



Appendix B

Model – Church Safeguarding Poster

The following statement has been agreed by the leadership of *[insert name of church]* on *[date]*

We are committed to following legislation, government and URC's policy and good practice guidelines on safeguarding children and adults in need of protection, including safer recruitment of workers.

We work to a formal safeguarding policy and it can be seen on request from:

If you have any concerns about the safety or welfare of a child you can speak to our Safeguarding Co-ordinator (for children)

Name Contact number

If you have any concerns about the safety or welfare of an adult in need of protection you can speak to our Safeguarding Co-ordinator (for adults at risk)

Name Contact number

Those named above have been appointed and commissioned by the Leadership Team in this place of worship to respond to any safeguarding concerns

Signed

Dated

OTHER USEFUL CONTACTS

Synod Safeguarding Officer name & contact details

Local authority Children's Services

Local authority Adult Social Services

Childline **0800 1111**

NSPCC **0808 800 5000**

Stop It Now! (Child Sexual Abuse Prevention Charity) **0808 1000 900**

Action on Elder Abuse **0808 808 8141**

Through the Roof (Christian Charity working with disabled people) **01372 749955**

National Association for People Abused in Childhood (NAPAC) **0808 801 0331**

National Domestic Violence Helpline **0808 2000 247**

ThirtyOne:Eight **0303 003 1111**

