

Safeguarding Adult Review Model Options

Birmingham Safeguarding Adults Board (BSAB) is responsible for local Safeguarding Adult Reviews (SAR) and is committed to effective learning and improvement in practice as a result of serious or significant multi-agency incidents.

BSAB, in line with the Care Act 2014, recognise that there is a range of model options to support how to fulfil those responsibilities. Following a SAR referral, the SAR sub-group will decide whether the case meets the SAR criteria or not and subsequently which model is appropriate for the circumstances.

The incident causation model chosen will be the most proportionate approach using relevant resources. If the criterion for a SAR is not met or option 2 (criteria for SAR met) is not chosen, this can be reviewed and altered to a full traditional review at any time if circumstances indicate.

Cases meeting the SAR criteria will be monitored by the SAR sub-group including, the action plan which will then be fed back to BSAB. The method of feedback for cases not meeting the SAR criteria will be agreed by the SAR sub-group at the time of deciding the model.

Safeguarding Adult Review (SAR) Model Options			
CRITERIA FOR SAR MET		CRITERIA FOR SAR <u>NOT</u> MET	
Option 1	Table top review with root cause analysis (RCA) model from involved agencies are: > clear/complete > identifying key learning > identifying key actions > assurance to BSAB on key learning and implementation of action plans > Involving family where appropriate	Option 1	 Table top review style. All involved agencies have highlighted gaps, concerns, actions and learning: consider family and next steps (meeting to share information and ascertain views/wishes/concerns) all involved agencies to assure BSAB regarding implementation of actions/key learning key learning/outcomes inform local and wider policies and procedures and training is disseminated.
Option 2	Traditional full individual management review (IMR), analysis and action plan.	Option 2	One or more agencies need to undertake fuller review/analysis of their agency involvement/learning and assure BSAB. Feedback as per Option 1 (use own processes e.g. RCA, Serious Incident (SI) review or IMR template).