

Children's Wellbeing Networking Event

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Children & Young People's Plan (C&YPP)



Welcome & Housekeeping



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Introduction

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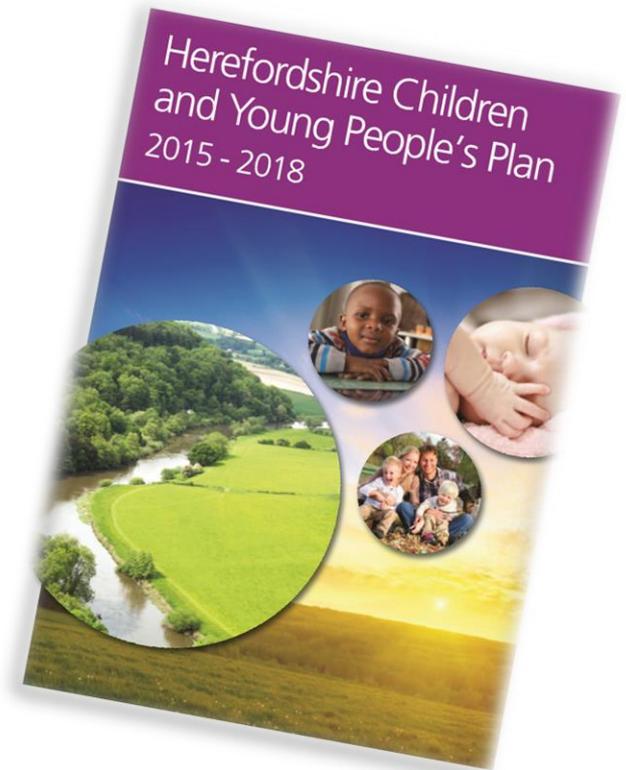
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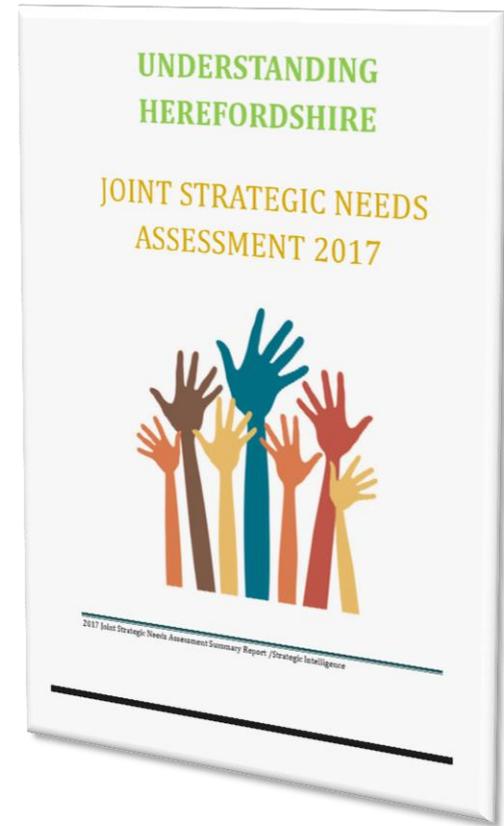
Developing a new Children and Young People's plan for Herefordshire

- Why we need a partnership plan
- Reflecting on achievements and challenges since 2015
- What is on the horizon?
- What are the key changes we need to deliver, together in the next few years?
- Your chance to contribute



The evidence:

- Pregnant women who smoke decreasing
- Oral health still poor alongside obesity in children
- Child Protection plans decreasing, Looked After Children increasing
- Juvenile re-offending increasing
- Local pupils achieving a Good Level of Development
- Fewer young people in education and training
- Alcohol related admissions for under 18's higher locally



Presenter: Amanda Price, Commissioning Lead

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Session One

- Early Help
- Early Years (0-5yrs)
- Mental Health and emotional wellbeing

To trigger your thinking.....



1. Early Help: Improve the early identification and response to critical issues affecting children and young people's development

Positives:

Families engaged with and achieving sustainable change:

- Over 600 families have been identified and engaged.
- So far 147 families have been claimed for as achieving sustainable change for at least 6 months.

Key Challenges:

Evidence based interventions. Future funding for early support

Potential future priorities:

- Attracting joint funding to develop future early support for families
- Domestic abuse

2. 0-5 Early Years: Improve the health, wellbeing, developmental and educational outcomes of children aged 0 to 5 years

Positives:

- Good level of development results
- Roll out of the 30 hours nursery education funding
- Children's Centre services re-design

Key Challenges:

- Dental Health
- Data sharing and collection across health professionals and agencies

Potential future priorities:

- Maintaining Good level of development (being in the top quartile nationally)
- Integrate all Children's Centre services into the whole Herefordshire early help approach and focus on the most disadvantaged children
- Childhood obesity 0-5 years

3. Mental Health & Emotional Wellbeing - Improve how we identify and support children, young people and their families to access help and services

Positives:

- Crisis care improvement
- Workforce development plan and ambition
- Peer support in schools and raising awareness
- One of the lowest waiting times in UK for CAMHS
- Refreshed CAMHS plan 2017-2020

Key challenges:

- Developing intensive community services
- More early intervention and support required by all agencies for children, young people and families

Emerging priorities:

Awareness raising, developing the workforce, timely access, improved crisis care and ensuring support is evidence based.

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What do you think?

- Positives
- Challenges
- Future priorities





Networking & Coffee Break

Please go and talk to as many people you don't know as possible!

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Session Two

- Children and young people in need of safeguarding
- Addressing challenges for teenagers
- Children and Young People with Disabilities

To trigger your thinking.....



C&YP in need of Safeguarding - Improve how we identify and respond to safeguarding needs and risk

Positives:

- Improved response to child sexual exploitation (CSE).
- Fewer children at risk of significant harm.
- An improved 16 plus team which effectively supports young people as they transition into adulthood.
- Increase in supported accommodation for young adults

Key Challenges:

- Consistent response to childhood neglect across all agencies.
- Ensuring children are supported during crises at home so that only those young people who require protection from harm become looked after.
- Recruitment of experienced social workers.

Potential future priorities:

- Further development of accommodation for young adults
- UASC increase to 25

Addressing Challenges for Teenagers – Improve how we support young people’s behavioural, emotional and social needs to ensure successful progression into adulthood

Positives:

- The joint LA/ Police NEET (not in education, employment or training) project to trace not known young people
- Reduction in teen pregnancies

Key Challenges:

- Crossovers with other priority areas
- Availability of performance data (some with significant time lag)

Potential future priorities:

- Mental health
- Intervention before young people reach crisis point is key – access to early help and an understanding of what is available

C&YP with Disabilities - Improve our range of services and education and learning opportunities

Positives:

- Children and families act implementation
- EHC plan - more person centred and co-produced
- Ongoing improvement to the local offer

Key Challenges:

- Local market
- Achieving the 'tell us once' approach.
- Information sharing

Potential future priorities:

- Preparing for adulthood
- Further development of the universal offer

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Round-up & Close

Thank you for coming today.

Before you go...

Please complete an evaluation form, we want to know what you liked, what you didn't like and how we can improve things for next time!

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