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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2012 No. 324**

The Safeguarding Board for Northern Ireland  
(Membership, Procedure, Functions and  
Committee) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2012

[<sup>F1</sup> PART 4

The Case Management Review Panel

**Textual Amendments**

- F1** Words in reg. 2 inserted (1.4.2013) by [The National Treatment Agency \(Abolition\) and the Health and Social Care Act 2012 \(Consequential, Transitional and Saving Provisions\) Order 2013 \(S.I. 2013/235\)](#), art. 1(2), [Sch. 2 para. 178\(2\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)

**Appointment of Chair and members of the Case Management Review Panel**

- 34.** For the purposes of section 7(4)(a) of the Act—
- (a) the Safeguarding Board shall appoint a Chair of the Case Management Review Panel who must also be a member of the Safeguarding Board; and
  - (b) the Safeguarding Board shall appoint the members specified in paragraphs (1)(b) to (e) of regulation 35.

**Membership of the Case Management Review Panel**

**35.** For the purposes of section 7(5) of the Act the Case Management Review Panel shall include—

- (a) a Chair appointed in accordance with regulation 34(a);
- (b) a person nominated from each of the following persons or bodies—
  - (i) the Regional Health and Social Care Board;
  - (ii) the Police Service of Northern Ireland;
  - (iii) the Probation Board for Northern Ireland;
  - (iv) the Youth Justice Agency;
  - (v) an education and library board;
- (c) a paediatrician;
- (d) a Designated Nurse for Safeguarding Children; and
- (e) an Assistant Director of Children's Services of a HSC trust.

### **Meetings and proceedings of the Case Management Review Panel**

**36.** The meetings and proceedings of the Case Management Review Panel shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions set out in Schedule 5.

### **Annual report of the Case Management Review Panel**

**37.—**(1) The Case Management Review Panel must, in respect of each financial year, prepare and send to the Safeguarding Board a report on the exercise of its functions which shall include—

- (a) the numbers of case management reviews undertaken (in accordance with regulation 17);
- (b) a summary of all practice learning points from Case Management Reviews completed during the year, together with an assessment of the extent to which practice has changed as a result; and
- (c) any material events affecting performance.

(2) In paragraph (1)(b) “practice learning point” means a finding of a case management review which, if implemented, will lead to improvement in practice for the purpose of safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children.

### **Functions of the Case Management Review Panel**

**38.** The functions of the Case Management Review Panel shall include—

- (a) holding a case management review in such circumstances as are described in regulation 17(2) and (3); and
- (b) establishing arrangements for sharing the findings of case management reviews.]

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Safeguarding Board for Northern Ireland (Membership, Procedure, Functions and Committee) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2012, PART 4.