

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL –RECORD OF DECISION

DECISION TO BE TAKEN BY:

Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care & Public Health

DECISION NO:

15/00067

For publication

Subject: Contract Extensions for Starting Well services – School Public Health Services and Young People’s Substance Misuse Services – to 30 September 2016

Decision:

As Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Public Health, I agree that the County Council extend the current contracts for the Starting Well services outlined in the attached recommendation report to 30th September 2016, to allow for harmonisation of the contract end dates, prior to a transformation of the approach and subsequent competitive tender of services.

Reason(s) for decision:

Decision exceeds key decision financial criteria. The annual value of each of the contracts are:

- School Public Health Services (KCHFT) –£4,859, 856
- School Public Health Service (MFT) –£414,379
- Young People’s Substance Misuse Service (KCA) –£854,464

Cabinet Committee recommendations and other consultation:

The Children’s Social Care and Health Cabinet Committee considered the matter at its meeting of 22 July and endorsed the proposal to extend the contracts, as set out above.

Any alternatives considered:

An earlier competitive tendering process was considered, but for the reasons outlined in the accompanying recommendation report this was not followed

Any interest declared when the decision was taken and any dispensation granted by the Proper Officer:

None



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signed

8 SEPTEMBER 2015
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date