

## **Kingston LSCB Policy & Procedure Group**

**Update 26 Feb 2009**

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2. The Policy and Procedure Group met on 06/01/09 chaired by Lee Hopkins, Strategic Manager Safeguarding Services.
3. Work is continuing on drafting a procedure for dealing with adults who download child abuse images when there are children at home. We have arranged a meeting with a number of authorities to update and adapt an Essex resource pack with a view to this being adopted pan London through the London SCB.
4. The Children's Emergency Duty Team have now been issued with security fobs and trained in accessing the Kingston Integrated Children's System database.
5. Work continues on updating the Safeguarding – mental health protocol. This will be further discussed at the next liaison meeting on 08/12/08
6. Lee Hopkins met the chair of the local mosque management committee and presented the draft Child Protection Policy for Mosques and Madrassahs. The document was received favourably but we await a detailed response
7. The LSCB challenge and development day was held on 04 February and attended by 21 board members.
8. The final draft of hospital strategy protocol will be taken to the board for approval

### **Areas for Action**

1. Complete review of safeguarding - mental health protocols
2. Continue work on developing pan London procedures around adults who download child abuse images. Next meeting at London Councils 03/03/09
3. Continue work with mosque management committee on agreeing protocol.

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