



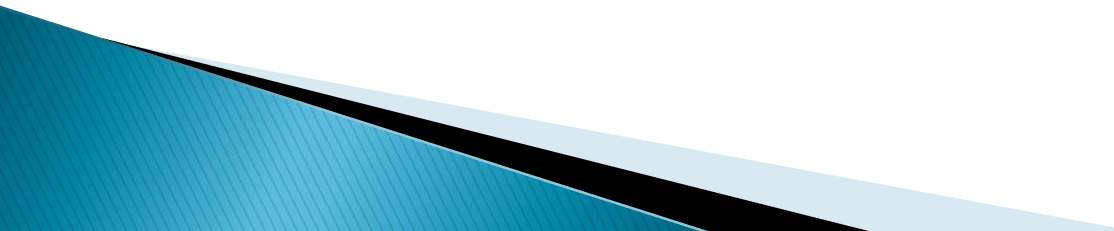
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# VAWG Commissioning in Three London Boroughs: A Partnership Approach to getting it right. First time, every time

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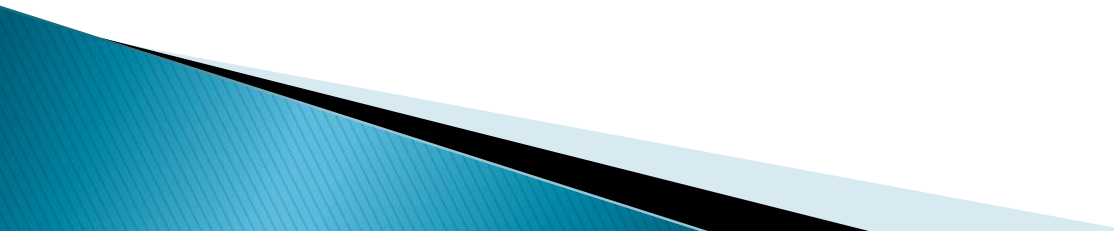
# Outline

- ▶ Background
  - ▶ Drivers
  - ▶ Differences
  - ▶ Learning
  - ▶ Wider response
  - ▶ Further innovation
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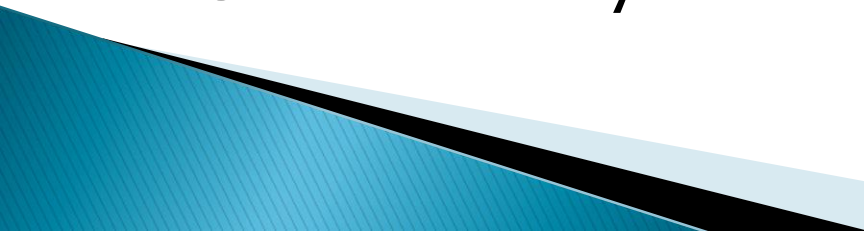
# What is the Tri-Borough?

- ▶ In 2010, we decided to:

*“...combine services to tackle common problems, improve people's lives and make public money go further”*

- ▶ Ambitious programme
  - ▶ Supported by robust business case
  - ▶ Not without its challenges
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# What was our business case?

- ▶ Same priority, services, and providers
  - ▶ Commitment to CCR
  - ▶ London Crime Prevention Fund
    - Four years!
    - Outcome focussed!!
    - Reward innovation!!!
    - **FOUR YEARS!!!!**
  - ▶ Needs assessment and consultation
  - ▶ Concurrently!!!!!!
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# What do we have that's different?



# What did we learn from this?

- ▶ Openness & Transparency
- ▶ Flexibility
- ▶ Be realistic
- ▶ Focus on survivors
- ▶ Outreach / Step down
- ▶ Appropriate spaces
- ▶ No wrong door
- ▶ Risk led > Needs led
- ▶ Value of specialisms

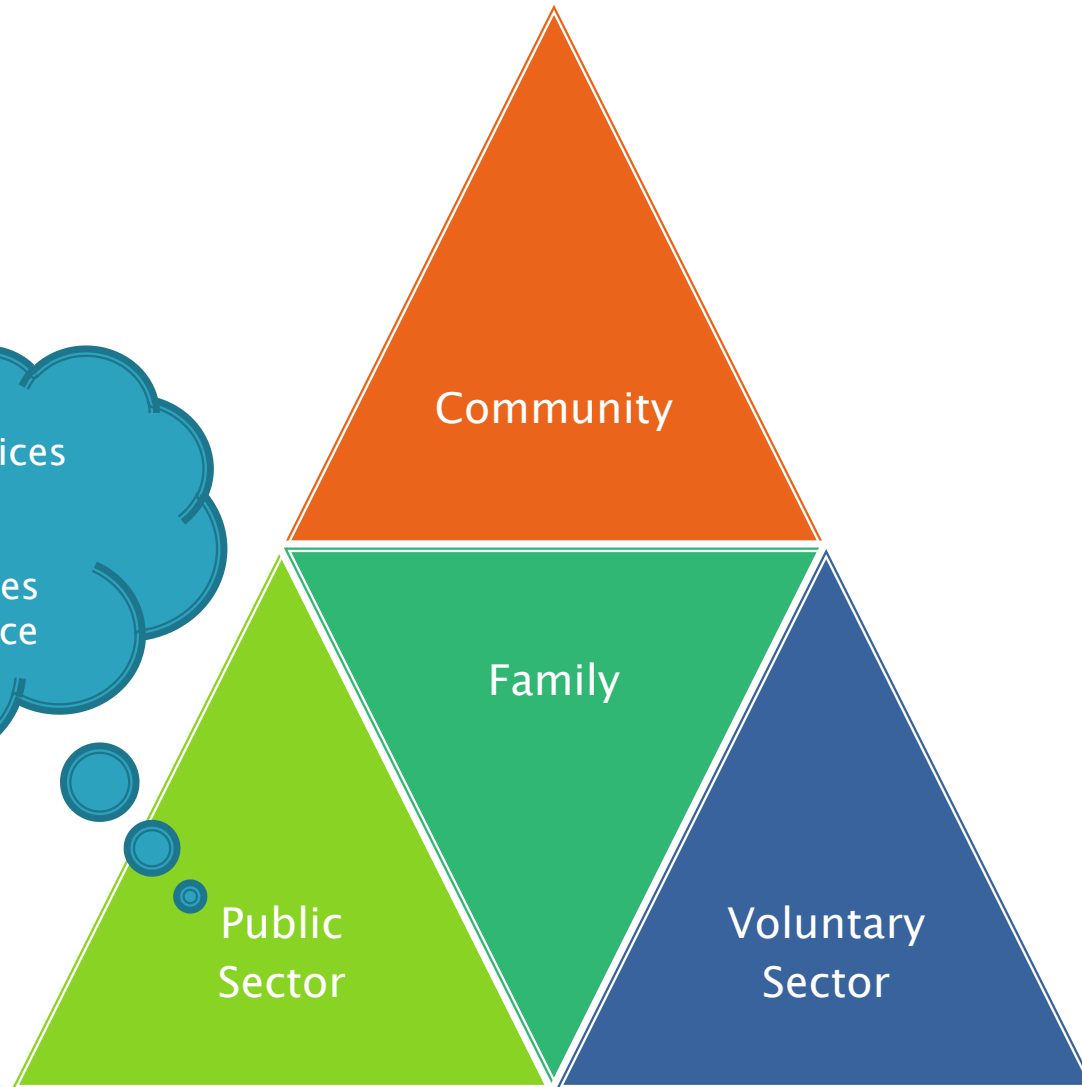
Process

Provision

# Coordinated Community Response (CCR)

- ▶ Every agency must work effectively within their own agency *and* with other agencies to secure the safety of the victim and their children and hold perpetrators to account.
- ▶ The broadest response – addressing risk and need:
  - Prevention
  - Early intervention
  - Dealing with crisis and risk fluctuation
  - Long term recovery and safety

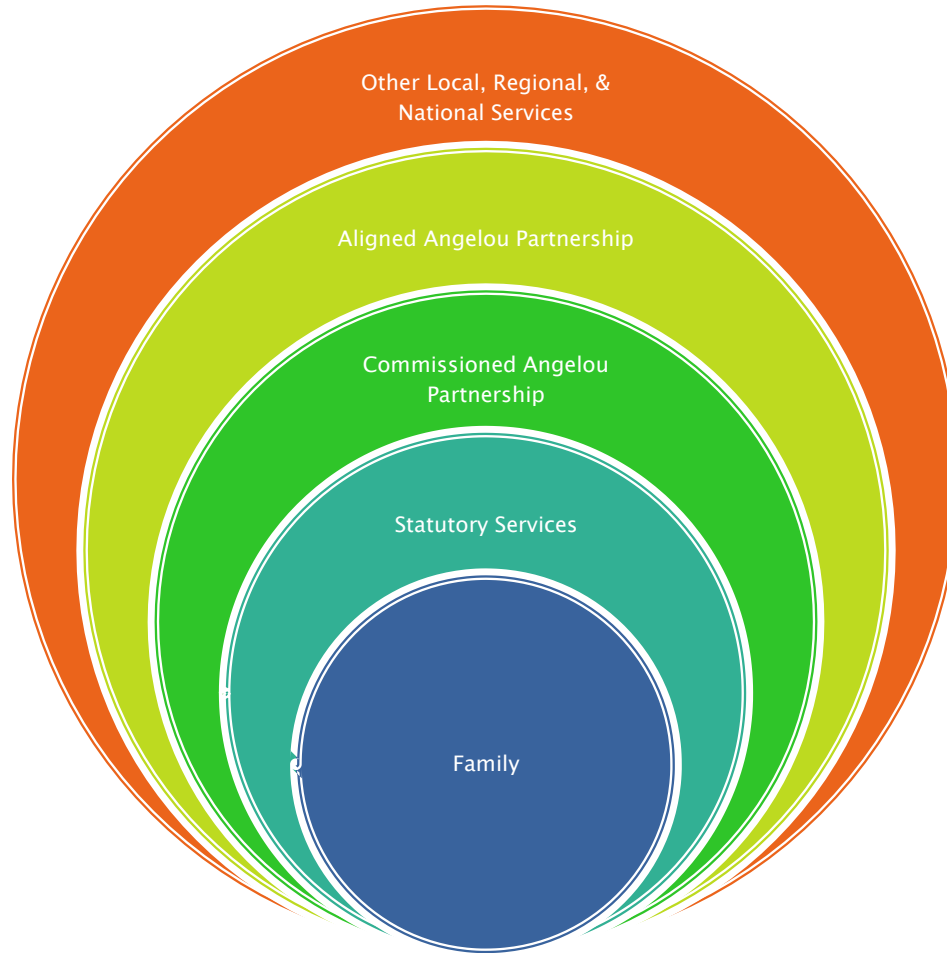
# Who is involved?



Children's Services  
Housing  
Health  
Adult's Services  
Criminal Justice

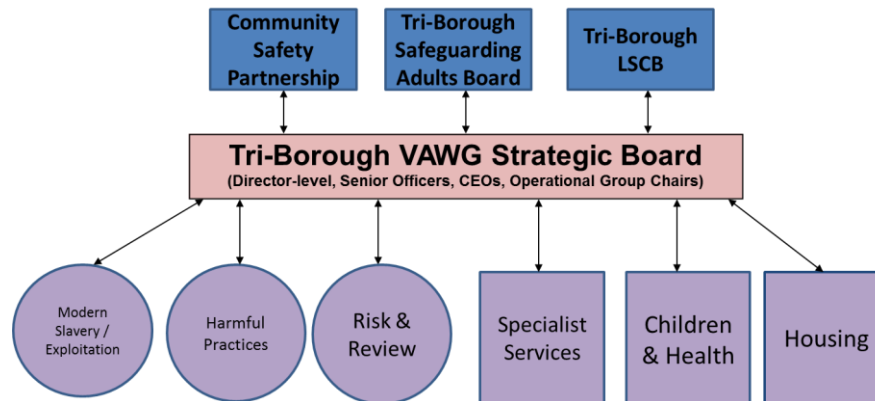


# Strategic commissioning



# Local innovation / enhancement

- ▶ Standing Together on our doorstep
- ▶ Tri-Borough attraction



- ▶ Forward thinking and capacity for development
- ▶ Sustainability

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