

## Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee

15 July 2019

### Work Programme 2019/20

Meeting date: 15 July 2019– 1.00 p.m.		Despatch: 5 July	
Item	Description	Report Author	Form of Scrutiny*
Corporate Parenting Strategy – annual report	To consider the updated action plan to the corporate parenting strategy and receive a performance report against the objectives.	Gill Cox	Performance review
Adoption Service and Fostering Service annual reports	To receive the annual reports from the adoption and fostering services and consider the outcomes and recommendations. To make recommendations to the cabinet member on the operation of the services during 2019/20.	Gill Cox	Performance review
Work Programme 2019/20	To agree the schedule of business for the children and young people scrutiny committee for 2019/20.	Matthew Evans	
<b>Briefing notes</b>	<p>Update on the Herefordshire Children and Young People Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing Transformation Plan 2015 – 2020 - CCG</p> <p>New Safeguarding Monitoring Arrangements – To receive details of proposed safeguarding monitoring arrangements (replacing the HSCB in Herefordshire under new legislative provisions.</p> <p>Outcome of internal audit review of section 20 arrangements and processes.</p>	<p>CCG</p> <p>Liz Elgar</p> <p>Internal Audit</p>	

Meeting date: 16 September 2019 – 10.15 a.m.		Despatch: 6 September	
Accommodation based support service for care leavers	To undertake pre-decision scrutiny of the cabinet member decision for an accommodation based support service for care leavers with complex needs.	Amy Whiles/Ewen Archibald	Pre-decision call-in
Safeguarding improvement plan	Quarterly review of the progress against the safeguarding improvement plan which supersedes the Ofsted improvement plan.	Liz Elgar	Performance Review
Youth Justice Plan	To endorse the Youth Justice Plan 2019/20 for approval by full Council and consider whether there are any comments the committee would wish to make that would inform the production of the Plan for 2020/21.	Keith Barham	Pre-decision call in of Policy Framework Item
Meeting date: 25 November 2019 – 10.15 a.m.		Despatch: 15 November	
Update on looked after children cost reduction	Updates concerning performance against the LAC reduction savings proposal.	Liz Elgar	Performance Review
Budget and Medium Term Financial Strategy (MTFS)	To seek the views of the committee on the draft medium term financial strategy (MTFS) 2017-21 and the budget proposals for 2019-20 relating to Children and Families.	Andrew Lovegrove, Audrey Clements	Pre-decision call-in/Policy review and development
Young Carers Service	To consider an update report on progress with the implementation of the young carers service. To involve evidence from Young Carers.	Nicky Turvey, Richard Watson	Performance review
Meeting date: 20 January 2020 – 10.15 a.m.		Despatch: 10 January	
Safeguarding improvement plan	Quarterly review of the progress against the safeguarding improvement plan which supersedes the Ofsted improvement plan.	Liz Elgar	Performance Review
School Examination Performance	To consider school performance of summer 2018 and make recommendations to cabinet on how the		Performance review

	effectiveness of the school improvement framework and strategy could be enhanced.		
Meeting date: 16 March 2020 – 10.15 a.m.		Despatch: 6 March	

- Business to allocate in 2019/20**
- Early Help Strategy – policy review and development item
  - Child Sexual Exploitation (CSE) and Child Slavery – Spotlight Review
  - Peer on peer sexual abuse – Spotlight Review (**autumn 2019**)
  - Elective Home Education (EHE) – Spotlight Review

*\* Pre-decision call-in, Performance review, Policy review and development*