

ADASS Spring Seminar

Safeguarding Adults

SCIE's contribution

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SCIE: Who we are

- Launched in October 2001 as one of the new national bodies
- Independent registered charity – funded by government
- Focus on practice
- 2008-11 Strategy:
 - **Capture** and co-produce knowledge about good practice
 - **Communicate** knowledge, evidence and innovation
 - **Challenge** poor practice.
 - SCIE will be a **catalyst** for transformation of services

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SCIE: How can we support the sector?

- **2006 Impact survey**
- **2007 challenge from Platt Report**
- ***Putting People First* challenge**
- **Working across adults and children**

SCIE: How far have we got?

- New model for identifying good practice
- New model for regional dissemination
- Independent sector focus on quality
- Journal
- Innovation

Safeguarding: next steps (national)

- SCIE Reference Group to inform DH review *No Secrets* (May 2008)
- SCIE new good practice guidance on older people and restraint
- SCIE 2008 refresh *Dignity in Care* practice guide 09 with new legal section

Safeguarding: next steps (regional)

- London Adult Protection Network (LAPN)
 - Vulnerable Groups Act 2008
 - Review of Research and policy
 - First report due July 2008
 - Wider circulation September 2008

Safeguarding: SCIE working with ADASS

- Using evidence from inspections
- Other sources of evidence
- Nine recent inspections and themes emerging
- SCIE contribution to practice improvement:
 - The evidence base on safeguarding
 - First line managers and their practice
 - Negotiated and relevant

SCIE's own transformation 2008-11

Three themes

- 1) Transformation of adult social services
- 2) Delivery of the Children's Plan
- 3) High status and innovative workforce

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