



Children & Young People's Strategic Partnership



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South Eastern Area Outcomes Group

Children & Young People's Action Plan 2025 – 2028

CYPSP Priorities 2025-2028

Overarching CYPSP Priorities 2025-2028	South Eastern Area Outcomes Group Priorities – 2025-2028
Early Intervention/ Early Help family support for all	Early Intervention/ Early Help family support Children with a disability
Early Intervention mental health & emotional wellbeing	Early Intervention mental health & emotional wellbeing
School Disruption	School Disruption
Poverty/Cost of Living	Poverty/Cost of Living
<p>All above underpinned by Voice of Young People</p> <p>NOTE: This is a live plan and will be reviewed and refreshed based on emerging issues for children, young people and families across the area on an ongoing basis.</p> <p>This Plan has been aligned with Ards and North Down Community Plan, Lisburn and Castlereagh City Community Plan, and Newry, Mourne and Down Council Community Plan to add value, collaboration and avoid duplication.</p>	

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Regional Priorities

Early Intervention/ Early Help Family Support for All

Outcomes

- Families can access support at point of need as soon as possible.
- Improve early help/ access to support for children with disability/ additional needs and their families.

Key Actions

1. Establish and strengthen a full representative multi-agency Outcomes Group to own and deliver the Action Plan.
2. Raise awareness, promote and embed training resources (inc. language) to upskill practitioners.
3. Explore how Outcomes Group interfaces and supports locality planning priorities, community planning and integrated planning.

Early Intervention mental health & emotional wellbeing

Outcomes

- Maximise contribution of the entire community in understanding children's emotional development.

Key Actions

1. Design a campaign plan to promote services and resources across the entire community (including statutory, C&V, C&YP, local communities and families.)
2. Explore the Connected Minds and Perfectly Proudful models as examples of good practice around youth mental health provision.

School Disruption

Outcomes

- Improve awareness, prevention and early intervention to support children's emotional wellbeing and attendance at school.

Key Actions

1. Identify support and resources for parents who are struggling with their children's school attendance (online and in person) and build peer support amongst parents.
2. Link with EWTS/ RAISE to share learning and resources.

Poverty/ Cost of Living

Outcomes

- Increase access to relevant and appropriate poverty cost of living support for children, young people and families.

Key Actions

1. Identify best method of meeting unmet need with partners.
2. Look at opportunities to deliver financial educations for children, young people and families including Ylink, EMA, paid apprenticeships.

Locality Planning
Groups

Family Support
Hubs

Early
Intervention

The voice of children & young
people


Task and Finish
Groups


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Action Plan 2025 – 2028

Note: Status **Green** have been achieved **Amber** in progress **Red** not achieved or commenced

Group/Priority	How will we do it?	Outcomes	Action Plan agreed to date	Status	Progress to date	Monitoring	Links
Early Help Family Support for All/Children with a Disability Chair: TBA	<p>Sharing information, knowledge, expertise and making links about Emotional mental health and wellbeing</p> <p>Strengthen links with partners across SEHSCT to add value and avoid duplication</p> <p>Identifying priorities and actions to meet unmet need</p> <p>Utilising resources/ pooling budgets and expertise effectively Local perspective</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Families can access support at point of need as soon as possible. Improve early help/ access to support for children with disability/ additional needs and their families. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Establish and strengthen a full representative multi-agency Outcomes Group to own and deliver the Action Plan. Raise awareness, promote and embed training resources (inc. language) to upskill practitioners. Identify and scope current pathways/ resources for children, young people/ CwD and families. Improve provision of practical family support and identify gaps in services. Explore how Outcomes Group interfaces and supports locality planning priorities, community planning and integrated planning. 	<div> <div></div> <div></div> <div></div> </div>			<p>NI Children's Strategy 2020-30 – Physical & Mental Health; Living in Safety & Stability; Positive Contribution to Society; Promotion of equality and of good relations; Respect for Rights.</p> <p>Mental Health Strategy Workstream 9 Making Life Better – Theme 1</p> <p>AND Community Plan outcomes - NM&D Community Plan outcomes - Enjoy Good health & Wellbeing</p> <p>LCCC Community Plan –</p> <p>Draft PFG –Actions: Pgs 20; 30; 34; 36; 41; 44; 67.</p>

Group/Priority	How will we do it?	Outcomes	Action Plan agreed to date	Status	Progress to date	Monitoring	Links
Improve early intervention for Emotional Mental Health and Wellbeing needs of children and families across SEHSCT area including School disruption	<p>Sharing information, knowledge, expertise and making links about Emotional mental health and wellbeing</p> <p>Strengthen links with partners across SEHSCT to add value and avoid duplication</p> <p>Identifying priorities and actions to meet unmet need</p> <p>Utilising resources/ pooling budgets and expertise effectively Local perspective</p> <p>Co-Production with Children & Young People</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maximise contribution of the entire community in understanding children's emotional development. Improve awareness, prevention and early intervention to support children's emotional wellbeing and attendance at school. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Scope and identify services/ resources currently in place to support children's development and emotional wellbeing. Design a campaign plan to promote services and resources across the entire community (including statutory, C&V, children and young people, local communities and families.) Support for children and young people / free or low-cost places to go Explore the Connected Minds and Perfectly Proudful models as examples of good practice around youth mental health provision. Identify support and resources for parents who are struggling with their children's school attendance (online and in person) and build peer support amongst parents. 			Decrease in School refusal /avoidance	<p>NI Children's Strategy 2020-30 – Physical & Mental Health; Living in Safety & Stability; Positive Contribution to Society; Promotion of equality and of good relations; Respect for Rights.</p> <p>Mental Health Strategy Workstream 9 Making Life Better – Theme 1</p> <p>AND Community Plan outcomes - NM&D Community Plan outcomes - Enjoy Good health & Wellbeing</p> <p>LCCC Community Plan –</p> <p>Draft PFG –Actions: Pgs 20; 30; 34; 36; 41; 44; 67.</p>

<p>Poverty/ Cost of Living</p>	<p>Promote a local collaborative focus on early intervention and prevention where possible and emergency response based on identified need to improve outcomes for wellbeing needs of children and families.</p> <p>To provide a wraparound Service to share information, knowledge, expertise relevant to the area, to make links where needs or gaps are identified and to share information on</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase access to relevant and appropriate poverty cost of living support for children, young people and families. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Scope and identify on a locality basis what support and services are currently available and where the gaps are (inclusive of preventative supports). 2. Identify best method of meeting unmet need with partners. 3. Good quality consistent communications across all partner agencies. 4. Look at opportunities to deliver financial educations for children, young people and families including Ylink, EMA, paid apprenticeships 5. Identify best method of sharing information through engagement with children, young people and families. 				<p>NI Children's Strategy 2020-30 – Physical & Mental Health; Living in Safety & Stability; Positive Contribution to Society; Promotion of equality and of good relations; Respect for Rights.</p> <p>Mental Health Strategy Workstream 9 Making Life Better – Theme 1</p> <p>AND Community Plan outcomes - NM&D Community Plan outcomes - Enjoy Good health & Wellbeing</p> <p>LCCC Community Plan –</p> <p>Draft PFG –Actions: Pgs 20; 30; 34; 36; 41; 44; 67.</p>
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	<p>potential supports available within existing provision</p> <p>Strengthen links with partners across SEHSCT to add value and avoid duplication</p> <p>Promote core messages and information to appropriate groups</p>						
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