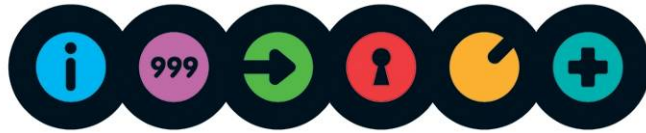


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Excellence in Local Partnership Working: The Staffordshire Civil Contingencies Unit (CCU)

The Staffordshire Resilience Forum (SRF) Partnership

The SRF partnership consists of twenty two of Staffordshire's public sector organisations. These are the Emergency Services, all ten Local Authorities, all NHS Trusts and the Environment Agency.



The Civil Contingencies Unit (CCU)

The CCU is the product of innovative public sector partnership working at a local level. A small, expert unit, the CCU is funded by all partners of the SRF.

In return, the CCU supports Staffordshire's front-line public services in meeting their obligations under the Civil Contingencies Act 2004.

The partnership approach promotes greater economy and efficiency, achieving positive outcomes through sharing existing resources, capabilities and knowledge for the benefit of Staffordshire's communities.

The CCU sits at the heart of the SRF partnership and has four main roles:

1. Multi-Agency Emergency Plans.
2. Training and Exercising.
3. Operational Support.
4. Secretariat (for key meetings)

Accountability & Scrutiny

The work of the CCU is overseen by a Management Board of Chief Executives from SRF partner organisations



Joining partners together: the SRF's Multi Agency Mobile Coordination Post

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