

## National Safeguarding Adults Awards 2022

This year the National Safeguarding Adults Week, coordinated by the Anne Craft Trust, will take place from 21/11/2022 to 27/11/2022, and we are excited to be able to say that, nationally, Safeguarding Adults Boards have agreed to work together to celebrate excellence in the field of adult safeguarding through a series of awards that we are seeking nominations of local excellence to consider for submission nationally.

Do you know a professional and/or team who:

- Are inspirational?
- Go above and beyond?
- Share their skills and expertise?
- Overcome barriers to make a real difference?
- Work in partnership with others?

The awards will cover the following eight categories:

- Empowerment Champion someone/team who has demonstrated empowering individuals
- Prevention Champion someone/team who has demonstrated and acted to prevent abuse or neglect
- Proportionality Champion someone/team who has demonstrated being balanced in their approach to ensure the least intrusive response
- Partnership Champion someone/team who has demonstrated working in partnership
- Accountability Champion someone/team who has demonstrated keeping others accountable, including themselves
- Protection Champion someone/team who has demonstrated protecting adults at risk
- Lifetime Award includes anyone who has demonstrated more than 20 years of experience in safeguarding adults
- Innovation includes all areas of where someone/team has been creative and set new ways of working with adults at risk

### How to make a nomination

Please send an **email detailing**:

- You details your name, the organisation you work for (if applicable) and your contact details
- The details of the professional/team you are nominating:
- The name of the professional/team
- Which award category the nomination is for (one per nomination)

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- Why the individual/team has been nominated. Please be very detailed as to why your nominee should win the award above all other nominees examples are welcome.
- The nominee's contact details, including their email
- If you have told the nominee that they are being nominated

#### All nominations should be received by no later than 5pm on Monday 05/09/2022.

### What happens with the Nominations?

All Nominations will be considered in their own merit, with awards and acknowledgements made during the National Safeguarding Adults Week in November 2022. The winners of the National Award may be recognised in a press release, photo opportunities and signed certificate.

Please note that this information will be processed by the SSAB for the sole purpose of collating nominations and, for those submitted nationally, the Bexley SAB which is collating all national nominations. Information will not be kept longer than required.