



**CYPSP Down Locality Planning Group**  
**zoom**  
**14<sup>th</sup> March 2023**

**Minutes**

**Present:** Chair (acting) Noelle Hollywood South Eastern HSC Trust (SEHSCT)

Marie Kelly (Down Sure Start) Anne Marie Dooey (MDT) Shelley Kennan (MDT) Niamh Wallace (Sure Start) Fiona Armstrong Health improvement dietitian.

**Apologies** Lynda Vladeanu

<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Brief Description</b>	<b>Action</b>
<b>1. Welcome, Introductions</b>  <b>2. Minutes and matters arising</b>	Noelle Hollywood acting Chair Down LPG opened the meeting and welcomed the participants from Down Locality Planning Group  Due to the number of absences the group had a short update from each service.	

<p><b>Down Locality Planning update Fiona Armstrong Health Improvement Dietitian.</b></p>	<p>Fiona informed the group about the number of short training videos available on their YouTube channel, these could be shared across Childrens Services. There are also face to face training sessions on food and health essentials.</p>	<p>Action Fiona to share information with the group on how to access courses.</p>
<p><b>Shelly Keenam Mental Health Lead for Down MDT</b></p>	<p>Shelly updated the group on the early intervention contacts for Children &amp; Young People through the MDT delivered to local schools. AAND also have a number of MDT's, its hoped they can join the AAND LPG, which is currently acting under the AAND LPG Poverty Forum.</p>	<p>ACTION Noelle to share details of Poverty Forum Events.</p>
<p><b>Maria Kelly Co-ordinator Down SureStart</b></p>	<p>Maria informed the group on a number of services available in Down SureStart, they are currently developing their calendar of events for 23/24. Also discussed were the newcomer families living in temporary accommodation in Newcastle, there is a multiagency focus group to support these families.</p>	<p>ACTION Maria to keep the group informed.</p>
<p><b>Niamh Wallace Down SureStart</b></p>	<p>Niamh informed the group about new services in SureStart including a post-natal depression group.</p>	
<p><b>AnneMarie Dooley Down MDT</b></p>	<p>Anne Marie updated the group on the number of activates delivered by MDT for Children and Young People across the Trust. Further information can be found on GP/ MDT Facebook pages. There continues to be unmet need in talking therapies/services with the SE mind matters currently closed for new referrals.</p>	

<p><b>School Uniform Recycling Project</b></p>	<p>Noelle reminded the group about promoting School Uniform Projects, especially this year in the cost of living crisis.</p>	
<p><b>Solihull Foundation Training</b></p>	<p>Noelle informed the group about 2 day Solihull Foundation Training, to be held 6<sup>th</sup>/26<sup>th</sup> April, expression of interest from the C&amp;V sector. Please drop me an email if you are interested.</p>	<p><a href="mailto:Noelle.hollywood@setrut.hscni.net">Noelle.hollywood@setrut.hscni.net</a></p>
<p><b>Roots of Empathy</b></p>	<p>Recruitment for the Roots of Empathy programme is open, we particularly welcome schools from super output areas, please contact Noelle by email if you would like to volunteer for RoE instructor training, or to run the programme in your Primary School.</p>	
<p><b>NSPCC Pants</b></p>	<p>NSPCC Pants project to be rolled out across the Trust, implementation panel in progress.</p>	
<p><b>Fortnightly News</b></p>	<p>Fortnightly News, Noelle encouraged members to share their programmes and events in the Fortnightly Newsletter</p>	<p><b>ACTION</b></p> <p>Members to share stories/news / campaigns</p>
<p><b>Directory of Services</b></p>	<p>A number of e- Directories are available for distribution. Please contact Noelle for details</p>	
<p><b>South Eastern Outcomes Group</b></p>	<p>The objective of the Outcomes meeting is to reflect on regional priorities affecting Children and Young People, to refresh the action plan, and refocus on how best to move forward.</p> <p><u>Regional Priorities:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Emotional Health &amp; Wellbeing</li> <li>2. Early Intervention for Children with a disability.</li> </ol>	

3. Disruption to school/education

4. Food and fuel poverty.

<p><b>Background information on CYPSP and LPG</b></p>	<p><b><i>The Children Young People Strategic Partnership(CYPSP)</i></b></p> <p>The Children and Young People’s Strategic Partnership (CYPSP) was formed in 2011, it is a multiagency partnership which focuses on improving outcomes for children and young people and families (For further information about the CYPSP visit <a href="http://www.cypsp.org">www.cypsp.org</a>).</p> <p><b>Purpose of Locality Planning</b></p> <p>Locality Planning is part of the CYPSP focus on developing and supporting multi-agency early intervention approaches.</p> <p>Locality planning is about improving outcomes for children, young people and families at a local level.</p> <p>It focusses on how service delivery organisations can engage more effectively with each other to better understand local issues and to work together to produce more effective responses to those issues.</p> <p>Locality planning is about understanding community assets and strengths and ensuring that service delivery organisations seek to support those assets/strengths.</p>	

**It does this by:**

Developing shared information, knowledge base and expertise about the local area

Identifying opportunities to improve outcomes for children and young people by working better together

Building a commitment to early intervention

Building an effective partnership

The Locality Group reports to the South Eastern Outcomes Group

Relationships to other parts of the structure;

