**Appendix 6**

**Greater Manchester SAR Cross Boundary Flowchart**

A GM Partnership decides to scope case for SAR and identifies possible GM cross border involvement.

The host partnership contacts the relevant Safeguarding Business Unit in other GM area(s) to notify them of the review, identifying agencies in their area that may have had involvement. Host partnership asks the relevant Safeguarding Business Unit to request chronologies from their local agencies, plus any other agency known to be involved. Host area provides templates/deadlines for completion.

Agency/s produce completed chronologies which are SENT DIRECTLY to the host Business Unit.

Relevant Safeguarding Business Unit in other GM area(s) to provide list of agency contacts to host partnership for them to chase any outstanding chronologies.

Host SAB conducts SAR screening and notifies Safeguarding Business Unit in other GM area of the DECISION and of any actions or future involvement in the process where appropriate.

While SAR is underway, host SAB provides updates on progress at key points.

Before the draft report, recommendations or any action plans are signed off by the host SAB, it is shared with the relevant Safeguarding Business Unit in other GM area, where agencies may have been involved so that they can contribute to and inform the final report. The report should be presented to the other GM area’s SAB preferably by the SAR author/chair and/or business manager prior to publication

Prior to publication the host LSAB advises the relevant Safeguarding Business Unit when the review and any associated briefings will be published and provides a copy of final redacted publication.