YMCA TAUNTON

Safeguarding explained

Young people's safety and wellbeing is the most important thing to us and we work hard to keep you safe - that's safeguarding.

To help us do this we ask you follow these steps.

Look and listen - if you see or hear something that makes you feel worried or uncomfortable, tell a member of YMCA staff.

Not stopping? Speak out -If someone is asking you to do something, and won't take no for an answer then speak out - tell a member of YMCA staff.

Unsure if they're acting ok? - If you are not comfortable with how anyone is acting, whatever age, if you know them or not tell a member of YMCA staff.

Who should I tell? -All YMCA staff will listen to your concerns, but we have three staff who are specialists in safeguarding, these are:



SARAH MILTON

Designated Safeguarding

Lead

Early Years & Young People



CLARE LANGLEY

Deputy Designated
Safeguarding Lead
Young People & Adults



Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead Early Years

I can't tell them - if you're concern is about one of the YMCA staff members listed, you can speak to Chair of trustees via reception or you can go directly to the local authority by phoning: 0300 123 2224

if there is an immediate danger then please contact the police on 101 or 999.

Here at **YMCA Taunton** we work hard to maintain a 'culture of safety', protecting all from abuse and harm in every area of service delivery.