

What is Safeguarding?

Safeguarding means protecting someone's health, wellbeing, and rights.

If we protect people this means we can help them to live free from harm, abuse, and neglect.



Responsibility of Inspire North

Inspire North has a responsibility to ensure that all employees are aware of this guidance, the relevant procedures to be followed and to review and update them as required.

(Prevent, Respond and Learn)

We use a person-centred approach: for services to be effective they should be based on a clear understanding of the needs and views of adults.

People are supported and encouraged to make their own decisions and informed consent.

ABOUT INSPIRE NORTH

Inspire North is the parent organisation to charities providing award-winning and accredited mental housing and housing services across the north of England.

Our Vision:

Creating a World Where Everyone Matters

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A guide for Clients

Responsibility to our clients

All employees require a DBS check every 3 years for all employees and a minimum of 2 professional references

All employees are supervised, trained (every 3 years) and able to provide services within good practice guidelines.

All employees have training to prevent, recognise, respond and report abuse, neglect, and vulnerability to extremism and radicalisation.

Appropriate disciplinary investigation and action is taken in response to any concerns.

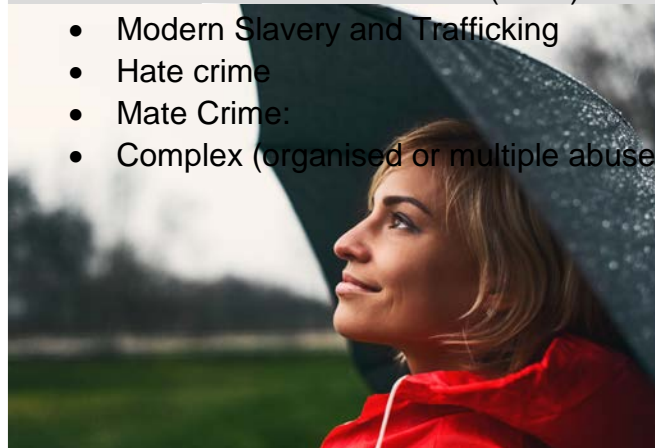
Clients are informed of how to voice concerns or complaints about an employee or service.

Abuse

Abuse can take many forms. Somebody may abuse or neglect an adult by inflicting harm, or by failing to act to prevent harm. The abuse may come from a partner, family member, a stranger, a professional, an institution or online.

Types of abuse include:

- Physical Abuse
- Emotional Abuse
- Sexual Abuse
- Domestic Abuse
- Online Abuse
- Neglect
- Self-Neglect
- Financial or Material Abuse
- Discriminatory Abuse
- Organisational Abuse
- Female Genital Mutilation (FGM)
- Modern Slavery and Trafficking
- Hate crime
- Mate Crime:
- Complex (organised or multiple abuse)



See Something



Say Something



Do Something



If you are experiencing, or believe you have witnessed someone else, being abused please tell your worker or someone within our services so we can take action.