

Children and Young People's Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Board Action Tracker

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| 29.9.25 | 21 | 1. that the Director of Children's Services be requested to undertake a dip sampling of attendance at Core Group meetings to confirm that the correct people are attending to ensure that they are meeting the children's needs and provide a written update to the Sub-Board; | 1 – Audit due to be completed by 12 December 2025 – report to be circulated to Members via email |
| 29.9.25 | 22 | a. How many missing children were also at risk of exploitation? (A written response would be provided.) | a. – Teresa emailed Katie Buckley 7.10.25, 26.11.25 and 6.1.26 |
| 17.11.25 | 31 | <p>3. that the Director of Children's Services be requested to explore options to incentivise foster carers, particularly those who take on older children to ensure that they can remain in placements longer; and</p> <p>4. that the Chair and Vice-Chair be requested to contact the Local Government Association to obtain any examples of any successful regional Fostering Hubs and to share that information with the Divisional Director Children's Services Transformation.</p> | <p>3. Teresa emailed Nancy Meehan 26.11.25 – chased 6.1.26</p> <p>4. Teresa emailed Chair and Vice-Chair 26.11.25 – update - work is ongoing to understand the impact of the Fostering Hubs locally. Update - Feedback from Annette Solomon who is the officer that attends their meetings and is our officer for fostering that she thinks the fostering hub is going really well and speaks very highly and passionately about it. She will be invited to a future meeting to give an update. Complete</p> |
| 19.1.26 | 36 | That an annual update on the implementation of the One Devon's Children's Strategic Approach and Action Plan be added to the Work Programme for the Children and Young People's Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Board. | Complete added to the Work Programme |

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| 19.1.26 | 37 | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. that NHS Devon be recommended to put in place training for wider partners and those who have contact with young people for diabetes care; 2. that the results of the fuel poverty pilot be presented to a future meeting of the Children and Young Peoples Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Board; and 3. that NHS Devon be requested to bring an annual update on long term conditions for children and young people to the Children and Young Peoples Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Board. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Teresa emailed 29.1.26 awaiting response from the ICB. The responsible officer is currently away but has been asked for an update when they return. 2. Complete added to the Work Programme 3. Complete added to the Work Programme |
| 19.1.26 | 38 | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. that the Best Start in Life Plan be presented to the Children and Young People's Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Board on 16 March 2026; and 2. that the Director of Public Health be recommended to explore the roll out of auto-enrolment of free school meals to early years settings to enable it to be rolled out as soon as possible in order to benefit our younger children. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete added to Work Programme. 2. Complete - officers are supporting early years settings directly to support auto enrolment via appropriate contracts. |
| 9.2.26 | 43 | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. that the Department for Education be invited to a future meeting to discuss in detail the governance and KPI's of the projects covered by RISE; | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. complete added to the Work Programme. 2. awaiting document for circulation. |

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| | | <p>2. that the Senior Democratic and Overview and Scrutiny Officer circulate the National Readiness School Survey to all Board Members;</p> <p>3. that the Director of Children Services arrange a visit to Mayfield School at Parkfield for Members of the Children and Young People’s Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Board;</p> <p>4. that the Children and Young People’s Overview and Scrutiny Board request the Cabinet to source alternative funding to replace the NTDI grant (ends in March 2026) for the SEND employment forum; and</p> <p>5. that the Cabinet be requested to consider options for amending the start time of concessionary bus fares for disabled people to enable them to engage in work.</p> | <p>3. Director to provide an update.</p> <p>4 and 5 – Report submitted to Cabinet on 17 March 2026.</p> |