. Offering a clear understanding of the wider government agenda around social mobility, it will cover themes including better use of data for improved tracking and benchmarking; funding, key targets and new guidance from the regulators; and future trends in raising aspiration and widening access and participation. The only such event to be researched directly with key stakeholders from across the education lifecycle, this conference will focus on practical examples to take away and implement within your own organisation.

Join us at the Widening Access and Participation conference to take away successful methods which can be embedded within your institution, gain insights for making the business case for new approaches and to play a central role in the future of widening access and participation.