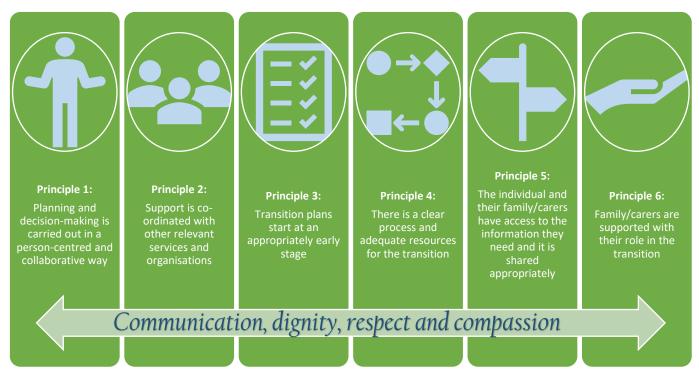


Supporting safe transitions in the Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead

The Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead Safeguarding Partnership recognises that individuals will go through a **variety of transitions** throughout their lives. Transitions can take many forms, including between schools, from children's services to adult services, from home to hospital, from education into work, from custody to prison.

All agencies in the Safeguarding Partnership have committed to ensuring that the transition experience, wherever that happens, is a **positive and safe one** for every resident.

Through the use of a range of case studies and listening to the experiences of people of all ages, the Partnership has established a **set of principles** that will underpin the work of agencies involved in every transition:



We **expect** any resident, who is experiencing a transition either between or within organisations and services in the Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead, to be:

- ✓ Involved and engaged in what's happening at every stage.
 - ✓ Provided with support that meets their needs
 - ✓ Kept safe
- \checkmark Working with staff with the right skills to do their jobs properly, in the right place
 - ✓ Confident that any feedback they provide will be positively acted upon.

Every organisation operating in the borough will be expected to report on the quality of their transition work using the agreed principles tool, as part of their **annual assurance report** to the Safeguarding Partnership.