

Work Programme

Children, Sports and Leisure Committee

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ROUND FOUR 2014/15 (26 January 2015)

Agenda Item	Recommendation and responsible officer	Update
Early Help Strategy	That further promotion of the two year old offer and an update on uptake at regular intervals be reported back to the Committee. The Committee endorsed the importance of early intervention in a child's development. Steve Comber	This is included in the Cabinet Member Update for Children and Young People.

ROUND FIVE 2015/16 (14 March 2016)

Agenda Item	Action and responsible officer/ Cabinet member	Update
Item 7. Female Genital Mutilation (FGM)	<p>The Committee made the following comments which would be forwarded to the Cabinet Member for Children and Young People for consideration:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The Committee welcomed the report and supported the efforts of the Council to work with community organisations to tackle FGM.2. The Committee highlighted the importance of engaging with men as well as women on addressing some of the beliefs around FGM and supported the proactive engagement with religious leaders to highlight the health problems and dangers of FGM for women.3. The Committee supported the need for sustainable funding for the project and supported efforts to identify funding from various sources.4. The Committee emphasised the	Ongoing

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	<p>importance that all social workers and practitioners received appropriate FGM training and were aware of the issues surrounding this practice.</p> <p>Anne Pollock</p>	
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ROUNDSIX 2015/16 (9 May 2016)

Agenda Item	Recommendation and responsible officer	Update
Committee Work Programme	That the Youth MP be invited to attend and speak at a future Committee. Anne Pollock	On-going
Inspection Performance Report: Ofsted Inspection of Children's Services and Probation Inspectorate Inspection of Youth Offending	<p>The Committee made the following comments which would be forwarded to the Cabinet Member for Children and Young People for consideration:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Committee endorsed the work of the Youth Offending Service and Children's Services through the very positive outcome of the inspections. 2. The Committee highlighted the need to ensure the continuation of the high performance services and that they continue to be open to challenge and to undertake rigorous self-assessment to maintain their commitment to excellence. 3. The Committee highlighted the need for the services to focus on future challenges, which would impact on the protection of young people in Westminster. 4. The Committee endorsed future partnership working between the Voluntary Sector and Youth Offending Service to improve 	On-going

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	outcomes for young people and reduce re-offending.	
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