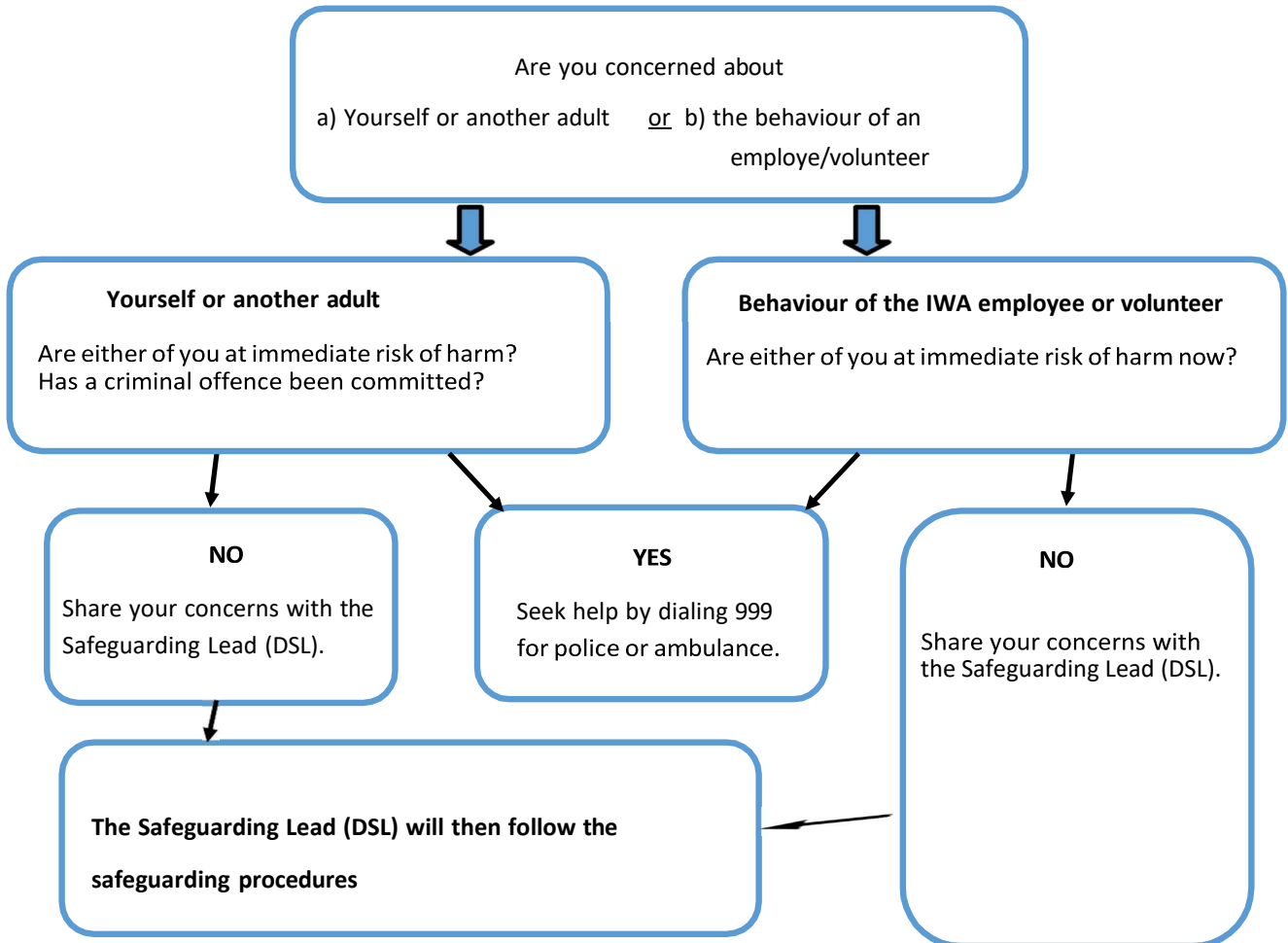


## Processing a Concern



### Supporting the adult through the process

The Designated Safeguarding Lead should:

- **Speak** with the adult concerned
- **Determine the wishes of the adult concerned** to ensure the process is person led and outcome focused.
- **Seek** external guidance and advice as appropriate (this could include the NCVO or Ann Craft Trust)
- **Offer support and information** for the adult concerned to make informed choices.
- **Put measures in place** to keep the adult safe during the activity (if appropriate)
- **Ask for consent** to report the concern to statutory agencies if appropriate.
- **Keep the adult informed** and involved throughout the process