

**SPECIALIST CHILDREN'S SERVICES POLICY  
OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**

**Wednesday, 28th September, 2011**

**2.00 pm**

**Darent Room, Sessions House, County Hall,  
Maidstone**







## AGENDA

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**Wednesday, 28 September 2011 at 2.00pm** Ask for: **Theresa Grayell**  
**Darent Room, Sessions House, County** Telephone: **(01622) 694277**  
**Hall, Maidstone**

*Tea/Coffee will be available 15 minutes before the meeting*

### Membership (12)

Conservative (10): Mrs A D Allen (Chairman), Mr M J Angell, Mrs P T Cole,  
Mr H J Craske, Mr T Gates, Mr J D Kirby, Mr S Manion,  
Mr M J Northey, Mr J M Ozog and Mr C T Wells

Liberal Democrat (1): Mr M J Vye (Vice-Chairman)

Labour (1): Mr E Green

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### UNRESTRICTED ITEMS

*(During these items the meeting is likely to be open to the public)*

#### Item No

#### A. COMMITTEE BUSINESS

- A1 Introduction/webcasting
- A2 Substitutes
- A3 Declarations of Members' Interest relating to items on today's agenda
- A4 Minutes of the meeting of this Committee held on 21 June 2011 (Pages 1 - 28)  
Together with minutes of meetings of the:  
Corporate Parenting Panel held on 21 June and 31 August 2011  
Children's Services Improvement Panel held on 22 June and 13 July 2011

A5 Dates of Meetings in 2012

*The Committee is asked to note that the following dates have been reserved for this Committee's meetings in 2012:-*

Thursday 19 January – 2.00 pm  
Thursday 22 March – 10.00 am  
Thursday 21 June – 10.00 am  
Friday 28 September – 10.00 am  
Friday 23 November – 10.00 am

A6 Chairman's Announcements

A7 Oral Update by Cabinet Member

**B. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION**

B1 Children's Services Improvement Plan - Quarterly Update (Pages 29 - 66)

B2 Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) - a progress report on the development of the service (Pages 67 - 72)

**C. ITEMS FOR NOTE AND COMMENT**

C1 Specialist Children's Services Budget Forecast Report 2011/12 (Pages 73 - 90)

C2 Connecting with Communities - 2010/11 Annual Report on Consultation, Engagement and Involvement Activity (Pages 91 - 104)

C3 Complaints 2010/11 (Pages 105 - 124)

**D. SELECT COMMITTEE UPDATE**

D1 Update on Select Committee work (Pages 125 - 126)

**EXEMPT ITEMS**

*(At the time of preparing the agenda there were no exempt items. During any such items which may arise the meeting is likely NOT to be open to the public)*

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Head of Democratic Services  
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**Tuesday, 20 September 2011**

*Please note that any background documents referred to in the accompanying papers maybe inspected by arrangement with the officer responsible for preparing the relevant report.*