How to raise a safeguarding concern at Great Missenden

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Concern put in writing via CPOMS

DSL (or additional DSL if the DSL is not present) alerted immediately if the concern is urgent.

If concern relates to behaviours of a person in a position of trust, report should be made to the Head Teacher. If the concern is about the HT, report should be escalated to Chair of Governors. If no action results and child remains at risk staff, should use the schools Whistle Blowing Policy and report to the LADO The Local Authority Designated Officer -LADO

01296 382070

Designated Safeguarding Lead reviews concern and plans next steps.

Decision made to monitor the concern.

Monitor

Adults in that class asked to monitor child and feedback to the Designated Safeguarding Lead within an agreed timescale. Additional emotional or pastoral support could be offered.

In exceptional circumstances, anyonemay report concerns directly to children's social care.

Decision made to discuss the concern with the parents/carers.

Discuss

Once discussed with parents, Designated Safeguarding Lead decides to discuss with parents, monitor or refer to social care.

Monitor

Refer

Record

Designated Safeguarding Lead keeps concern securely and confidentially in CPOMS. safeguarding file.

Decision made to refer the concern to social care.

Refer

Designated Safeguarding Lead discusses decision with additional DSLs, First Response or ESAS. MARF then completed.

Contact Details
Social Care Referrals:
01296 383962
Or:
www.buckscc.gov.uk/services/care-for-children-and-families/child-protection-and-safeguarding/report-a-concern-about-a-child