

Ashford Health & Wellbeing Board (AHWB)

Agenda Item No. 7(e)

Ashford Children's Health & Wellbeing Board - Partner Quarterly Update

Update from	Ashford Children's Health & Wellbeing Board
Quarter concerned	October to December 2014
What's going on in our world	<p>The CHWB committee have developed the key priority framework which highlight the key priorities for Ashford as:</p> <p>Mental Health – including emotional health With the following topics as the key priorities as a focus: Transition into adult services Waiting times Inward referral Pathways Step-up and Step-down processes (Specialist Children's Services and Early Help) Parental Consent</p> <p>Play/ Early Start With the following topics as the key priorities as a focus: Play in primary and pre-schools Play in rural areas – Facilities/access as a barrier Upskilling parents Promotion of the importance of play Workforce</p> <p>Healthy Living – Obesity & Smoking With the following topics as the key priorities as a focus: Healthy weight Active Lifestyle Pre-school healthy weight awareness Smoking – Reduction Impact Smoking- Promoting cessation Smoking –Prevention</p> <p>NEET's With the following topics as the key priorities as a focus: Lack of functional skills Employability – lack of level 2 Apprenticeships Track 'unknowns' to reduce hidden NEETs A detailed action plan is being developed early in January</p>
Success stories since last	None to report

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What we are focusing on for the next quarter <u>specific to the key projects</u>	<p>The key issues the board will be focused on over the next quarter are</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transfer to the KFSF for CAF and ensuring this is shared across all agencies and that pathways to services are clearly understood as are thresholds • Young people's mental health and accessing early help • Children's centre reform and access to services • Childhood obesity 0-4 priority • Promotion of apprenticeship opportunities in Ashford
Anything else relevant to AHWB priorities NOT mentioned above	None to report although the ACHWBC meeting on the 27 th January and an update note will be circulated .
Strategic challenges & risks including horizon scanning?	The strategic review of service integration undertaken by Newton Europe (commissioned by KCC)
Any thing else the Board needs to know	None
Signed & dated	Stephen Bell 08/01/15