

Dorset County Council



Meeting: Safeguarding Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Time: 10.00 am

Date: 5 October 2016

Venue: Committee Room 1, County Hall, Dorchester, Dorset, DT1 1XJ

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1. Apologies for Absence

To receive any apologies for absence.

2. Code of Conduct

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3. Minutes 3 - 8

To confirm and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 14 June 2016.

4. Public Participation

- (a) Public Participation
- (b) Petitions

5. Post Ofsted Progress

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To receive an update on the recent Ofsted inspection from the Director for Children's Services, following a report to the Cabinet on 7 September 2016, attached for ease of reference.

6. Looked After Children

To receive feedback from the Chairman of the Looked after Children Task and Finish Group, following their initial meeting on 8 September 2016.

7. Educational Health Care Plans (EHCP) - Timelines

To consider a report from the Director for Children's Services (to follow), which will include a Position Statement of EHCP timescales (Assessment and Transfer).

8. Domestic Abuse Scoping Paper

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To consider a scoping report from the Director for Children's Services.

9. Work Programme

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To consider the work programme for the Safeguarding Overview Committee.

10. Questions from County Councillors

To answer any questions received in writing by the Chief Executive by not later than 10.00am on Friday 30 September 2016.