

Children and Families Overview and Scrutiny Committee actions – 16 May 2024

	<i>Topic</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Responsibility</i>	<i>Progress</i>
1	Update on the Child X LCSPR	To confirm the target date for completion of action 3.1 of the Child X LCSPR action plan.	Ann James	The plan has been updated to reflect the target date for completion of action 3.1 to December 2024.
2	Update on the Child X LCSPR	To review the Child X LCSPR action plan at a future committee meeting.	Laura Powick/ Ann James	This has been added to the work plan for consideration at the 7 November 2024 meeting.
3	Update on the Child X LCSPR	To circulate the Children's Services member communications protocol with the Committee via email.	Ann James	Drafted and will be shared with CFOSC members w/c 08-07-24.
4	Update on the Child X LCSPR	To liaise with Rob Ayliffe on the work he is doing on member and officer communications, to ensure the protocol being developed within Children's Services is aligned with wider protocols.	Ann James	Completed.
5	Update on the Child X LCSPR	To organise a briefing for all members on the role of the councillor in safeguarding.	Laura Powick/ Ann James	A session will be arranged for the end of the summer.
6	Update on the Child X LCSPR	To include safeguarding training as part of the member induction programme.	Laura Powick	A session has been included in the draft member induction programme.
7	Youth Work in Gloucestershire	To circulate a response with Committee members to the question on the benefits of outsourcing youth justice services and as to whether any thought had been given to bringing these services back in house.	Ann James	The youth justice service is being brought in-house (see Decision - Youth Support Service Recommissioning - short term extension to current contract. (gloucestershire.gov.uk))
8	Youth Work in	To invite the new youth services provider to	Laura Powick	This has been scheduled in

	Gloucestershire	attend a future Committee meeting to discuss the provision of specialist youth services.		the work plan for March 2025.
9	Work Plan	<p>The Committee's Work Plan to be updated as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An update on progress against the actions from the Child X LCSPR to be added to the agenda for the meeting on 7 November 2024. • An update on permanent exclusions to be included as part of the update on school attendance scheduled for the meeting on 7 November 2024. • The Fostering Annual Report to be received at the meeting in January 2025. • An item on Academisation, including the impact on and the role of the Local Authority, would be included on the agenda for the March 2025 meeting. • The Bright Spots Survey Results to be presented at the March 2025 meeting. • A presentation on specialist youth provision from the new youth services provider to be included on the agenda for March 2025. • An item on Child Safety Online, including an overview of the issues and how they can be addressed, to be included on the agenda for the January 2025 meeting. • An item on Child Friendly Gloucestershire to also be included on the agenda for 	Laura Powick	The work plan has been updated.

		<p>January 2025.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The second part of meeting on 7 November 2024 to be held in exempt session for the Committee to receive the first of the twice yearly private briefings on GSCP local learning reviews, rapid reviews and LCSPRs.		
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