

Agenda for a meeting of the Corporate Parenting Panel to be held on Monday, 15 April 2019 at 4.30 pm in Committee Room 1 - City Hall, Bradford

Members of the Committee – Councillors

LABOUR	CONSERVATIVE	LIBERAL DEMOCRAT
Thirkill Engel Tait	D Smith	Humphreys

Alternates:

LABOUR	CONSERVATIVE	LIBERAL DEMOCRAT
Mohammed Nazir Shafiq	M Pollard	N Pollard

NON VOTING CO-OPTED MEMBERS

Chair of Children in Care Council

Inspector Kevin Taylor

Yasmin Umarji

Sue Thompson

West Yorkshire Police

Bradford Education

Bradford District Clinical Commissioning Group

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A. PROCEDURAL ITEMS

1. ALTERNATE MEMBERS (Standing Order 34)

The City Solicitor will report the names of alternate Members who are attending the meeting in place of appointed Members.

(Jill Bell – 01274 434580)

2. DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

(Members Code of Conduct - Part 4A of the Constitution)

To receive disclosures of interests from members and co-opted members on matters to be considered at the meeting. The disclosure must include the nature of the interest.

An interest must also be disclosed in the meeting when it becomes apparent to the member during the meeting.

Notes:

- (1) *Members may remain in the meeting and take part fully in discussion and voting unless the interest is a disclosable pecuniary interest or an interest which the Member feels would call into question their compliance with the wider principles set out in the Code of Conduct. Disclosable pecuniary interests relate to the Member concerned or their spouse/partner.*
- (2) *Members in arrears of Council Tax by more than two months must not vote in decisions on, or which might affect, budget calculations, and must disclose at the meeting that this restriction applies to them. A failure to comply with these requirements is a criminal offence under section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992.*
- (3) *Members are also welcome to disclose interests which are not disclosable pecuniary interests but which they consider should be made in the interest of clarity.*
- (4) *Officers must disclose interests in accordance with Council Standing Order 44.*

(Jill Bell – 01274 434580)

3. MINUTES

Recommended –

That the minutes of the meeting held on 11 March 2019 be signed as a correct record (previously circulated).

(Jill Bell – 01274 434580)

4. INSPECTION OF REPORTS AND BACKGROUND PAPERS

(Access to Information Procedure Rules – Part 3B of the Constitution)

Reports and background papers for agenda items may be inspected by contacting the person shown after each agenda item. Certain reports and background papers may be restricted.

Any request to remove the restriction on a report or background paper should be made to the relevant Strategic Director or Assistant Director whose name is shown on the front page of the report.

If that request is refused, there is a right of appeal to this meeting.

Please contact the officer shown below in advance of the meeting if you wish to appeal.

(Jill Bell - 01274 434580)

B. BUSINESS ITEMS

5. EMOTIONAL AND MENTAL WELLBEING OF LOOKED AFTER CHILDREN

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The Interim Assistant Director (Children's Social Care Improvement) will present a progress report on the CAMHS (Child & Adolescent Mental Health Service) Psychological Assessment and Therapy Team for Looked After and Adopted Children, including information on the allocation of the available finance (**Document "T"**).

Recommended -

That the Interim Strategic Director of Children's Services be recommended to request additional funding from Health & Social Care Commissioners in order to expand the current services to encapsulate the offer as set out in 2.8 of Document "T".

(Jennie Robb – 01274 723241)

The Interim Assistant Director (Children's Social Care Improvement) will present a report (**Document "U"**) on the virtual school outcome for Children Looked After (CLA) for 2017-18. Outcomes for children in care from Early Years to key stage 4 shows an improving picture over time. By the time they leave school, the progress made by children in care compares favourably to the national picture.

Primary outcomes at the end of Key Stage 1 remain above those nationally for children looked after in all four benchmark (expected standard) measures, reading, writing, maths and the combined measure. At the end of Key Stage 2, outcomes for CLA gaining the expected standard in reading have improved by 10 percentage points to within 3% of CLA nationally. Results for CLA in Bradford gaining the expected standard in maths have improved by 9% and are 1 percentage point above CLA nationally. Results for CLA in writing and GPS have improved by 5% and 3% respectively. The average (mean) scaled score across all pupils with a scaled score shows Bradford CLA marginally above pupils nationally for this measure.

At KS4 in terms of Attainment 8 Bradford CLA outcomes in 2018 were above the national and regional outcomes. The score of 19.7 is above the score of 18.7 nationally. In terms of Progress 8 Bradford outcomes in 2018 were above the national comparator.

Recommended -

That the Corporate Parenting Panel note the contents of Document "U".

(Ken Poucher – 01274 439623)