

<p>Recent Achievements by the Locality Planning Group. How much did we do? How well did we do it? Is anyone better off? (can be included as a report card)</p>	<p><u>Belfast Area Locality Planning Groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action Plans completed • Engagement with Principals forum in North Belfast • Workshops on Universal Credit roll out • Engagement with SIF project in South and East Belfast • Resilience scoping paper in North Belfast • Review of Standard for Locality Planning • Training calendar <p><u>Northern Area Locality Planning Groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth Fairs in Antrim, Ballymena and Carrickfergus connecting with approximately 400 young people at each one and around 20 service providers. • Launch of Education Facebook page - Carrickfergus Community Education Forum. Requested by parents as a central point for information. All Education Sub Group members taking on the role of keeping up to date. Will be reviewed in 3 months. • Year 8 Healthy Lifestyles Engagement completed in Our Lady of Lourdes, Ballymoney. Partnership approach between NHSCT, CPYPS, Causeway Coast and Glens Council and Northern Obesity Partnership. As a result of the pilot, the school has been supported to implement sustainable Health and Wellbeing Initiatives into their schools with a Health and Wellbeing Action Plan. • As a direct result, Coleraine College and Dunluce High, are currently involved in similar year 8 Healthy Lifestyles Engagement for 2017-2018. It is anticipated that additional schools will be involved late in 2018-2019. • Links established with Larne Parental Support Project to support families in the Carnlough and Glenarm area. • Incredible Years Project delivered in Maghera area, for families outside of Surestart. • Body Image conference on 25 January
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- Screening of Resilience documentary in Carrickfergus and Causeway.

Southern Area Locality Planning Groups

- Safe Churches training/awareness session with St Patrick's Roman Catholic and St Patrick's Church of Ireland Cathedrals. In partnership with ABC Council PCSP and Women's Aid Armagh & Down. 19 people in total attended the session, 2 Cathedrals have now become Safe Churches.
- Top Tips for Mental Health training session for Banbridge Locality Planning Group, facilitated by Barnardos Nova project, in partnership with South Armagh Rural Women's Network and Victims & Survivors Service. 12 LPG members attended
- Domestic Violence Awareness Session for Dungannon LPG. In partnership with Mid Ulster Women's Aid – 9 attended
- Autism Awareness session for Newry LPG, in partnership with Cedar Foundation – 9 attended
- Presentations by ASCERT training to 4 LPG's – Armagh, Dungannon, Newry and South Armagh, highlighting the availability of workforce sector training on drugs & alcohol. 48 LPG members attended.
- Portadown Gets Active Christmas and Celebration Event. Attended by 60 children, 25 young people (peer mentors) and 120 family members.

South Eastern Area Locality Planning Groups

- Review of LPG against LPG standards, which has highlighted a number of areas for improvement including links with Family Support Hubs, involvement and engagement with parents and children
- Review of LPG standards carried out, finding have been incorporated into ongoing actions of group, to include better links with Family support Hubs and seeking to have a greater level of involvement with and engagement with parents and child and young people.

Regional Locality Planning Groups Update



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Production of School Uniform Toolkit to be used and distributed to all LPG;s that require this, to be be able to replicate and roll-out the school uniform project. This was developed and produced by Stephanie Thompson following discussion at LPG level.
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<p>Upcoming Events:</p>	<p><u>Belfast Area Locality Planning Groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Further Universal Credit workshop in East Belfast • Screening of Resilience Documentary in East Belfast in Partnership with East Belfast Early Years Network • Resilience themed meeting in North Belfast to include a presentation by Barnardos on 5 to Thrive and Each Amazing Breath which is being used in Ligoniel PS to help children to self-regulate and also be peer mentors for each other plus screening of Reliance Documentary. • “Resource and Partnership in North Belfast” event in April; working with the EWOs and Principal’s Forum there will be a networking morning help them get to know the services in their area. • Blythefield PS to present about their school of sanctuary status. <p><u>South Eastern Area Locality Planning Groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning commenced for Peninsular/Bangor Event in early summer • Guest speaker from Barnardo's on services offered to newly arrived refugee families, to present at Down LPG <p><u>Southern Area Locality Planning Groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Milk Shake & Maths to commence February 2018 in Craigavon area: 10 young men to receive extra Maths support to attain GCSE • Production of a directory in Newry to map all service and activities for children and young people in the locality with a disability. Launch event planned for April 2018 • Planning commenced for Poratadown Gets Active 2018. Easter and Summer activities to take place • Fundraising for partnership approach to provide a summer scheme I Bessbrook for children aged 5-11 • Continuing meetings in Armagh and South Armagh regarding the rise in Bulgarian Roma families – providing support, information sharing
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