

Is there an adult safeguarding concern?

An adult safeguarding concern is any worry about an adult who has or appears to have care and support needs, that they may be subject to, or may be at risk of, abuse and neglect and may be unable to protect themselves against this. NB where there are concerns about an adult at risk of or experiencing self neglect or hoarding follow adult safeguarding procedures. Where there are concerns involving children and young people. (Refer to child safeguarding procedures).

YES

Follow adult safeguarding procedures.
Email Safeguarding concerns referral form to:
safeguardingconcerns@iow.gov.uk
Phone: **01983 814980**

No

Are there concerns about an adult at risk of or experiencing unmanageable high risk due to factors outlined in A-G of the MARM Framework.
Click **here** for the MARM Framework.

YES

Does the adult at risk have mental capacity in relation to personal safety and welfare decisions?

No

Refer to alternative multi agency or single agency risk management processes.

YES

NO
Follow MCA and Best Interest approaches.

Convene a multi-agency risk meeting (MARM).

Lead Agency Manager arranges a MARM meeting.
(Refer to tools and templates).

Lead Agency Manager to ensure Making Safeguarding Personal (MSP).

MARM Meeting held, Chaired by Lead Agency Manager/suitable professional.

Risk Management Plan created and circulated to key agencies and shared with the adult.

Lead Agency to review Risk Management Plan.

Risk removed/reduced.

YES

Closed to MARM Framework or referred to alternative risk management process.

NO

Convene further MARM meeting or alternative multi-agency risk management processes.