

Decisions of the Corporate Parenting Panel on Wednesday, 26 April 2017

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Decisions

- 5. EMOTIONAL AND MENTAL WELLBEING OF LOOKED AFTER CHILDREN Resolved –
 - (1) That the contents of Document "O" be noted and welcomed and that a progress report be submitted to the Panel within the next Municipal Year.
 - (2) That the Deputy Director (Children's Social Care) be asked to consult the Children in Care Council to allow their views to be taken into account in the on-going development of the Health and Emotional Wellbeing Service for Looked After and Adopted Young People.

ACTION: Deputy Director (Children's Social Care)

(Jennifer Robb – 07701 284392) (Jim Hopkinson – 01274 432904)

6. INDEPENDENT MONITORING AND QUALITY ASSURANCE OF CHILDREN'S HOMES

Resolved -

- (1) That Document "P" and the outcome of Ofsted's Inspections of Bradford's Residential and Respite Homes be noted and welcomed.
- (2) That the conclusion, as part of a recent Joint Targeted Area Inspection, that "Leaders and Partners have high aspirations for all children in Bradford. Across partners, there is commitment to continuous improvement to offer a wide range of high quality services to meet the diverse needs of children and families in the Bradford district" be welcomed.





(3) That the Quality Standards Manager (Regulation 44) be requested to identify and circulate dates to better support the planning and scheduling of Elected Member visits to the residential and respite homes.

ACTION: Quality Standards Manager (Regulation 44)

(Suzanne Lythgow – 07582 100936)

7. EDUCATIONAL OUTCOMES FOR LOOKED AFTER CHILDREN

Resolved –

That the content of Document "Q" be noted and welcomed and that further updates be submitted to the Panel in due course.

ACTION: Virtual School Head

(Ken Poucher – 01274 439623)

8. **EXIT INTERVIEWS**

Resolved –

- (1) That Document "R" be noted.
- (2) That the care provided for looked after children by the Leaving Care Service be welcomed.
- (3) That the young people who completed the Exit Interview questionnaire be thanked for their efforts which will contribute to making improvements in the Leaving Care Service for the future.
- ACTION: Deputy Director (Children's Social Care)

(Carly Turpin – 01274 437123)

9. WORK PROGRAMME

No resolution was passed on this item.

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