## Diocese of Derby Safeguarding: What to do if you have safeguarding concerns



## **General advice**

people who attend

services, groups or

activities; anyone else...

- Remember you may be in just the right place at just the right time to help protect someone or to prevent harm
- Your role is not to investigate
- Always put the welfare of the child, young person or adult first when deciding what to do
- Listen carefully, make a clear record of what you are concerned about and what you have seen or heard; date and time this record
- If in doubt: share the information you have with someone who has a safeguarding role and who you trust
- If you continue to have concerns: keep raising them; speak to someone else listed above