

**Year 11 Transition Guide – Preparing for Adulthood**  
A guide for schools, parents and carers to prepare for a year 11 transition review

Annual Review held in the autumn term

**CONSIDER (prior to review)**

If an EP assessment is necessary  
i.e. Will the young person's needs require specific  
intervention/support for their chosen post 16 pathway?

If the young person's health needs will require  
and/or meet criteria going adulthood?

If there are any social care issues to be reviewed  
for the young person and their family. If they are  
looked after, what is the plan?

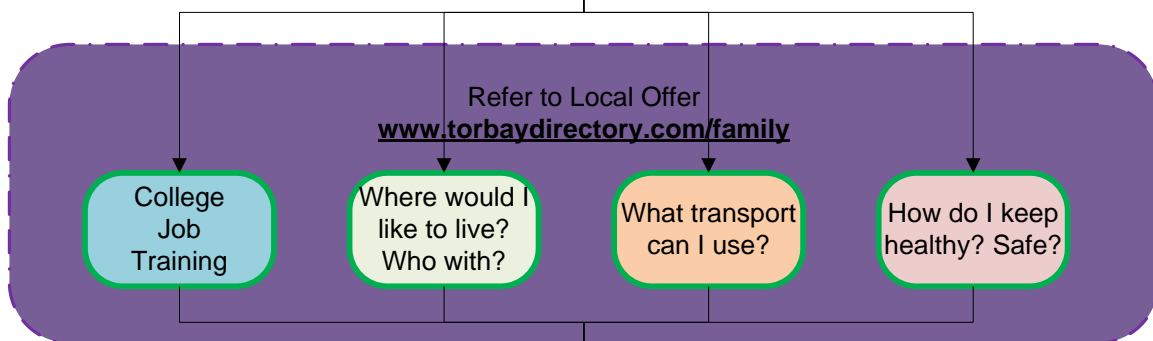
**INVITE**

Invite all those involved in planning the young person's  
pathway to adulthood:  
Family, health professionals, social care, Careers  
South West advisor, representative from post 16  
provider (see additional information overleaf)

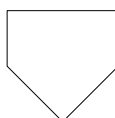
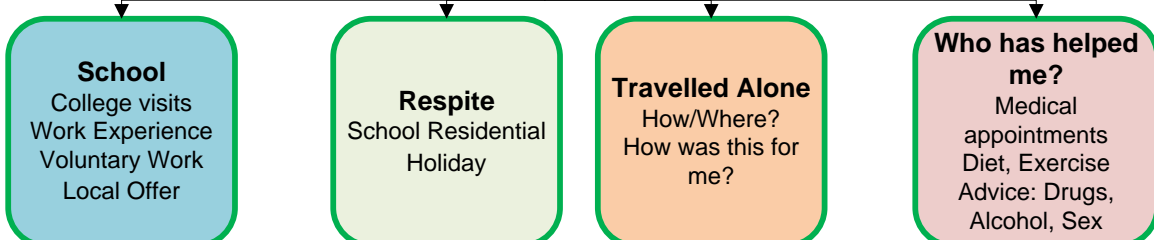
**REVIEW AND ESTABLISH**

Review the young person's aspirations and the  
transition pathway plan

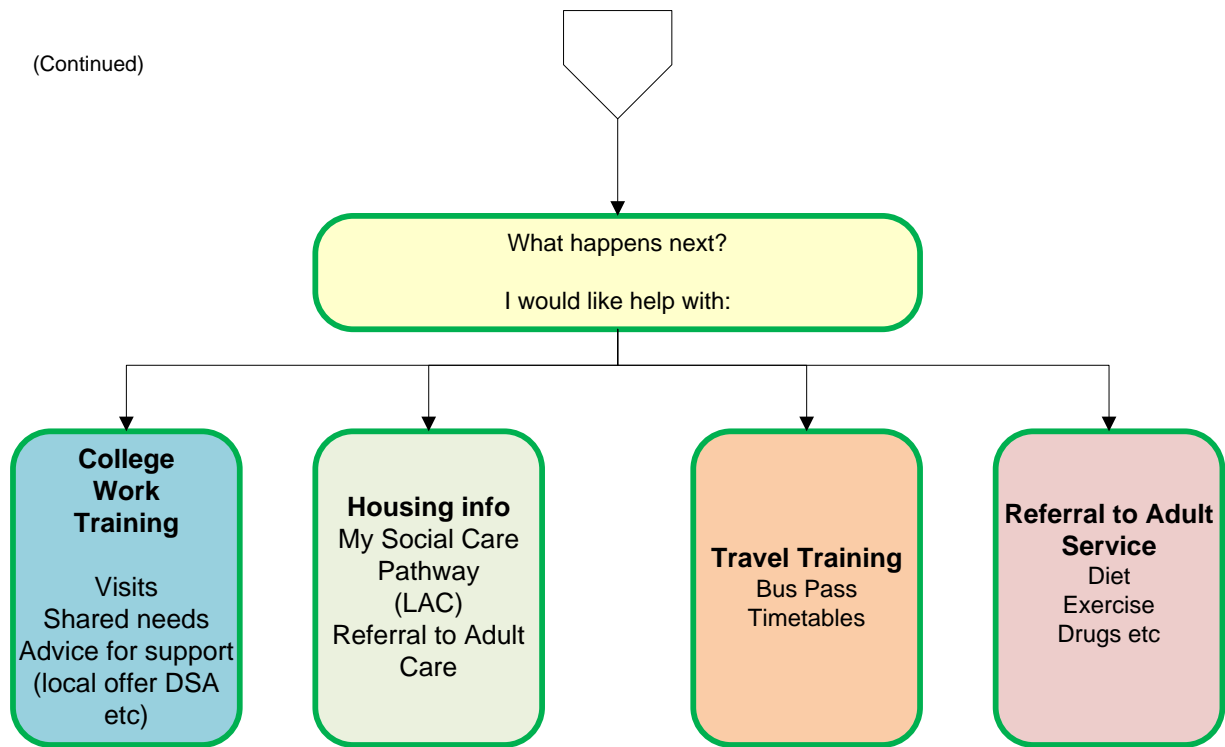
XXXX's Plan  
What would I like to do?



Compare and update from Year 9/10 transition plan  
What experience/help have I had?



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#### **Additional Information for Year 11 young people**

The Children & Families Act 2014 gives the onus of decision making to the young person. 'after compulsory school age (the end of the academic year in which they turn 16) the right to make requests and decisions applies to them directly rather than their parents'.  
(SEND Code of Practice 8.15).

The Mental Capacity Act 2005 states that it should be assumed that anyone aged 16 or older has full legal capacity to make decisions for themselves (the right to autonomy) unless it can be shown that they lack capacity to make a decision for themselves at the time the decision needs to be made.