

Southend Health & Wellbeing Board

Agenda
Item No.

Report of Corporate Director Department for People

to
Health & Wellbeing Board
on
Date

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For discussion		For information only	Approval required	x
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Children & Young People's Plan 2015-2016

Part 1 (Public Agenda Item)

1. Purpose of Report

To present the 2015-16 Children and Young People's Plan (CYPP) for consideration.

2. Recommendations

2.1 That the 2015-16 Children and Young People's Plan priorities are agreed.

2.2 That members agree to delegate the authority to approve the detailed delivery plan to Cllr Jones and the Success for All Children Group.

3. Background & Context

3.1 The CYPP co-ordinates the work of agencies working with children and families in Southend.

3.2 The proposed 2015-16 CYPP builds on previous plans and reflects the priorities of the Council and the Success for All Children Group to secure an ongoing improvement in outcomes.

3.3 This updated plan takes account of:

- The areas for improvement identified in our 2012 Safeguarding and Looked After Children Inspection.
- The progress we have made in achieving the actions which we set out in the CYPP 2014-15.

- Our joint strategic needs analysis, the views of our partners, regular monitoring, and review and self-assessment, which has enabled us to identify our key areas for improvement.
- New and emerging themes of significance, for example, child sexual exploitation.

3.4 Section 6 of the Children and Young People's plan sets out the detailed rationale for each of the priority areas, along with an indication of the existing strategies that are addressing the issue, and the strategies that will be developed during 2015/16 to address the priorities. A detailed action plan, with contributions from all partner organisations will be developed and monitored by the Success for All Children Group and progress reported to the Health and Wellbeing Board.

4. Health & Wellbeing Board Priorities / Added Value

The CYPP contributes to the following Ambitions:

- HWB Strategy Ambitions
 - Ambition 1: A positive start in life A,B, C, D, E & F
 - Ambition 2: Promoting healthy lifestyles A, B & C
 - Ambition 3 Improving mental wellbeing A & B
 - Ambition 4: A safer population A, B & C
 - Ambition 9: Maximising opportunity A, B, C & D

The CYPP contributes to the following value added outcomes:

1. Increased aspiration & opportunity (addressing inequality)
2. Increased personal responsibility/participation (sustainability)

5. Reasons for Recommendations

5.1 This Children and Young People's Plan has been developed and endorsed by the Success for All Children Group and supports the Health and Wellbeing Board Strategy aims.

5.2 The priorities in this Children and Young People's Plan build on previous plans, self-assessment, external assessment and wide consultation and will assist in maintaining or improving our good performance.

5.2 The plan gives a clear focus to the work on the Success for All Children Group and enables resources across all agencies to be directed at those actions that will make the biggest improvement in outcomes for children and young people and their families.

6. Financial / Resource Implications

6.1 This plan is deliverable within the resources available within the Council and in partner agencies.

7. Legal Implications

7.1 None.

8. Equality & Diversity

The proposed plan will help to promote equalities by focussing on improving outcomes for all children and young people and narrowing the gap between those who do well and those who do not. There is also an emphasis on improving outcomes for children and young people with learning difficulties and disability.

9. Background Papers

None.

10. Appendices

1. Children and Young People's Plan 2015 - 2016

HWB Strategy Ambitions

Ambition 1. A positive start in life A. Children in care B. Education- Narrow the gap C. Young carers D. Children's mental wellbeing E. Teen pregnancy F. Troubled families	Ambition 2. Promoting healthy lifestyles A. Tobacco – reducing use B. Healthy weight C. Substance & Alcohol misuse	Ambition 3. Improving mental wellbeing A. Holistic: Mental/physical B. Early intervention C. Suicide prevention/self-harm D. Support parents/postnatal
Ambition 4. A safer population A. Safeguarding children and vulnerable adults B. Domestic abuse C. Tackling Unintentional injuries among under 15s	Ambition 5. Living independently A. Personalised budgets B. Enabling community living C. Appropriate accommodation D. Personal involvement in care E. Reablement F. Supported to live independently for longer	Ambition 6. Active and healthy ageing A. Integrated health & social care services B. Reducing isolation C. Physical & mental wellbeing D. Long Term conditions– support E. Personalisation/ Empowerment
Ambition 7. Protecting health A. Increased screening B. Increased immunisations C. Infection control D. Severe weather plans in place E. Improving food hygiene	Ambition 8. Housing A. Partnership approach to; Tackle homelessness B. Deliver health, care & housing in a more joined up way C. Adequate affordable housing D. Adequate specialist housing E. Strategic understanding of stock and distribution	Ambition 9. Maximising opportunity A. Population vs. Organisational based provision B. Joint commissioning and Integration C. Tackling health inequality (improved access to services) D. Opportunities to thrive; Education, Employment