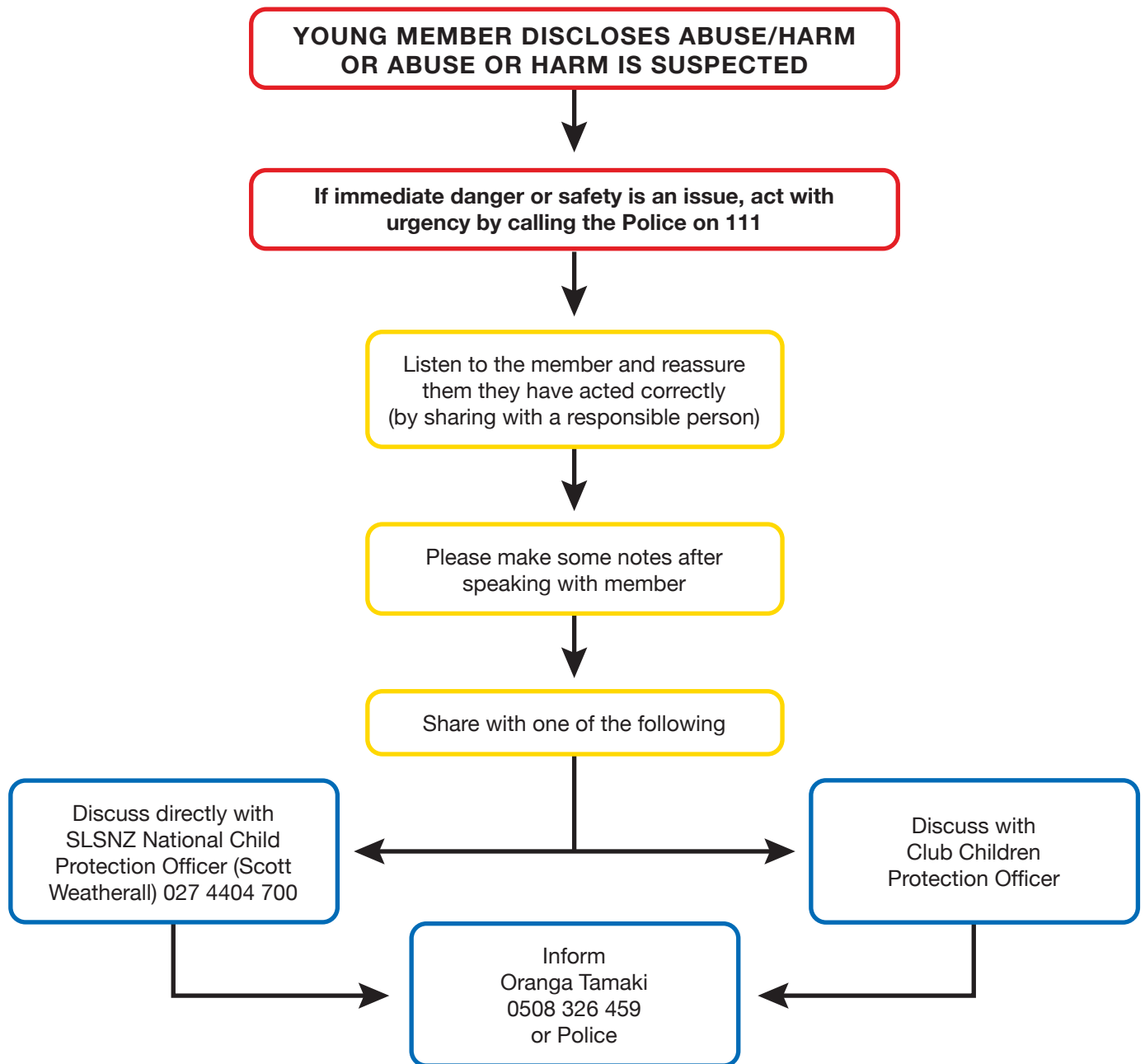


# FLOW CHART OF ACTION FOR REPORTING SUSPECTED SAFETY CONCERNS FOR CHILDREN AND/OR VULNERABLE MEMBERS



Await further contact from Oranga Tamariki or Police before taking action.

Consider accessing our Benestar Programme to support you through this challenging time 0800 360 364.

#### Points to note:

- **Confidentiality is essential.**
- **An incident log is kept of all proceedings following initial disclosure.**
- **Avoid making judgement, simply record the facts.**
- **Documentation may subsequently be used in court as evidence for either side.**

Do not think “What if I am wrong – Think what if I am right” – you may be the first person to have noticed or this member has trusted to share what is going on for them.

If you have questions at anytime or require additional training and or support please reach out to the SLSNZ Child Protection Officer – Scott Weatherall on 027 4404 700 or [scott.weatherall@surflifesaving.nz](mailto:scott.weatherall@surflifesaving.nz)