

Unit Title: Principles of Safeguarding and Protection in Health and Social Care			
Level:	Two		
Credit Value:	3		
GLH:	26		
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This unit has 5 learning outcomes

LEARNING OUTCOMES The learner will:	ASSESSMENT CRITERIA The learner can:	
Know how to recognise signs of abuse.	 1.1. Define the following types of abuse: Physical abuse Sexual abuse Emotional/psychological abuse Financial abuse Institutional abuse Self neglect Neglect by others. 1.2. Identify the signs and/or symptoms associated with each type of abuse. 1.3. Describe factors that may contribute to an individual being more vulnerable to abuse. 	
2. Know how to respond to suspected or alleged abuse.	2.1. Explain the actions to take if there are suspicions that an individual is being abused.2.2. Explain the actions to take if an individual alleges that they are being abused.2.3. Identify ways to ensure that evidence of abuse is preserved.	



3.	Understand the national and local context of safeguarding and protection from abuse.	 3.1. Identify national policies and local systems that relate to safeguarding and protection from abuse. 3.2. Explain the roles of different agencies in safeguarding and protecting individuals from abuse. 3.3. Identify reports into serious failures to protect individuals from abuse. 3.4. Identify sources of information and advice about own role in safeguarding and protecting individuals from abuse.
4.	Understand ways to reduce the likelihood of abuse.	 4.1. Explain how the likelihood of abuse may be reduced by: working with person centred values encouraging active participation promoting choice and rights 4.2. Explain the importance of an accessible complaints procedure for reducing the likelihood of abuse.
5.	Know how to recognise and report unsafe practices.	5.1. Describe unsafe practices that may affect the well-being of individuals.5.2. Explain the actions to take if unsafe practices have been identified.5.3. Describe the action to take if suspected abuse or unsafe practices have been reported but nothing has been done in response.



Assessment

The grid below gives details of the assessment activities to be used with the unit attached. Please refer to the OCN London Assessment Definitions document for definitions of each activity and the expectations for assessment practice and evidence for verification.

P = Prescribed This assessment method *must* be used to assess all or part of the unit.

O = Optional This assessment method *could* be used to assess all or part of the unit.

Case Study	0	Project
Written question & answer/test/exam	Ο	Role play/simulation
Essay	Ο	Practical demonstration
Report	0	Group discussion
Oral question and answer	0	Performance/exhibition
Written description	0	Production of artefact
Reflective log/diary		Practice file