Welcome to your safeguarding training.

You have been allocated to attend the virtual safeguarding education for 2025/26, read on for more information on how to participate.

As I'm sure you are aware safeguarding is a pillar of effective and safe practice in healthcare. With this in mind and considering the guidance from Working Together to Safeguard Children (2023), The Care Act (2014), and The Royal Collage of Nursing Intercollegiate Documents all clinical colleagues that interact with our patients need to be working at an enhanced level of safeguarding practice.

Safeguarding is a complex topic requiring a wide range of skills and knowledge to practice effectively. Given the intricacies of both adult and child safeguarding the intercollegiate recommendations are for education to be delivered by experts in the field. To achieve this the Trust has decided to use a virtual classroom platform to ensure that you can receive this education from members of the safeguarding team.

The content of the day is designed to both provide an update on contemporary safeguarding practice and allow you the chance to participate in an interactive classroom community that will support your learning and confidence.

To join the virtual classroom, you will need...

- Internet connection – preferably Wi-Fi
- A device, with a camera - capable of running MS Edge, Google Chrome or similar
- Follow this link for log in in FAQs and troubleshooting https://swastcpd.co.uk/development-day-core-skills-2022/
- Please dial in for **0830**. The day will end approximately **1630**.
- The meeting joining instructions will have been emailed to you by ROC.
- If you are using your trust issued i-pad, please make sure that it, and all the apps installed, are up to date. It's of upmost importance that your Teams app is up to date as well.

If any of this poses a problem, please contact Learning and Development Administration Team Who help to ensure that you can access this training.

Additionally, if you have any learning support needs don't forget the education support service at Learning Support Resources - SWAST CPD