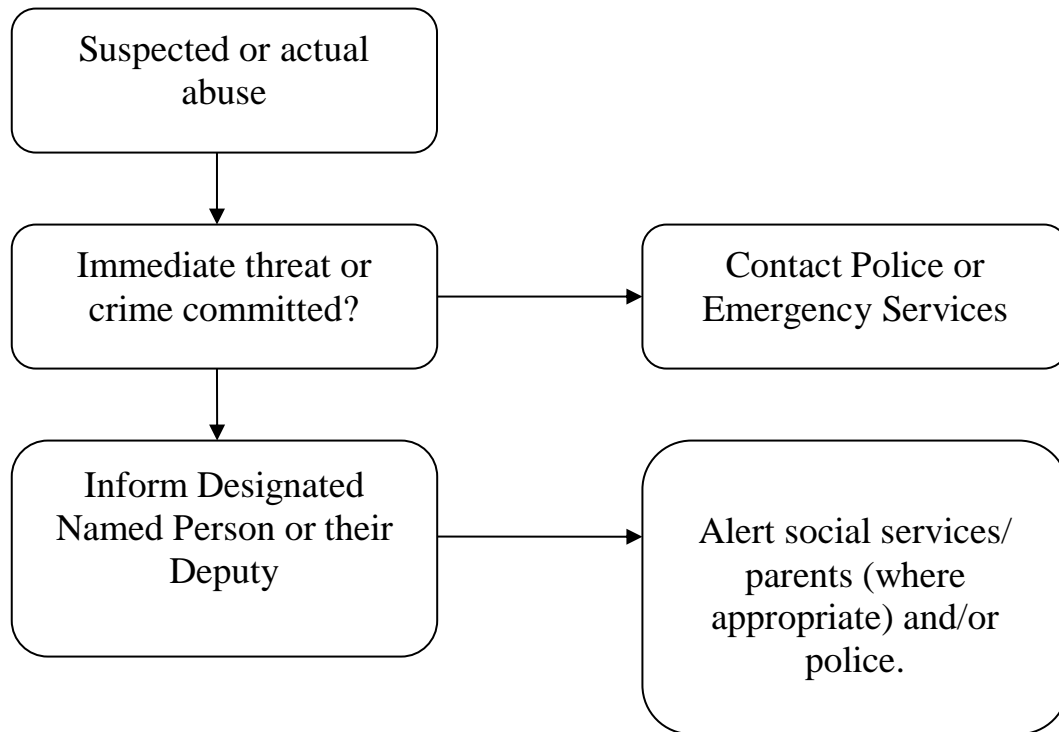


Appendix 2

Flowchart for dealing with Safeguarding concerns:



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Summary of assessing level of suicide risk for adults at risk.

Level of Risk – MILD

Vulnerable adult appearing to suffer mental health difficulties possibly relating to suicidal thoughts but has no plan or intent.

ACTION: Detail on Alert Form, signpost to GP and/ or adult social services.

Level of Risk – MODERATE

Vulnerable adult appearing to suffer mental health difficulties with clear indication of suicidal thoughts but no identified immediate risk or plan to take action.

ACTION: Detail on Alert Form, referral to adult services/ adult mental health care depending on circumstances.

Level of Risk – MODERATE to SEVERE

Vulnerable adult appearing to suffer mental health difficulties relating to suicidal thoughts and has clear indicators like a plan, history of previous attempts or is demonstrating reckless behaviour.

ACTION: Detail on Alert Form, referral to adult services/ adult mental health care depending on circumstances, if necessary, call the Police or Ambulance services.

Level of Risk – SEVERE

Vulnerable adult appearing to suffer mental health difficulties relating to suicidal thoughts and definite immediate risk to life.

**ACTION: EMERGENCY PROCEDURES TO ACT IN ORDER TO PRESERVE LIFE AND PROTECT THEM OR OTHERS, REQUEST POLICE SAFE AND WELL CHECK AND, IF NECESSARY CALL AMBULANCE.
(Remember to record incident on Alert Form)**