

Children and Young People's Services Select Committee

10 January 2019

Children and Young People's Services Select Committee Business Planning Group

Report by the Chairman of the Business Planning Group

Executive Summary

Each Select Committee has a Business Planning Group (BPG) to oversee the Committee's work programme and prioritise issues for consideration by the Committee. This report provides an update of the last meeting of the outgoing BPG held virtually on 21 November 2018, setting out the key issues discussed.

Recommendations

1. The Committee is asked to endorse the contents of the report.

1. Declarations of Interest

- 1.1 None.

2. Background/Context

- 2.1 The BPG met virtually on 21 November 2018.

3. Education and Skills Update

- 3.1 Education and Skills Task and Finish Group: An update on this will be provided at the meeting.
- 3.2 SEND Transport: Members advised that this should be placed on the next agenda of the BPG for further discussion.

4. Children and Family Services Update

- 4.1 Review of Residential Estate: The Committee received an update on the current progress and performance for the residential estate.
- 4.2 Mental Health Mapping: Members examined a paper that had been produced which detailed a mental health mapping exercise across the county, and agreed that the Committee should aim for a mental health themed meeting in 2019.

5. Total Performance Monitor Update

- 5.1 The BPG was updated on the current financial position for the Education and Skills and Children and Young People portfolios.

6. Work Programme Planning

6.1 Forward Plan

6.1.1 No proposed decisions were identified for scrutiny.

6.2 Agree the work programme for the coming year and plan the January meeting

6.2.1 The BPG agreed the Committee's work programme as at appendix A.

6.3 Committee Visits

6.3.1 Members considered whether future project days could be used for visits to establishments such as schools. This will be considered if/when project days become available.

7. Implications

7.1 There are no resource, risk management, Crime and Disorder Act or Human Rights Act implications arising directly from this report. However, many of the substantive reports to the Committee will have some implications and a Equality Impact Report will be included in appropriate substantive reports to the Committee.

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Background Papers: None

Appendix A – Work Programme for Children and Young People's Services Select Committee.