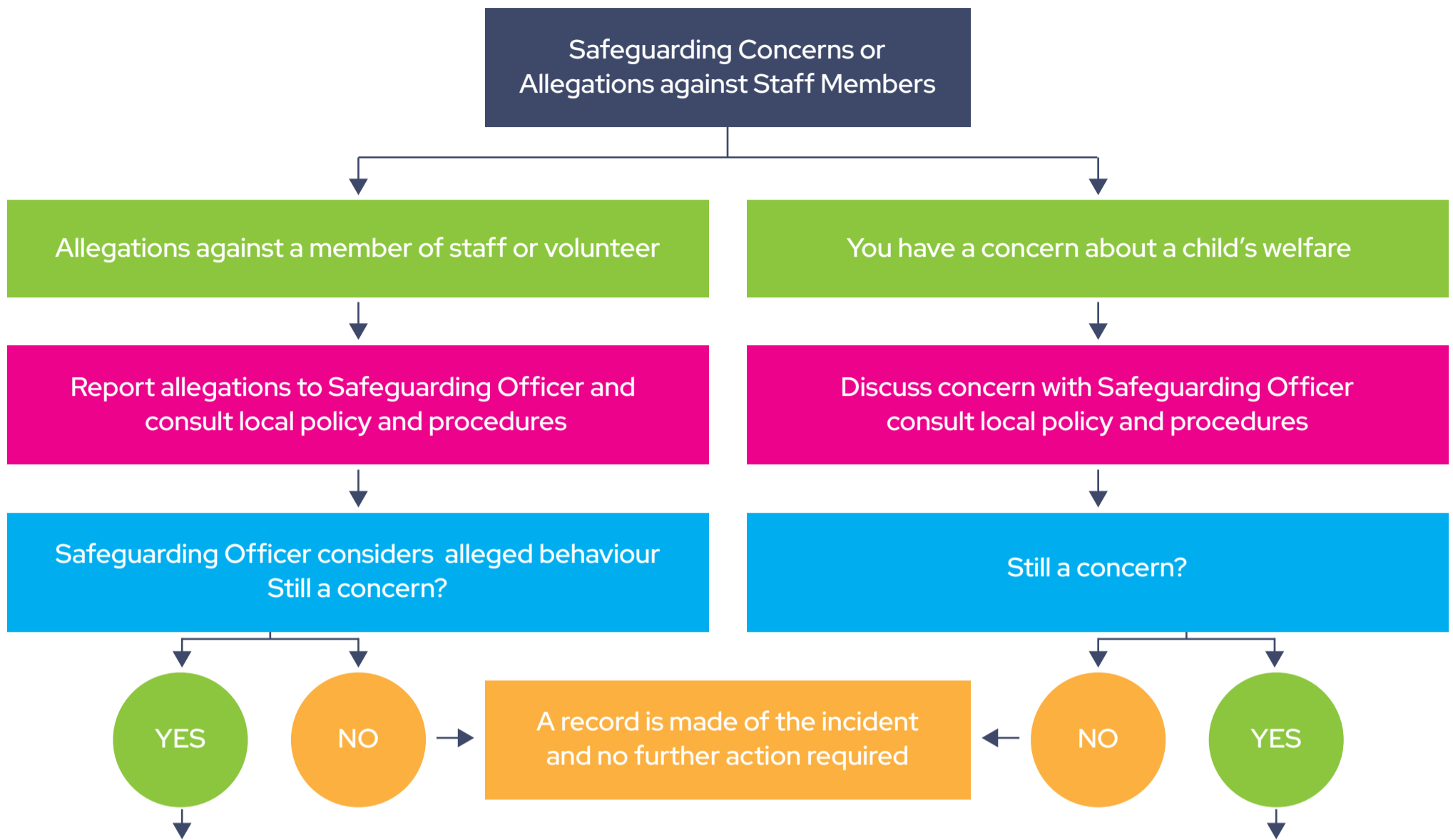


SAFEGUARDING PROCEDURES



Safeguarding Officer Contacts

Children's Advice & Support Service (previously First Response)
 0300 111 8007 Out of hours: 0345 604 2286
 Stoke on Trent
 01782 235100 Out of hours: 01782 234234



Staffordshire
**Safeguarding
 Children Partnership**



Local Authority Designated Officer (LADO) contacts Safeguarding Officer if allegation does not meet the threshold of significant harm

- Police Investigation
- LADO Position of Trust meeting
- Employer's Action (inc Disciplinary)

LADO retains individual case information, tracks progress and monitors activities to help bring about fair, robust and proportionate outcomes

Staffordshire Children's Advice & Support Service Or Children's Advice & Duty Service who will decide on the next course of action

- Behaved in a way that has harmed a child or may have harmed a child
- Possibly committed a criminal offence against or related to a child
- Behaved towards a child or children in a way that indicates he or she would pose a risk of harm if they work regularly or closely with children
- For allegations against a member of staff or volunteer consider poor practice implications, further training or disciplinary processes

Further support for families can be sought from these agencies
 NSPCC 0808 800 5000
 SCVYS 01785 240378 www.staffscvys.org.uk



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