

Corporate Parenting Panel Agenda



To: Councillor Alisa Flemming (Chair)

Councillors Maddie Henson, Bernadette Khan, Pat Clouder, Mike Bonello, Sue Bennett and Maria Gatland

Co-optee Members

Virtual School: Shelley Davies, Angela Griffiths, Sarah Bailey
CLA Designated Health Professionals: Dr Julia Simpson, Fiona Simmons
Health Commissioners: Roneeta Campbell-Butler
EMPIRE: Young People and Council Staff
Care Leaver Representative
Foster Carer Representatives: Angela Christmas, Manny Kwamin

A meeting of the **Corporate Parenting Panel** which you are hereby summoned to attend, will be held on **Wednesday, 10 November 2021** at **5.00 pm**. This meeting will be held virtually and a meeting link will be circulated in due course.

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AGENDA – PART A

1. Apologies for absence

To receive any apologies for absence from any members of the Panel.

2. Minutes of the previous meeting

[Reports to Follow]

3. Disclosures of interest

Members and co-opted Members of the Council are reminded that, in accordance with the Council's Code of Conduct and the statutory provisions of the Localism Act, they are required to consider in advance of each meeting whether they have a disclosable pecuniary interest (DPI), another registrable interest (ORI) or a non-registrable interest (NRI) in relation to any matter on the agenda. If advice is needed, Members should contact the Monitoring Officer in good time before the meeting.

If any Member or co-opted Member of the Council identifies a DPI or ORI which they have not already registered on the Council's register of interests or which requires updating, they should complete the disclosure form which can be obtained from Democratic Services at any time, copies of which will be available at the meeting for return to the Monitoring Officer.

Members and co-opted Members are required to disclose any DPIs and ORIs at the meeting:

- Where the matter relates to a DPI they may not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not stay in the meeting unless granted a dispensation.
- Where the matter relates to an ORI they may not vote on the matter unless granted a dispensation.
- Where a Member or co-opted Member has an NRI which directly relates to their financial interest or wellbeing, or that of a relative or close associate, they must disclose the interest at the meeting, may not take part in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not stay in the meeting unless granted a dispensation.

Where a matter affects the NRI of a Member or co-opted Member, section 9 of Appendix B of the Code of Conduct sets out the test which must be applied by the Member to decide whether disclosure is required.

The Chair will invite Members to make their disclosure orally at the commencement of Agenda item 3, to be recorded in the minutes.

4. Update on actions agreed at previous meeting(s)

5. Urgent Business (if any)

To receive notice of any business not on the agenda which in the opinion of the Chair, by reason of special circumstances, be considered as a matter of urgency.

6. EMPIRE Presentation

7. Independent Reviewing Officer Service (Pages 5 - 24)

This report is an analysis of the activity of the Independent Reviewing Officer Service and its effectiveness and impact on children's and young people's safety and care in Croydon and covers the period from 1st October 2020 to 30st September 2021

8. Initial Health Assessments and Review Health Assessments for Looked After Children Emotional Wellbeing and Mental Health offer for Children Looked After (Pages 25 - 42)

This report will is provided in two parts to explain the current performance and pathways for the Initial Health Assessment and Review Health Assessments (Part 1) and an update on the Emotional Wellbeing and Mental Health offer for Children Looked After. (Part 2)

9. Children in Care Performance Scorecard

[To Follow]

10. How has the Panel helped Children in Care today?

For the panel to consider how its work at the meeting will improve services for children in care.

11. Work Programme (Pages 43 - 46)

To consider and approve the Panel's work programme for the municipal year 2021/22.

12. Exclusion of the Press and Public

The following motion is to be moved and seconded where it is proposed to exclude the press and public from the remainder of a meeting:

“That, under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act, 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information falling within those paragraphs indicated in Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, as amended.”

