

Safeguarding Checklist

- Do all storytellers, door persons and volunteers have a DBS check for working with vulnerable adults?
- Have you risk assessed all the items that you are taking into the home?
- Have you got public liability insurance? This might be covered by the church or community group you are representing, or the care home you are visiting.
- Have you got moving and handling training (though you will not be moving the older people)?
- If you are providing the feast, have you got food hygiene training?
- Have you at least attended a basic one-hour dementia friend's training?
- Have you visited the home in advance to check that the space is adequate for the number of people coming, to prevent trip hazards and easy movement in and out of the room?
- Will there be adequate numbers of care staff present throughout your session to meet the needs of the older people?