

Decisions of the Children's Services Overview and Scrutiny Committee on Tuesday, 6 September 2016

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Decisions

1. ARRANGEMENTS BY THE COUNCIL AND ITS PARTNERS TO TACKLE CHILD SEXUAL EXPLOITATION

Resolved-

(1) That a further report be presented to the Committee in January 2017 which includes information on:

- The outcome of training for Private Hire Drivers**
- An explanation of the Nightwatch Initiative**
- A breakdown of the ethnicity of CSE offenders and suspects**
- Information on the Historic Case Unit**
- Work relating to hard to reach children and those with learning difficulties.**

(2) That the Committee urges all elected Members and Co-opted Members to complete the mandatory on-line Child Sexual Exploitation (CSE) training.

(3) That it be recommended that senior officers of the Council, Partners and their Boards also undertake the CSE Training.

(4) That it be recommended that all School Governors be offered CSE Training.

(5) That the Committee encourages all Members of Council Co-opted Committee Members and senior officers of the Council to visit the CSE Hub at the earliest convenience.

(6) That the minutes of this meeting be submitted to Professor Jay who is leading the independent enquiry into CSE.

(7) That all those who attended the meeting be thanked for their valuable contribution.

Action: Strategic Director Children's Services

(Paul Hill – 01274 434361)



2. **UPDATED INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS ON THE WORKLOADS OF CHILDREN'S SOCIAL CARE SERVICES**

Resolved-

- (1) **That the Committee considers further reports in the 2016/17 Work Programme to ensure the continuation of safe workloads and practice into the future given the current financial climate.**
- (2) **That the Social Workers be thanked for their contribution and attendance at the meeting.**

Action: Deputy Director, Children's Services

(Di Watherston/Cat Moss – 01274 437077)

3. **REVIEW OF POST-16 EDUCATION IN BRADFORD**

Resolved-

That consideration of the report be deferred to a future meeting.

Action: Scrutiny Lead

(Philip Hunter – 01274 439575)

4. **UPDATE ON THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE POST-OFSTED ACTION PLAN**

Resolved-

That consideration of the report be deferred to a future meeting.

Action: Deputy Director Education, Employment and Skills/Scrutiny Lead

(Judith Kirk – 01274 439255)

5. **CHILDREN'S SERVICES OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME 2016/17**

Resolved-

That the 2016/17 Work Programme continues to be regularly reviewed during the year.

Action: Scrutiny Lead

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