



MINUTES of a meeting of the **DERBYSHIRE CHILDREN'S PARTNERSHIP** held at County Hall, Matlock on 21 September 2017.

PRESENT

Andy Mott (Southern Derbyshire CCG)
(in the Chair)

Chris Cook	Derbyshire Safeguarding Children's Board
Linda Dale	Derbyshire County Council (Children's Services)
Adele Glover	Derbyshire County Council (Amber Valley LCP)
Ann Harrison	7 th LCP
Paul Hunter	Derbyshire Dales and High Peak LCP
Jane Lakin	Derbyshire Safeguarding Children's Board
Paula Lievesley	Derbyshire County Council (SDSD LCP)
Cllr Julie Patten	Derbyshire County Council
Alison Pritchard	Derbyshire County Council (Public Health)
Michelle Skinner	3D (VCS) South Derbyshire
Helen Smythe	Derbyshire County Council (Chesterfield LCP)
J Swann	Derbyshire County Council (NED and Bolsover LCP)

Frank McGhee, Future in Mind and Andrew Muirhead from Derby City Council were also in attendance.

Apologies for absence were submitted on behalf of Cllr Alex Dale, Steve Edmonds, Isobel Fleming, Julie Harper, Joy Hollister, Tracey Marsh, Jane Parfremment, Ruth Peat and Dean Wallace.

		ACTION
1	Welcome and Introductions Andy welcomed everyone to the meeting and introductions were made.	
2	Minutes and actions from 10 August 2017 meeting The Minutes were agreed as an accurate record. Item 2: A short note signposting to existing websites with information about local services had been prepared and would be circulated with the minutes.	All

	Item 8: Proposal for LCP Development Sessions: S4W had been appointed.	
3	<p>Minutes of LCP meetings</p> <p>Individual LCP minutes had been circulated with the agenda for information.</p>	
4	<p>Future in Mind</p> <p>Representatives from the NHS programme Future in Mind (a 5-year partnership programme which focused on the mental health needs of children throughout the county and the City of Derby) were invited to attend the meeting.</p> <p>Future in Mind was currently in the third year of a 5-year programme; it receives funding of £1.8m per annum; the ambition is for services to see 1 in 3 children (up from 1 in 5) but also want target the remaining 2 in 5 to ensure they can access better support in their communities/universal settings. Programme shares resources across Derby City Council, the National Health Service and Derbyshire County Council.</p> <p>A presentation was made summarising the programme and the outcomes of a Health Needs Analysis. Matters covered were:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vision, aims and objectives • Prevalence of mental ill health, particularly in vulnerable groups • What stakeholders are telling us • Inequalities across the county • Pockets of need within the county • CAMHS referrals for 2016/17 children aged 5-16 • Future in Mind provision • Local access targets – waits coming down but should be better • Health needs assessment priorities • Governance <p>Seven key priority areas for future work were highlighted:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Developing further the support offered to parents 2. Developing further a whole-school approach to prevention and early intervention 3. Transforming the care of CYP with complex and co-morbid needs 4. Developing the workforce (number and skill) 	

	<p>5. Building community capacity (VCS offer) 6. Developing new and alternative models of care 7. Working towards a place-based approach to treatment and care.</p>	
	<p>The Group were invited to comment on which of the above priorities were most important to Locality Children's Partnerships, and to offer comments/reflections generally on Future in Mind. In discussion, the Group considered the following as areas of greater importance:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Developing further the support offered to parents; - Developing a whole schools approach/work with schools. <p>Capacity building with parents and schools were thought to be fundamental to improving children's emotional wellbeing.</p> <p>There was also discussion of the need to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Improve local provision for children and young people with very complex needs; - Have a better infrastructure in place, that can apply a consistent, community-based system so that children are seen when needed - Increase awareness of what is available in each area, and to develop a whole school approach that includes the community - Use of digital applications - Focus on key transition points especially primary/secondary transition - Connect the work on Future in Mind with other workstreams – e.g. tackling the high level of exclusions for children with SEND (Social Emotional and Mental Health Needs); needs of rural schools - <p>The Chair thanked Frank McGhee and Andrew Muirhead for their presentation and agreed to invite them to a future meeting to report on the outcomes of the plan.</p> <p>LCP Representatives were asked to take this back to their Partnerships for further discussion, and to feed back comments on what the key priorities should be for the programme, and any work taking place locally.</p>	<p>All LCPs</p>

5	<p>0-5 Review</p> <p>This review would commence soon. It would clarify pathways and ensure services were delivering what was needed, with the best value for money.</p>	
	<p>The Group asked whether the scope included health services commissioned by the CCGs, and about the timescales. IF to report back to the group on these queries. The scope of the review would be discussed in more detail at the December meeting.</p>	IF
6	<p>Proposals for Core Data Set for LCPs</p> <p>LD presented the proposals for Locality and School Cluster profiles, which had been emailed to the group prior to the meeting. The Group was asked to consider the proposals and make suggestions for any new indicators which should be added to the dataset. Any comments should be sent to LD.</p> <p>The results would be circulated before the next meeting.</p>	All LD
7	<p>Derbyshire Safeguarding Children Board – Current priorities and key messages</p> <p>JL reported that there had been two serious issues that the Board were currently investigating. One involved a home educated child and one surrounding childhood obesity. Reports on the outcomes of these were expected in January 2018.</p> <p>JL reported that the DSCB had commissioned an independent review of Child Protection and an action plan was being developed in response to this. The Board was also conducting multi-agency audits of neglect cases, to evaluate practice and prepare for a possible Joint Targeted Area Inspection. Processes had been put in place to seek assurance that appropriate early help support was available in schools which had decided not to re-pool.</p>	
8	<p>Learning from Serious Case Reviews, Serious Incident Learning Reviews and Quality Assurance activities</p> <p>Chris Cook informed the Group that the Serious Case Review report (“ADS 14”, published September 2017) was available on the website. He also brought to their attention a key finding in</p>	

	the report of 'authoritative practice' and how to help frontline practitioners when dealing with difficult issues.	
9	<p>Proposal for LCP Development Sessions</p> <p>LD asked the Group to confirm a suitable date for the first training session; one session would be held before Christmas and two after Christmas. It was agreed that the first session would be held on Tuesday 12 December 2017.</p> <p>LD would confirm details to Group members and circulate potential dates for sessions 2 and 3 in the new year.</p>	LD
10	<p>Derbyshire Children's Partnership Bulletin</p> <p>The second edition of the DCP E-bulletin was due out in November, with a focus on LCPs. Articles were requested from Localities. Deadline: 27 October 2017.</p> <p>LD encouraged the Chairs to ensure that the right people were on the mailing list for their local bulletin. To subscribe, people needed to be sent a copy of the bulletin, open it and click on the relevant link.</p>	All LCP Chairs
11	LD shared official-sensitive information on the Derbyshire Prevent Case Management Process: April – June 2017-18. Group members were asked not to disseminate this further, other than for discussion within an LCP meeting.	
12	<p>Date of next meeting and provisional items for the Agenda</p> <p>The next meeting was scheduled to take place on Thursday 14 December at 10:00 am in Room 54, County Hall, Matlock.</p>	All