

# Southern Area Outcomes Group Children and Young People's Plan 2017 – 2021

## What We Will Do

### Our Vision

The Southern Area Outcomes Group will deliver on better outcomes for children and young people and ensure all children get the best possible start in life and the best possible health and wellbeing

### NI Children & Young People's Strategy Outcomes

#### What we want for all our Children and Young People:

- Physical and Mental Health
- Enjoyment of Play and Leisure
- Learning and Achievement
- Living in Safety and with Stability
- Economic and Environmental Wellbeing
- Making a Positive Contribution to Society
- Living in a Society which Respects their Rights
- Equality and Good Relations

### Our Priorities/Outcomes- What we want to Achieve:-

- Children and young people will have the best start in life and enjoy the best possible health and wellbeing
- All Children are Safe, confident and enjoy improved emotional wellbeing
- Children and young people will experience and benefit from good relations, equality and diversity
- Parents/Carers, Children and Young people are supported to understand the importance of, and to attend/participate learn and achieve in education and training
- Parents/carers receive the help and support they need to positively empower them to parent. Children and young people live in supportive families.

## How We Will Do It

### Positive Mental Health & Emotional Wellbeing

Together we will build resilience in young People and improve emotional wellbeing in families and communities

### Practical Home Based Family Support

Together we will provide practical home based support to families and encourage strength based parenting with a focus on accessibility.

### Children & Young People will have best start

Together we will provide opportunities for Children to have the best start in life, have access to inclusive services, enjoy good infant mental health and have strong emotional bonds and resilience.

### Good Relations, Equality & Diversity

Together we will work towards broadening inclusive access to schools, youth and public facilities/ Services

### Learning & Achieving

Together we will improve participation in early years care, education/school life including BME, LAC, C&YP with a disability and endorse early intervention approaches to support emotional skills/needs

### How Will We Underpin Everything

Better co-ordination and collaboration across agencies in the Southern Area

Participation -  
Listen and  
influence

Early  
Intervention  
& Prevention

Evidence

Outcome Based  
Accountability -  
Is Anyone Better

