

Club Safeguarding Officer Forum FAQ's

If I have a DBS from England will this cover me in Wales?

The disclosure and barring service is a check carried out for people living in or working in Wales, England and the Channel Islands.

If there is an incident of a serious nature, who do I contact, or can this be dealt with instantly by myself as the safeguarding officer?

In a safeguarding related matter, club safeguarding officers can contact their county lead officer or the BowlsWales lead officer. However, in the event of a serious incident that requires immediate action, this can be dealt with by a club safeguarding officer who can contact the relevant authorities such as the police.

If a club is hosting primary schools, will the teacher accompany the children require a DBS?

All teachers as part of their role will be fully DBS checked. When a school attends a club during school hours with a teacher, while the facility has a form of duty of care the full responsibility will be the teachers.