

SARAH MARR

ABOUT ME

I have nearly 20 years of experience working within children's residential care, with a strong background in leadership, quality assurance, safeguarding and service improvement. I am passionate about ensuring children and young people receive the highest standard of care and believe that listening to their views and experiences is fundamental to improving services. As an independent Regulation 44 Visitor, I aim to build positive and professional relationships with providers while maintaining the independence needed to offer honest, balanced and constructive feedback. I take pride in producing thorough, evidence-based reports that not only assess compliance but also support homes to continually develop and improve.

Outside of work, I enjoy spending time with my family, travelling and exploring new places on holiday, attending music festivals, walking my dogs and keeping active. I believe maintaining a good work-life balance helps me bring a positive and enthusiastic approach to my work

KEY SKILLS

- Independent Regulation 44 Visits
- Good inspection history with Ofsted as a Registered Manager
- Safeguarding & Child Protection
- Quality Assurance & Compliance
- Ofsted Readiness
- Service Improvement & HR Investigations
- Leadership & Management
- Professional Report Writing
- Risk Management
- Multi-agency Working

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

Independent Regulation 44 Visitor & Children's Social Care Consultant

EP Care & Consultancy | January 2026 – Present

Working independently with children's home providers to complete monthly Regulation 44 visits. My role includes consulting with children, staff and professionals, reviewing documentation, assessing compliance with the Children's Homes Regulations and Quality Standards, identifying areas of good practice and making recommendations that support continuous improvement and positive outcomes for children.

Service Manager – Quality Protects Children Ltd

August 2023 – December 2025

Responsible for the operational oversight of several children's residential homes, providing leadership and support to Registered Managers to ensure high standards of care, regulatory compliance and positive inspection outcomes. My responsibilities included safeguarding, quality assurance, recruitment, HR investigations, performance management, service development and supporting homes through Ofsted inspections.

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