



**paul aldus**

Paul is a former Detective Inspector with over 31 years service. His varied career has included roles in general CID, covert units and counter terrorism, and he has spent a number of years as the head of a number of Child Abuse Investigation Units.

In his role as a Senior Investigating Officer (S.I.O), he has led a number of child homicide investigations, and concluded his police career as head of the constabulary's investigative training department, overseeing all detective training and personally delivering the national training for S.I.Os.

He is additionally a qualified National Police Trainer and holds an Adult and Further Education Teachers Certificate.

- Worked extensively with other multi-agency public and private sector agencies and professionals, participated in a variety of local, regional and national level working groups and been involved at a strategic level in relation to policy and protocol development in a number of areas.
- A member of five Local Safeguarding Children Boards, Vulnerable Adult Safeguarding Boards and chaired both LSCB sub groups and Level 2 Multi-agency Public Protection Risk Management Conferences in relation to dangerous and registered sex offenders.
- Was responsible for the investigation and writing of individual management reviews and as a member of LSCB overview in relation to Serious Case Reviews (SCRs) including overseeing the implementation of the resultant recommendations.
- Involved in the research and innovation, of The Avon and Somerset Multi-agency Protocol for the Management and Investigation of Sudden Unexpected Death in Infancy. He chaired the multi-agency working group responsible for the development and implementation and was jointly responsible for writing the document. This has now been adopted nationally and forms the statutory guidance at chapter 7 'Working Together to Safeguard Children.'
- Closely involved with the planning and development of national, general and advanced multi-agency training materials and courses for the interagency investigation and management of sudden unexpected death in childhood on behalf of the DCSF.
- Member of the faculty at Warwick University for the delivery of the general course since 2005 and a member of the faculty at Bristol University for the delivery of the advanced course this year (2010).
- Involved over many years both as a member of LSCB training groups, and independently for the development and delivery of multi-agency training in the field of safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children.