

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SCRUTINY BOARD

WORK PROGRAMME 2024/25

Agenda item	Purpose	Portfolio lead & officer lead	Method of scrutiny	Additional information
Tuesday 18th June 2024				
Family Hubs Programme	To receive an annual update report on the Family Hubs Programme	Portfolio – Children and Young People. Attendees: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Gerard Jones, Managing Director Children and Young People - Matt Bulmer, Director of Education, Skills and Early Years 	Report	
Tuesday 30th July 2024				
Youth Justice Plan 2024/25	To scrutinise the Youth Justice Plan for 2024/25	Portfolio - Children and Young People. Attendees: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Managing Director Children and Young People. - Paul Axon, Chief Executive Positive Steps. - Louise Paterson, Head of Youth Justice, Positive Steps 	Plan	
Wednesday, 2nd October 2024				

Additional School Places and Admissions	Annual update report	Portfolio – Education and Skills Attendees: - Matt Bulmer, Director of Education, Skills and Early Years - Andy Collinge, Head of School Support Services	Report	
Children’s Services - update on financial performance, Improvement Plan and Childrens Transformation and Sustainability Programme	To receive a periodic 6 month update report and to scrutinise the performance in respect of financial performance in Children’s Services and delivery of the Achieving Excellence Improvement Plan and Transformation and Sustainability programme.	Portfolio – Children and Young People. Attendees: - Julie Daniels, Strategic Director of Children’s Services - Sheila Garara, Assistant Director, Children’s Services Integration - Andy Cooper, Senior Finance Manager	Report	
Young People Not in Education, Employment or Training (NEET)	To receive an update report on participation and NEET rates and on activities looking to ensure appropriate opportunities for 16-18 year olds. Part of the Employment, Work and Training – ‘themed’/significant issue consideration.	Portfolio – Education and Skills. Attendees: - Matt Bulmer, Director of Education, Skills and Early Years	Report	

		- Amanda Youlden, Post-16 Lead.		
Children and Young People Corporate Performance Report	To receive and consider the quarter 1 performance report	Portfolio – Children and Young People and Education and Skills Attendees: - Julie Daniels, Strategic Director of Children’s Services - Matt Bulmer Director of Education and Skills - Sheila Garara, Assistant Director, Children’s Services Integration	Report	
Wednesday 20th November 2024				
LADO annual report	To receive and consider the annual report	Portfolio – Children and Young People. Attendees: - Julie Daniels, Strategic Director of Children’s Services - Colette Morris, LADO	Report	
Operation Sherwood	Update report on behalf of the Mayor of Greater Manchester.	Portfolio – Children and Young People. Attendees:	Report	Moved to January

		- GMP/GMCA representatives		
CSE steering group annual report	To receive and consider the annual report	Portfolio – Children and Young People. Attendees: - Julie Daniels, Strategic Director of Children’s Services - Leanne Cooper Assistant Director Social Work Services	Report	
Children and Young People Corporate Performance Report	To receive and consider the quarter 2 performance report	Portfolio – Children and Young People and Education and Skills Attendees: - Julie Daniels, Strategic Director of Children’s Services - Matt Bulmer Director of Education and Skills - Sheila Garara, Assistant Director, Children’s Services Integration	Report	
Thursday 23rd January 2025				
Oldham Safeguarding Children Partnership Annual Report	To receive and consider the Board’s Annual Report	Portfolio – Children and Young People.	Report	

		<p>Attendees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Julie Daniels, Strategic Director of Children's Services - Dr Henri Giller, Chair of the Board. - Jayne Haigh, OSCP Business Manager 		
SEND update	To receive and consider the SEND priority action plan and improvement programme update report	<p>Portfolio – Education and Skills.</p> <p>Attendees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Matt Bulmer, Director of Education, Skills and Early Years - Amber Burton, Assistant Director SEND and Inclusion 		
Primary and Secondary School Outcomes	To receive and consider the annual update report	<p>Portfolio – Education and Skills</p> <p>Attendees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Matt Bulmer, Director of Education, Skills and Early Years - Tony Shepherd, Assistant Director Education and Early Years 	Report	
Thursday, 20th March 2025				

<p>Children's Services - update on financial performance and Improvement Plan, Childrens Transformation and Sustainability Programme</p>	<p>To receive a periodic 6 month update report and to scrutinise the performance in respect of financial performance in Children's Services and delivery of the Achieving Excellence Improvement Plan and Transformation and Sustainability programme.</p>	<p>Portfolio – Children and Young People. Attendees: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Julie Daniels, Strategic Director of Children's Services - Sheila Garara, Assistant Director, Children's Services Integration - Andy Cooper, Senior Finance Manager </p>	<p>Report</p>	
<p>Repeat Referrals in Children's Social Care</p>	<p>Periodic annual performance update report to ensure close management of this key performance indicator.</p>	<p>Portfolio – Children and Young People. Attendees: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Julie Daniels, Strategic Director of Children's Services - Leanne Cooper, Assistant Director Social Work Services. </p>	<p>Report</p>	
<p>Youth Council annual report</p>	<p>Annual Report on events and activities commissioned by the Youth Council</p>	<p>Portfolio – Children and Young People. Attendees: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Neil Consterdine, Assistant Director Youth, Leisure and Communities </p>	<p>Report</p>	

		- Jodie Barber Head of Youth Service		
Children and Young People Corporate Performance Report	To receive and consider the quarter 3 performance report	Portfolio – Children and Young People and Education and Skills Attendees: - Julie Daniels, Strategic Director of Children’s Services - Matt Bulmer Director of Education and Skills - Sheila Garara, Assistant Director, Children’s Services Integration	Report	

Task and finish group deep dives:

Deep dive area:	Expanded proposal:
Issues impacting children and young people	
Corporate parenting responsibilities	

BUSINESS TO BE PROGRAMMED

1. Update on Operation Sherwood (is this an annual submission?)
2. Oral health services for children
3. Report from the Children in Care Council – presented at corporate parenting panel, may schedule an informal session
4. Strategic Framework for Oldham’s Children and Young People (potential study group topic)

Items that are scrutinised at corporate parenting panel are not required to come to Children and Young People Scrutiny Board