

Safeguarding guidance

At the Knowsley Volunteering Hub we place the safeguarding and well-being of volunteers, employees and people we support above anything else.



**Safeguarding is
Everyone's
Responsibility**

You may come across vulnerable adults or adults at risk of harm and they should never experience abuse of any kind. We want you to be alert to any signs or patterns of abuse or anything that may concern you and always raise your suspicions. Examples of areas of concern could be evidence of physical abuse, neglect, safety, mental health concern or simply that individual or family appears to be struggling and particularly vulnerable.



Be assured you will always be supported by the Hub and not raising your concerns is worse than raising a suspicion that is incorrect. If anyone tells you of any type of abuse then remain calm, listen and reassure them that it will be taken seriously. Don't promise confidentiality as you will need to speak to a limited number of people once you have this information and we ask that you ALWAYS report this to your coordinator at The Hub.