



Funder Safeguarding Collaborative

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SUPPORT

All funders, large and small, should have access to high-quality expertise to support their efforts to keep people safe. The FSC offers a range of flexible, fee-based support, which is tailored to the specific needs of funders.

Additional Member Benefits

All members who make an **annual financial contribution** to the FSC will have access to:

- **The Ask Any Time Advice Line** providing immediate advice on any aspect of safeguarding.
- **A community of practice for safeguarding leads** that provides peer support and explores the practical challenges of promoting safeguarding and managing concerns.

The recommended minimum contribution for access to this additional support is £1,000. In line with our commitment to promoting diverse and inclusive membership, funders who are able to make a larger contribution are encouraged to do so, as this will enable the FSC to subsidize additional support for smaller funders.

Bespoke Consultancy Support

The FSC offers bespoke support to funders on everything from policy development to integrating safeguarding into the grantmaking cycle. The scope of work is tailored to the needs of each individual institution and formalized through separate contracts with the FSC.

Meet Our Team



FSC Director **Karen Walker-Simpson** started her career working with children in care in the UK before moving to Ecuador to run a local NGO offering services to street-working children and their families. Karen spent the last eight years as a Safeguarding Specialist for international NGOs working across Africa, Asia, and Latin America before moving to Comic Relief as the organization's Head of Safeguarding. Karen has recently completed doctoral research examining the effectiveness of safeguarding standards and donor requirements when applied by NGOs in East Africa. Karen is fluent in Spanish. Day Rate: £750

WATCH THIS SPACE! We recognize how important it is to offer support from experts with knowledge and experience across diverse programmatic areas and geographical contexts. Over the next six months, we will be recruiting a team of FSC associates with a broad range of experience that reflects the needs of our members. Fees will be charged based on the experience and location of the consultant.

Modular Training Program

The FSC modular training program will cover all aspects of safeguarding, from assessment to the management of safeguarding concerns.

WATCH THIS SPACE! We plan to launch our training program in October 2021. Details on course content, fees, and availability will be shared on our website.