

Southampton Children & Young Peoples Representative Feedback Form

Meeting: Making a Positive Contribution Sub Group

Date: 17th September 2009

Main Agenda Items and Issues	Issues and Activities (especially those relevant to the voluntary sector)	Actions/Issues (especially those relevant to the voluntary sector)
Children & Young People Plan reports	Youth Crime Prevention draft report was discussed, which included an initial directory of providers. Main discussion was around use of the CAF in the city and as a result the process will be clarified, the current training reviewed and impact on VCS assessed (lead professional, feedback/comms, capacity). Impact of locality team structure on city-wide VCS providers was discussed – for example with 5 CTCG locality teams in the city meeting every 2 weeks, city-wide voluntary sector providers would need to attend them all, not to mention other locality based teams!	All young people who engage with commissioned providers will need a CAF. Organisations that attended the consultation with Ros Casey at Eastpoint will be contacted/added to directory. For city-wide providers a manager or officer will be nominated within the dept.
Performance Reporting	We reviewed the National Indicators of interest to the MAPC subgroup and progress against the CYPP/LAA targets. There has been a reduction in first time entrants (FTE) and NEETs – the combined effect however resulting in the % of NEETs increasing!	
Engagement with children and young people	Not discussed as Sheena Randall not present.	PW to meet with Sheena to discuss further and feedback at next MAPC meeting.
Commissioning	The schedule and spec was reviewed without VS reps present.	PQQ now available at Supply Southampton website.
AOB	The DCSF commissioning self evaluation was completed. Coordination of the various parenting initiatives is needed (IIP, Think Family etc). Think Family Awareness Event will be held at Holiday Inn on 22 nd October. A plan for sustainability of YSDF funded organisations post March 2011 is required.	
Date of next meeting	6 th November	
Voluntary Sector Reps Attending		
Pete White. Rob Marsden		

Note: Minutes from the meeting have not been circulated to members to date (21/09/09). PW