

# British Weight Lifting's Commitment to Safeguarding



## BWL Safeguarding Policy

British Weight Lifting is committed to promoting the safety and welfare of children and young people engaged in sporting activities locally. It aims to contribute to safeguarding children and young people by:

- 1.1 Applying the safeguarding principles and practices in 'Working Together 2023'
- 1.2 Influencing and advocating at a strategic level
- 1.3 Implementing and demonstrating best safeguarding practice when core staff and others working directly under the auspices of British Weight Lifting are providing services, activities and programmes for children and young people
- 1.4 Working with partners to establish and implement agreed, consistent minimum safeguarding standards for sports activities locally
- 1.5 Requiring those individuals or organisations that are funded or commissioned to provide any services for children and young people to effectively address safeguarding requirements
- 1.6 Maximising its influence to promote safeguarding practice and principles within its wider partnership roles and relationships

**If you have a safeguarding concern contact the BWL Lead Safeguarding Officer  
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