

CHILD SEXUAL EXPLOITATION: ACTION PLAN

Summary

1. The Independent Chair of the Worcestershire Safeguarding Children Board (WSCB) and the Director of Children's Services have been invited to the Meeting to discuss Worcestershire Safeguarding Children Board's Action Plan underpinning the Child Sexual Exploitation (CSE) and Trafficking Strategy 2015-17.

Background

2. At its meeting on 22 May 2015, the Panel received an update from the Independent Chair of the Worcestershire Safeguarding Children's Board (WSCB) on the strategic approach to CSE. During the discussion the Panel were advised that the Child Sexual Exploitation Strategy 2015-17 had been developed by a strategic group of the WSCB with links to the community safety partnership and following approval by the WSCB would be considered by Cabinet in July 2015. It was therefore agreed that the Action Plan underpinning these priorities would be considered by the Panel in advance of the Cabinet meeting.

3. The action plan has been developed by the CSE strategic group and is a working draft until it has been approved by the WSCB at its meeting on 1 July 2015. It has not yet been fully completed so is work in progress.

Purpose of this Meeting

4. The Panel is invited to consider and comment on the draft Action Plan.

Supporting Information

Appendix 1 - Child Sexual Exploitation Strategy 2015-17.
Appendix 2 - Child Sexual Exploitation Strategy 2015-17 Action Plan

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Background

In the opinion of the proper officer (in this case the Director of Children's Services) there background papers relating to the subject

Papers

matter of this report are:

Agenda and Minutes of the Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Panel held on 12 March 2015

Agenda and Minutes of the Children and Families Overview and Scrutiny Panel held on 22 May 2015

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