

# Liverpool **Safeguarding Children** Board



**This flow chart and guidance is designed to help you with the process when you are concerned that a child may be at risk of, or is, being abused.**

**Worker has concerns about welfare /safety of child**  
(An appropriate member of staff should discuss with child/family, unless to do so could lead to risk of harm to the child)

**Worker discusses with manager or other senior colleague as appropriate**

**There are child protection concerns**

**There are not child protection concerns. Worker should consider undertaking a CAF**

**Referral to Children's Services. Follow Safeguarding procedures**

**May need to ensure services are provided / undertake Lead Professional Role**

**Strategy discussion / assessment / child protection enquiry initiated** (including police, health, other agencies as appropriate)

**You may be involved / asked to provide information**