

## **CHILDREN AND FAMILIES OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL 1 FEBRUARY 2016**

### **PREVENTION POLICY AND 0-19 SERVICES COMMISSIONING PLAN**

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#### **Summary**

1. The Strategic Commissioner (Early Help and Partnerships) and the Head of Public Health have been invited to the meeting to brief Members on the development of the All-age Prevention Policy and the new 0-19 integrated prevention service for children, young people and families.

#### **Background**

2. On 19 November 2015 Cabinet considered a report on Demand Management, Prevention Policy and 0-19 Services Commissioning Plan. The Cabinet Report is attached as appendix 1.
3. Cabinet agreed that the All-age Prevention Policy (see Appendix) should replace the existing Early Help Strategy and approved a consultation on the design of a new 0-19 integrated prevention service for children, young people and families, including the use of buildings to provide the service.
4. The consultation exercise has recently concluded and Members will receive a presentation to update them on latest developments and potential next steps.

#### **Purpose of the Meeting**

5. The Children and Families Overview and Scrutiny Panel is asked to:
  - consider work to date in relation to the All-age Prevention Policy and the 0-19 integrated prevention service
  - determine whether it would wish to carry out any further scrutiny, and
  - agree whether it would wish to make any comments to the Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Children, Families and Communities

#### **Supporting Information**

- Appendix 1 – 19 November 2015 Cabinet report on Demand Management, Prevention Policy and 0-19 Services Commissioning Plan

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**Background Papers**

In the opinion of the proper officer (in this case the Director of Children, Families and Communities) the background papers relating to the subject matter of this report:

- Agenda and Minutes of the Cabinet on 19 November 2015

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