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<b>Title of paper</b>	<b>CWHHE Safeguarding Annual Report 2017-18</b>			
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<b>Confidential</b>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Items are only confidential if it is in the public interest for them to be so

**The Governing Body is asked to:**

Note and approve the contents of this report, based on the endorsement from the NW London Quality and Performance Committee where it was presented on 18 October 2018.

**Summary of purpose and scope of report**

The attached Safeguarding Children and Adult Annual Report for 2017-18 provides the Governing Bodies of the CCGs with an overview and summary of Safeguarding activities across NHS Commissioned Health Services and within the CCG during 2017–18.

It highlights areas where improvements or the impact of national policy change will require the CCGs to ensure effective systems are in place to safeguard children and adults in the forthcoming year.

Each of the Safeguarding Boards of which the CCGs are a member are also required to produce an annual report to which the safeguarding team have contributed.

The priorities for 2018-19 reflect areas where improvements will further ensure that there are effective systems in place to safeguard children and adults for the CCGs. These are specific priorities for the CCGs and do not repeat the priorities agreed with each Safeguarding Board although the work will complement and fit into all partnership work.

The Executive Summary on page 3 provides an overview.

**What are the benefits of this project?**

It is a statutory requirement of CCGs to provide an Annual Safeguarding Report.

**Patient, staff and stakeholder engagement**

Not sought for this report

**Jargon buster**

CWHHE BAF – The Board Assurance Framework for Central London CCG, West London CCG, Hammersmith and Fulham CCG, Hounslow CCG and Ealing CCG.

**Quality & Safety**

This report identifies the extent to which the CCGs have sought assurance that their commissioned health services, encompassing Continuing Health Care, Funded Nursing Care, in partnership with the Safeguarding Boards and local authorities are effectively discharging their safeguarding functions for both children and adults.

**Equality analysis**

Effective safeguarding and patient safety are managed through quality service provision taking into consideration the rights of children and adults. Accordingly equality and diversity issues are considered at all levels and benchmarked against the Equality Act 2010.

**Finance and resources**

This is a report which in itself has no identifiable cost implications.

<b>Risk</b>	<b>Mitigating actions</b>
<p>This report is linked to Objective 1 of the CWHHE BAF ‘Securing high quality of services for patients and reducing the inequality gap’</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The risk in relation to safeguarding children is that failure to meet statutory responsibilities will lead to poor quality of care.</li> <li>- The risk in relation to adults is that failure to sustain compliance with the Care Act and NHS England Assurance Framework across all the services that we commission.</li> </ul> <p>The work of the safeguarding team contributes to the organisational objectives, relevant mitigating actions and the management of risk for contracted activities.</p>	<p>Issues and concerns are addressed via Provider contract monitoring meetings.</p>

**Supporting documents**

CWHHE CCG Safeguarding Annual Report 2017-2018

**Governance, reporting and engagement**

Name	Date	Outcome and where in the report can you find out more
NW London Quality and Performance Committee	18 October 2018	Endorsed for approval by the Governing Body

**Conflict of interest**

None identified.