

What to do if you are concerned

Concerns about a child or vulnerable adult's welfare

Concerns about an adult involved in the Church

Do not discuss with the child, child's Parent or Carer or the Adult involved. Make notes of what has actually been said. Do not express an opinion.

Discuss with Child Protection Officer

Is this a Child Protection Issue?

Still have concerns
Child Protection Officer discusses with Vicar or other appropriate person if Vicar absent.

No longer have concerns
No further child protection action required.

Still have concerns?

Consider if there is any one available to offer support which would be helpful

Child Protection Officer speaks to Social Services, or if Social Services unavailable speaks to the Police

Name of Child Protection Officer.....
Contact Number.....
Nearest Social Services Office.....
Nearest Police Station.....