

CORPORATE PARENTING WORK PROGRAMME 2014-2017

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1.0 Amcanion

1.1	Formulate a strategy in conjunction with children in care to provide practical guidance to the Council.	Consultation with children in care, with Panel members and use information about best practice to underpin the strategy	RP/ITJ/PT	October 2014	Provision of a strategic document which outlines the steps that the Council will take to support children in care has been approved by Cabinet and Council
1.2	Corporate Parenting Strategy - Gwynedd Council	Approval, distribution strategy and ensure awareness of	ITJ/AME/RP Heads of Service	January 2015	<p>A clear understanding among members, staff and those working on behalf of the Council of the corporate parenting strategy.</p> <p>Evidence of the impact will be measured by the Corporate Parenting Panel annually.</p> <p>Performance Measures have been developed for the Corporate Parenting Panel Annual Report to Cabinet and Full Council</p>
1.3	Impact of the strategy on the lives of children in care Lead	Lead Members receive appropriate	RP/ITJ/PT	May 2015	Parenting Panel Members receive evidence that the

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	Members receive appropriate evidence of performance	evidence of performance			strategy has a positive impact on the lives of children in care.
1.4	Strategic Plan – Gwynedd Council	Corporate Parenting issues are reflected in the Strategic Plan	RP/ITJ/PT	May 2015	Strategic Plan includes how Gwynedd Council will fulfil its obligations in the field of corporate parenting.

2.0 Awareness Raising

2.1	Corporate Parenting Training for elected members.	A program of training / awareness has been established.	MPH/RP/PT/ITJ/AME	November 2014	Members are familiar with the policy the Council's corporate parenting strategy
2.2	Raise awareness amongst staff of the work of Corporate Parenting Panel	A programme of awareness raising corporate parenting has been agreed, established within the Council's corporate training matrix.	RP/ITJ/AME Corporate Heads	November 2014	All employees of the Council had received information about their corporate parenting role
2.3	Promote awareness of the needs of children in care partners	Identify areas of partner's contact with the needs of children in care and agree support level with partners	RP/MPH/ITJ	May 2015	The Council and it's partners work closely to increase their positive impact on children in care services.

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