

A Guide to Adult Protection Case Conferences



Adult Support & Protection:
Ensuring Rights and Preventing Harm

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ACT AGAINST HARM

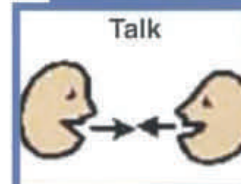
What is a Case Conference?

It is a meeting about your safety. It could also be about your health, how you feel or about money.



What will happen during the meeting?

We will talk about how safe you are.



It is important that you talk about or let us know how you feel.



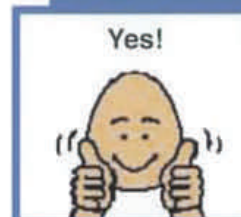
Symbols or photos can be used. A plan will be made to help and protect you from harm.



Do I have to go to the meeting?

You can decide if you want to go to the meeting or not. You may like someone to go to the meeting with you. You could ask:

- a friend or family member
- an independent advocate. An advocate is someone to help you speak up.



If you do not want to go to the meeting, you could ask:

- an independent advocate to tell the meeting how you feel
- the chairperson to meet with you before the meeting
- the chairperson will listen to your views.

No



Chairperson



Who might be there with you?

Chairperson



Social Worker



Family



Doctor



Advocate



Care Worker



Nurse



Police



All the people at the meeting are there to help you, it is unlikely that anyone who has harmed you will be at the meeting.

What will happen after the meeting?

Your lead worker will meet with you. They will talk to you about the meeting and talk about your Plan. There might be another meeting to make sure you are safe and well.

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