

Dear all

We are about to kick off in earnest two separate but linked pieces of work. They are:

To review our policy and instructions for customers who declare an intention to suicide or self-harm; and To put in place a policy and instructions around safeguarding arrangements for citizens who DWP staff feel may be at risk of harm.

We have identified you as stakeholders who will have an interest in this work. If you feel you shouldn't be a stakeholder, please let me know, and please advise me if you think I should include another colleague instead. In addition, if you feel anyone is missing from this list, please let me know.

We will be coming out to you shortly with the policies and instructions mentioned above for you to impact. We may do this direct or through In addition, members of the drafting team (copied into this email) may approach you with queries in the meantime.

Many thanks and very happy of course to answer any queries you may have. Best wishes.

Sue

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