

Northumberland Child to Parent Violence and Abuse (CPVA) Pathway

CPVA identified (eg Child Concern Notifications, (CCN), Adult Concern Notification (ACN), Request for support)
CPVA screening completed by service identifying need

**Whoever is first notified, whether
Adult Social Care, Children's Social
Care or CPVA Gatekeeper**

Consider if threshold met to refer to Adult safeguarding. Consider if criteria met to do this without consent.

Consider is there is risk to child that needs referral to Children's Social Care. Consider if criteria met to do this without consent

Immediate Safeguarding criteria met for either child or adult or both

Discussion between Adults and Children's Social Care who will lead MASH

MASH
CYPS, Police and Adult Social Care must be involved*
If open to Children's social worker this will be a strategy meeting (lead by children's)

No immediate safeguarding

Consider referral into Adult services for support assessment

and

Triage by First Contact or inform allocated social worker notified or EHFV (if Triage not required)*

and

Alert Children's CPVA gatekeeper

*CPVA RIC must be completed once allocated a worker

Safeguarding Adults will lead on safeguarding enquiries: -

- 1) if there are no other children within the household
- 2) the adult at risk has adult social care needs
- 3) if the adult does not wish to proceed with safeguarding adults' procedures and there are concerns in relation to their mental capacity to make this specific decision.

Childrens Process



Adults Process



Significant Harm Risk Level

