

## TRUST SAFEGUARDING TEAM



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## What should I do if I have a safeguarding concern?

### Concerns about Children or Young People

- If you have any concerns relating to Child Protection or Safeguarding, please contact one of the schools designated officers immediately.
- **Chichester Office: Lisa Hardy**
- **Eastbourne Office: Kerry Guppy**

### Visiting the school?

- If you are a visitor to the Trust and need to report a concern, please contact the DSL  
[mtalbot@dcat.academy](mailto:mtalbot@dcat.academy)
- If a child or other person is at any immediate risk of harm, the first response should always be to call the police on 999. This policy applies to all adults, including volunteers, working in or on behalf of DCAT.

### Concerns about member of staff?

- If you have a concern about a member of staff or a volunteer, please contact the Trust DSL or alternatively a member of the Trust DSL team

### Concerns about the Executive Leadership Team

- If you have concerns about the ELT please contact Archdeacon Luke, Chair of the Trust Board ([archchichester@chichester.anglican.org](mailto:archchichester@chichester.anglican.org)) or the Local Authority Designated Officer (LADO).

Safeguarding is  
Everyone's  
Responsibility

## Useful contact numbers

### Children and young people

For additional help and support or to speak to someone independent of the school please call the MASH/SPOA team;

**East Sussex:** 01323 464222 [0-19.SPOA@eastsussex.gov.uk](mailto:0-19.SPOA@eastsussex.gov.uk)

**West Sussex:** [WestSussexSPOA@spft.nhs.uk](mailto:WestSussexSPOA@spft.nhs.uk)

**Hampshire:** 03005 551 373 [childrens.services@hants.gov.uk](mailto:childrens.services@hants.gov.uk)

**Bournemouth:** 01202 123 334 [childrensfirstresponse@bcpcouncil@gov.uk](mailto:childrensfirstresponse@bcpcouncil@gov.uk)

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### Staff and volunteers

To speak to someone independent of the school about concerns of staff or volunteers please call the Local Authority Designated Officer (LADO) on;

**East Sussex:** Sam Efde 07825 782 793

**West Sussex:** Miriam Williams & Donna Tomlinson – 03302 226450

**Hampshire:** Barbara Piddington, Fiona Armfield, Shona McMinn – 01962 876 364

**Bournemouth:** 01202 456 744

**IoW:** Barbara Piddington, Fiona Armfield, Mark Blackwell – 01962 876 364

