

From Peter Oakford, Cabinet Member for Specialist Children's Services
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To: Corporate Parenting Panel

Date: 9 April 2015

Subject: **EMOTIONAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING STRATEGY**

Classification: Unrestricted

Previous Pathway: None

Future Pathway: Children's Social Care and Health Cabinet Committee - 21 April 2015

Electoral Division: All

Recommendations: The Corporate Parenting Panel is asked to:

- a) **NOTE** the attached draft report to the next Children's Social Care and Health Cabinet Committee.

1 Introduction

- 1.1 An update on the Emotional Health and Wellbeing Strategy is due to be discussed at the 21 April 2015 Children's Social Care and Health Cabinet Committee.
- 1.2 Given the particular importance for Children in Care to have access to good emotional health support and mental health services, the Corporate Parenting Panel also asked to discuss the development of the strategy.
- 1.3 The draft report to the Cabinet Committee is attached as Appendix 1 and is available for the Panel to discuss and comment on.

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