

Report from Locality Planning Groups to Southern Area Outcomes Group
Months: June-August 2021

<p>Current Issues being Discussed at LPG: Including: Gaps in services/Emerging needs</p>	<p>Armagh LPG (1st July), Dungannon LPG (1st June & 31st Aug), Newry & Mourne LPG (24th June) & South Armagh LPG (22nd June)</p> <p>Focus on Action Planning for 2021-24. Key themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emotional wellbeing & mental health of children & young people • Support for Parents and Caregivers • Addressing the Impact of Poverty <p>Completed Actions Plans towards the end of 2021.</p> <p>All LPG's agreed to focus in the short term over the summer months, to support children, young people and parents/caregivers to participate in summer activities and reconnect with peers, services and programmes.</p>
<p>Recent Achievements by the Locality Planning Group.</p>	<p>Summer is Coming: 3 Zoom sessions on 25th, 28th and 29th June to share summer activities in the ABC, NManD and Mid Ulster Council areas. Attendees from organisations shared information and took note of opportunities for children and young people in the local area. This was in response to LPG's focusing on supporting children, young people and parents/caregivers into local activities. 63 attended, 18 page document produced (see attached).</p> <p>2018-21 Locality Planning Groups Action Plan Report (see attached)</p> <p>Portadown Gets Active: Summer Programme over 9 days in July & August. Partnership initiative to help address Holiday Hunger, including food, physical activity and educational opportunities. (Scorecard attached)</p> <p>FYI: 5 editions of our fortnightly e-bulletin FYI: 175 pages and 267 pieces of information in total. Sent to 728 contacts per fortnight (excluding sharing by members).</p>
<p>Engagement with C&YP, Parents/ Carers:</p>	<p>PGA Summer Programme: 59 children, 38 families, 40 peer mentors and 17 parents</p>
<p>Meetings Held:</p>	<p>Meetings Held: Locality Planning Groups</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Armagh LPG – 1st July (13 attended) • Dungannon LPG – 1st June (12 attended) and 31st August (8 attended) • Newry & Mourne LPG – 24th June (15 attended) • South Armagh LPG – 22nd June (9 attended)

	<p><u>Total attendance at LPG meetings: 57 members</u></p> <p><u>Meetings Held: Action Plan:</u></p> <p>Locality Planning Groups Action Plan:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summer is Coming – 3 sessions (63 attended) <p>Meetings Attended:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emotional Wellbeing Network (8 attended) • CAWT MACE Universal Interventions Sub Group (7 attended) • Loneliness Network Steering Group (8 attended) • Loneliness Network meeting (31 attended)
Upcoming Events:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thursday 30th September: Our Journey Through Disability Workshop • Wednesday 13th October: Newry & Mourne LPG Zoom recording of local services available • Continuing Action Planning with LPG's