

3 February 2011		ITEM 6
Children's Overview and Scrutiny		
Review and Refresh, Children and Young People's Plan (CYPPlan) 2010-2013		
Report of: Jo Olsson Director CEF		
Wards and communities affected:	Key Decision:	
All	Non key	
Accountable Head of Service: NA		
Accountable Director: Jo Olsson Director CEF		
This report is Public		
Purpose of Report: To consult on the review and refresh of the CYPPlan		

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The 3 year strategic plan for children, approved by the council and the partnership, was published last year. This report presents, at draft stage for consultation, the review of the plan's first year of operation and the priority aims and objectives for 2011/12. The strategic pillars of the plan are unchanged, there are some limited changes to the aims and objectives; mostly in response to national policy drivers and the achievements made in year one of the plan. Action planning is strengthened in the refresh

1. RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1.1 Children's Overview and Scrutiny Committee is asked to confirm or recommend amendments to the review of year one
- 1.2 Children's Overview and Scrutiny Committee is also asked to confirm or recommend amendments to the proposed priority aims and objectives for 2011/12
- 1.3 Children's Overview and Scrutiny Committee is asked to note the tremendous achievements of all partners, working together, in Thurrock and the firm commitment to achieving excellence for the children and young people of the borough

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2. INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND:

2.1 The CYPPlan, previously a legislative requirement, is the strategic driver to improve the life chances and successes of children and young people in the borough. Each year we review and refresh the plan to make sure we are on track to achieve our ambitions for outstanding children’s services in Thurrock. The council leads the planning but the plan is owned by all the partners, health, schools, community and voluntary sector providers and the police. Priorities cut across institutional boundaries and no single agency acting alone can deliver the ambition. That ownership can only be achieved if everyone is part of the review and refresh of the plan hence scrutiny is invited to comment at a very early draft stage. The plan will be signed off by the children’s partnership at the end of March

Comment [s]: You should briefly explain why the report is on the agenda - See para. 5.3 and 5.4 of the report writing guidelines.

Comment [s]: Other headings may be appropriate. The report should outline the reasoning that leads to its recommendations and **must** include:

1. a brief summary of options considered;
2. consultation outcomes
3. a risk assessment.
4. Whether the responsible cabinet members have been consulted/contributed to the report (NB professional and political advice must be clearly distinguished)

- See para.5.5 of the report writing guidelines.

3. ISSUES AND/OR OPTIONS:

3.1 Not applicable

4. CONSULTATION (including Overview and Scrutiny, if applicable)

4.1 The following organisations will be asked to disseminate the draft within their systems and give feedback to inform the final document that will be presented to the partnership for sign off: all partners on the children’s trust, all CEF staff, Directors Board, TPHA TASS &TAG (for schools), CVS, youth cabinet and schools councils

Comment [j]: This should include any consultation with Ward Members and Shadow Portfolio Holders, as well as any public or statutory consultation

4.2 The process of review and refresh is as important as the final document which will be published on the Shaping Thurrock website on 1 April 2011.

5. IMPACT ON CORPORATE POLICIES, PRIORITIES, PERFORMANCE AND COMMUNITY IMPACT

5.1 The refresh has been aligned fully with the refreshed community strategy and corporate plan. Performance outcomes are set out in the accompanying table.

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6. IMPLICATIONS

6.1 Financial

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Comment [sj]: See Guideline 6.2

There are no direct financial implications arising out of this report.

6.2 **Legal**

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There are no implications.

6.3 **Diversity and Equality**

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Making diversity and equality intrinsic to everything we do in Thurrock needs to be further developed. Scrutiny will want to satisfy itself that the refreshed plan fully captures the complexity of our communities in Thurrock and is compliant with our legal duties

6.4 **Other implications (where significant) – i.e. Section 17, Risk Assessment, Health Impact Assessment, Sustainability, IT, Environmental**

None.

APPENDICES TO THIS REPORT:

- CYPPlan 2010-13
- Review and refresh text
- Refresh tables
- Outcomes table

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