



## Deputy Diocesan Safeguarding Officer

Do you have a passion for safeguarding and **inspire confidence in others?**  
Are you an experienced safeguarding professional with a **heart for protecting children and adults?**

The Diocese of Carlisle is looking for an

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To be based in Penrith who will

- Manage a caseload responding to, assessing, and managing safeguarding concerns or allegations
- Support the development of safeguarding arrangements, good practice, policy, and training.
- Support the DSO with the implementation of the Parish Safeguarding Dashboard.
- Ensure those who pose a risk are appropriately supported and managed.

This is a part-time position, 28 hours per week, however, we welcome discussion around part time working.  
Salary: £43,525 FTE + 15% non-contributory pension (pro rata based on 35-hour week).

This post will require an Enhanced DBS check.

Closing date for applications: **Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2025 at 9.00am**

Interviews: in Penrith on **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2025**.

For an informal conversation, please contact Joanna Van Lachterop (Diocesan Safeguarding Officer) on 07458 016884 or email [safeguarding.adviser@carlisle-diocese.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding.adviser@carlisle-diocese.org.uk)

The Diocese of Carlisle is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable adults. All post holders and volunteers are expected to share this commitment.

For the role description & Application form please visit <https://www.carlisle-diocese.org.uk/vacancies/>

