

Early Help Newsletter

SUPPORT AND ADVICE SERVICES IN MID AND EAST DEVON

Knowing where to look for a specific support service or where to go for advice can be difficult. We are compiling several newsletters for the various areas we as professionals encounter which will provide details of organisations and support agencies who may be able to help with advice and guidance. This newsletter focuses on Domestic Violence and Abuse guidance and support

Domestic Abuse Guidance and Support

- **Splitz (Devon Domestic Abuse Services) - www.splitz.org 0345 155 1074**
 - Countywide commissioned service by Devon County Council
 - High-risk cases allocated an IDVA (Independent *Domestic Abuse* Advisors); Young Person IDVA; Safety and Resilience IDVA
 - Helpdesk for advice
 - Pattern changing course for victims
 - Legal and housing advice
 - Call direct
- **SAFE (Exeter) - www.safe-services.org.uk**
 - Covers Exeter and east Devon
 - Flourishing Families (was Project 30) course for victims and children
 - Call direct or submit Request for Additional Services (RfAS)
 - Pattern changing
 - DART support for families

- **Domestic Abuse Counselling Support (DACS) - www.dacsnd.co.uk 07561 191201**
 - Based in north Devon
 - Support accessed through Early Help triage
- **More Positive Me - www.morepositiveme.co.uk.**
 - Operates in south Devon
 - Pattern changing
- **National Abuse Domestic Helpline – www.nationaldahelpline.org.uk 0808 2000 247**
- **National Centre for Domestic Violence - www.ncdv.org.uk/contact 0800 970 2070**

SAFEGUARDING ADVICE

- Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH) – 0345 155 1071
- Professional consultation line
- Submit enquiries for social worker consideration
- **MARAC (Multi-agency risk assessment conference) held monthly to discuss high-risk cases which have SPLITZ IDVAs attached to them**
Professionals such as police, IDVA, etc take cases for discussion



Children's mental health:

Children and Adolescents Mental Health Service (CAMHS)

www.childrenandfamilyhealthdevon.nhs.uk/camhs 0330 0245 321

Emergencies: call 999 immediately

For Domestic Violence and Abuse Support within Early help please speak to our DV Early help Connector:

Paul Norris: paul.norris@devon.go.uk

Don't forget!!

PINPOINT

A Great resource to see what services, provisions and community groups are available across Devon

www.pinpointdevon.co.uk