

BHS process of referrals flowchart.

Designated Safeguarding Lead:
Mrs Gemma Curson

Deputy Lead
Abi Gilton
Anne Marie Biscoe

Link Governor:
Lisa Smith

Child discloses a safeguarding incident to you. Please follow your safeguarding training when listening and responding to child.

Please see a member of the Safeguarding Team **immediately**. Once reported please follow up the concern in writing on BHS Safeguarding Concern Form.

Safeguarding Team reviews concern and contacts Designated Safeguarding Lead, who will make the decision about next steps. If DSL is not on school premises, please contact DSL via telephone / email. Or inform the Headteacher.

Decision made to monitor the concern.

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

Decision made to refer the concern to social care

Key Staff are made aware of the situation and are asked to be vigilant and report any other issues immediately to Safeguarding Team

Monitor

Discuss

Once discussed with parents Designated Safeguarding Lead decides next step i.e monitor or continue refer to social care

Refer

Designated Safeguarding Lead / Safeguarding Team refer in to Social Care. Parents may not be contacted if child is deemed to be at serious risk.

In exceptional circumstances, concerns may be referred directly to children's social care

YOU MUST MAKE THE DESIGNATED SAFEGUARDING LEAD AWARE

Designated Safeguarding Lead keeps concern form in secure, confidential safeguarding file.

Contact Details
 Social Care Referrals: 01522 782111
 Prevent/Channel Referrals: 01522 885350
 LADO 01522 554674
 NSPCC 0800 028 0285

IF THERE ARE ANY SAFEGUARDING CONCERNS AND YOU NEED TO SPEAK TO OUR SAFEGUARDING OFFICER IMMEDIATELY, PLEASE USE OUR OUT OF OFFICE NUMBER: 07341738686

