BROMLEY SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN BOARD

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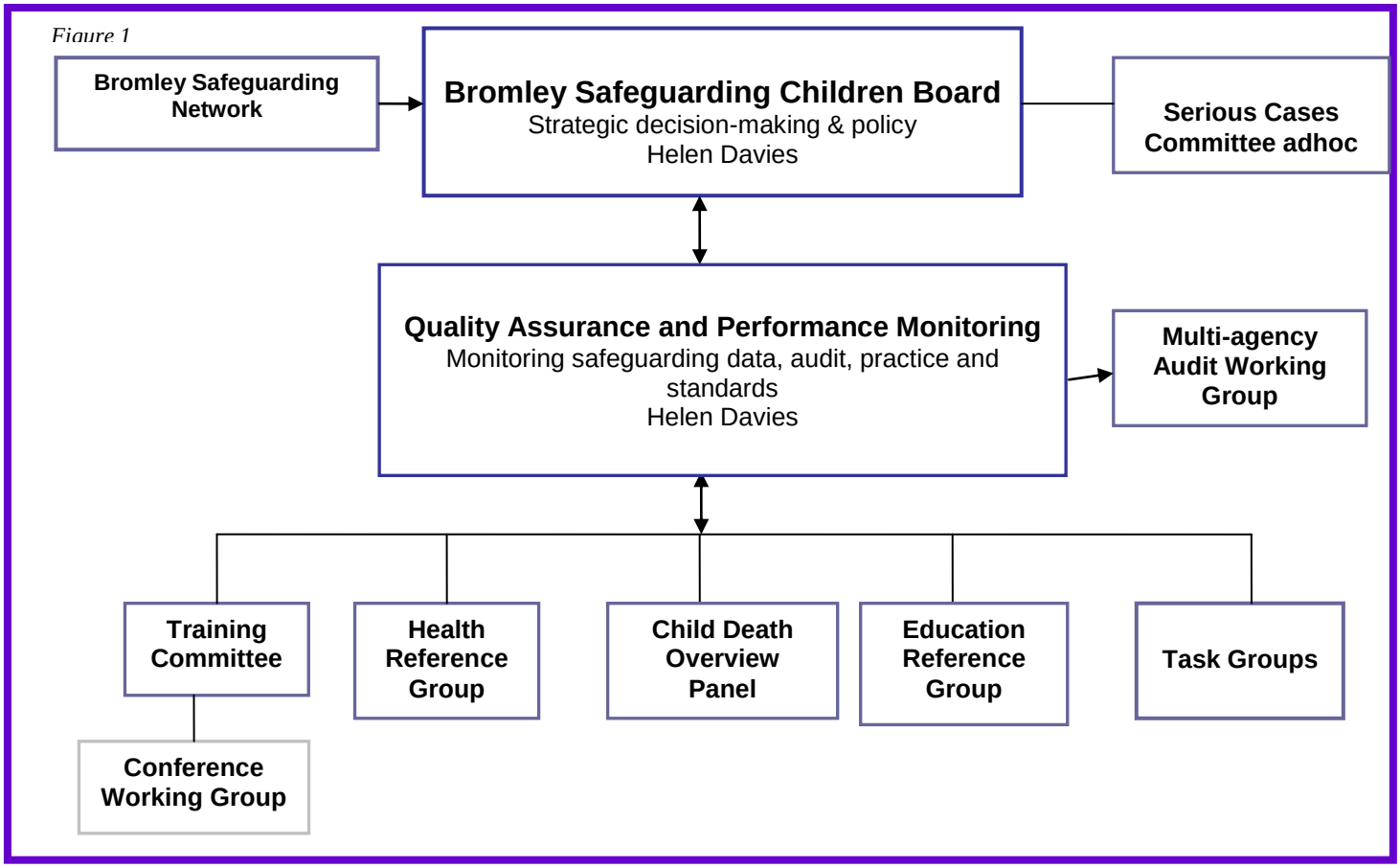

The Board
This will comprise approximately 18 members from the key statutory partners and include lay member and council member representation (the latter as a participant observer). Representation will be at Director and Assistant Director level. Professional Advisers will be available as required. Four meetings a year.

Quality Assurance and Performance Monitoring Committee
This will be chaired by the Board's Independent Chairperson and will comprise approximately 18 members. It's focus will be on quality and improvement in safeguarding, with a particular focus on analysing the outcomes for children and young people. Members will include key service heads from partner agencies and Named and Designated safeguarding professionals. This group will be supported by a Multi-agency audit group which will conduct and report on audits and case reviews on its behalf. Six meetings a year.

The Training Committee
Comprising approximately 12 members, this committee will continue to have oversight of the interagency training programme, establishing training needs, monitoring single agency safeguarding training plans, evaluating training and analysing its impact. Two meetings per annum.

Health & Education Safeguarding Reference Groups
These two separate groups are facilitated by their constituent agencies and will continue to provide a forum for the sectors to share good practice, co-ordinate policy and procedure and to work coherently on the issues affecting the sector.

Bromley Safeguarding Network
The composition of this group will be akin to that of the Main Board, however its status will change and it will not be formally constituted. Having served its original purpose of establishing a safeguarding network and procedure within Bromley, the focus now will be to maintain the network through sharing key messages, learning and good practice. The Board will facilitate seminars, briefings and forums to ensure that this excellent network continues.