

Agenda

Children and young people scrutiny committee

Date: Tuesday 23 March 2021

Time: **1.00 pm**

Place: Online meeting only

Notes: To view the meeting please access the link below:

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Agenda for the meeting of the Children and young people scrutiny committee

Membership

Chairperson Councillor Carole Gandy Vice-Chairperson Councillor Diana Toynbee

Councillor Graham Andrews Councillor Paul Andrews Councillor Kath Hey Councillor Phillip Howells Councillor Mike Jones

Co-optees Andy James Parent Governor Representative – SEND Sector

Sam Pratley Church Representative – Diocese of Hereford

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1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence

2. NAMED SUBSTITUTES

To receive details of members nominated to attend the meeting in place of a member of the committee.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations of interest in respect of Schedule 1, Schedule 2 or Other Interests from members of the committee in respect of items on the agenda.

4. MINUTES 7 - 22

To approve and sign the minutes of the meetings on 12 and 19 January 2021.

5. QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

To receive any written questions from members of the public. Deadline for receipt of questions is 5:00pm on Wednesday 17 March. Accepted questions and answers will be published as a supplement prior to the meeting. Please submit questions to: councillorservices@herefordshire.gov.uk.

6. QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

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7. CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLES MENTAL HEALTH

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To review children and young people's mental health services including:

- A review of schools pastoral support and a mental health pathway;
- A presentation from Herefordshire and Worcestershire Health and Care NHS Trust on CYP mental health and impact of COVID19; and
- A presentation by Healthwatch Herefordshire on Schools Mental Health Forum and Youth Watch.

8. HEREFORDSHIRE CAPITAL INVESTMENT STRATEGY 2021-2030 FOR SPECIALIST SETTINGS EDUCATING CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS AND DISABILITIES SEND

To consider the outcomes of the Herefordshire Capital Investment Strategy 2021-2030 For Specialist Settings Educating Children and Young People with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities SEND consultation and to determine any recommendations to the executive, which may enhance the effectiveness of the plans.

9. REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE AND PROGRESS AGAINST THE 105 - 234

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SAFEGUARDING AND FAMILY SUPPORT IMPROVEMENT PLAN

To review progress against the Safeguarding and Family Support division improvement plan 2020/2021 (appendix A) and Our priorities definitions (appendix B) produced in response to the Ofsted Inspection of Local Authority Children's Services (ILACS) inspection judgement of June 2018 and the subsequent focused visits carried out in 2019.

To review the Herefordshire Safeguarding Children's Partnership annual report 2019/20 (appendix C) and to seek the views of the children and young people's scrutiny committee.

10. WORK PROGRAMME 2021/22

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To agree the work programme and meeting dates for the 2021/22 administrative year. To agree the scoping document for the paediatric therapies task and finish group.