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**Requested:**

Would it be possible to know which people are on your quality and safeguarding adult's board and which organisations they represent?

I would also be interested to know if you have an integrated care team and or reablement team and who the manager, deputy and director are that are responsible for this service.

If you are able to supply this with their contact details I would be very grateful.

**Response:**

Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) confirms it does not have a specific quality and safeguarding adult's board. However, the UHB does have a Quality Safety & Experience Assurance Committee (QSEAC) which is held at Health Board level. Further information regarding QSEAC can be found on the UHB's webpage which can be accessed via the link provided below:

[Quality Safety and Experience Assurance Committee \(QSEAC\) - Hywel Dda University Health Board \(nhs.wales\)](https://www.nhs.uk/healthboards/hywel-dda-university-health-board/qseac)

In addition, the UHB holds internal meetings for both quality and safeguarding. The latter refers to the Strategic Safeguarding Working Group. This has memberships from heads of service who chair operational Safeguarding Delivery Groups and members of the corporate safeguarding team.

The UHB is also represented at the multi-agency Mid and West Wales Regional Safeguarding Board which is Chaired by Directors of Social Services. Further to this, we are also represented at operational multi-professional safeguarding meetings, with representatives from a number of agencies.

The UHB provides Integrated Care Services (ICS) across three (3) counties, Carmarthenshire, Ceredigion and Pembrokeshire. Each ICS locality works in conjunction with the LA, providing community services based on patient needs, ensuring the most appropriate care is received.

When supporting individuals, an enabling approach is adopted as a core ethos of services, to ensure that people are supported to be as independent as possible and the best possible outcomes are achieved.

The services provided by ICS include:

- Social care
- Community nursing
- Occupational therapy
- Physiotherapy

Each ICS team is managed by a County Director, with the Executive Director of Nursing, Quality and Patient Experience, Mandy Rayani, having overall responsibility and can be written to at the following address:

Corporate Offices, Ystwyth Building, Hafan Derwen, St David's Park, Job's Well Road, Carmarthen, Carmarthenshire, SA31 3BB or by email [Mandy.Rayani@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Mandy.Rayani@wales.nhs.uk)

The UHB confirms that it does not have a specific reablement team, it is a service provided by the LA. We would therefore recommend that you redirect this part of your request to the Freedom of Information Teams within each LA who may be able to help you with your enquiry:-

Information & Data Protection Officer, County Hall, Carmarthen, SA31 1JP or by email [foia@carmarthenshire.gov.uk](mailto:foia@carmarthenshire.gov.uk)

Complaints & Freedom of Information Team, Canolfan Rheidol, Rhodfa Padarn, Llanbadarn Fawr, Aberystwyth, Ceredigion, SY23 3UE or by email [foi@ceredigion.gov.uk](mailto:foi@ceredigion.gov.uk)

Information Governance Team, Pembrokeshire County Council, County Hall, Haverfordwest, Pembrokeshire, SA61 1TP or by email [FOI@pembrokeshire.gov.uk](mailto:FOI@pembrokeshire.gov.uk)