



Diocesan Safeguarding Arrangements

Creating a Safer Diocese

Quality Assurance Sub-group*

3 times per year

Risk Register Sub-group

Annual

Diocesan Safeguarding Steering Group

Meets quarterly

Independent Chair

Bishop's Lead for Safeguarding

A bishop (required)*

Director of HR and Safeguarding

Safeguarding Manager

Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser

Director of Ministry

Independent Member (Adults)

Additional Independent Members (Children and Police?)*

Clergy and Parish Representatives (2)

Safeguarding Assistant (notetaker)

Diocesan Safeguarding Team

Meets every 2 months

Bishop's Lead for Safeguarding

Director of HR and Safeguarding (Chair)

Safeguarding Manager

Diocesan Safeguarding Advisers

Head of Children's and Youth Ministry

Safeguarding Assistant (notetaker)

Diocesan Bishop's Council

(trustee body)

2 reports per year from Director of HR&S

1 to include report from Independent Chair

Agreement of Safeguarding Policy

College of Bishops

Standing agenda item with DHR&S

Joint Operations Team

Twice yearly report from DST/DHR&S

Approval of Safeguarding Policy prior to DBC

Senior Staff Meeting

Standing agenda item with DHR&S

*To be established/
discussion required