

Summary of functions of each People and Communities Division

1. Health and Care Integrated Commissioning

Jane Shayler, Director – Integrated Health & Care Commissioning (Council and CCG)

Councillor Vic Pritchard, Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Health

- Commissioning of Adult Care and Community Health Services (Includes: Older People, Learning Disabilities, Physical Disabilities, Long Term Chronic Conditions, Residential Care, Nursing Care, Domiciliary Care)
- Commissioning of Adult Mental Health Services
- Commissioning of Substance Misuse Services
- Commissioning of preventative and early help services for CYP and families
- Commissioning of specialist care services for CYP and families
- Commissioning of Child Health Services
- Commissioning of CYP Mental Health Services
- Better Care Fund
- LA role in health system resilience (seasonal planning)

Scrutiny

- Health and Wellbeing Select Committee (Councillor Francine Haeberling, Chair)
- Health and Wellbeing Board (Dr Ian Orpen, Clinical Commissioning Group Chair and Councillor Vic Pritchard – Co Chairs)
- CYP Policy Development and Scrutiny Panel (Councillor Lisa Brett, Chair)

3. Public Health

Dr Bruce Laurence, Director – Public Health

Councillor Vic Pritchard, Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Health

- Commissioning of Children’s public health services
- Commissioning of Adult public health service
- Sexual Health Services
- Health improvement and health Inequalities
- Emergency Planning and Resilience
- Health visiting and Family Nurse Partnership
- Advice, consultancy and guidance to Clinical Commissioning Group
- Advice, consultancy and guidance to Local Authority
- Health Intelligence (Joint Strategic Needs Assessment)

Scrutiny

- Health and Wellbeing Select Committee (Councillor Francine Haeberling, Chair)
- Health and Wellbeing Board (Dr Ian Orpen, Clinical Commissioning Group Chair and Councillor Vic Pritchard – Co Chairs)

5. Education Transformation

Margaret Simmons-Bird, Head of Education Transformation

Councillor Michael Evans, Cabinet Member for Children's Services

- Strategic Planning for schools (Admissions, Transport, Place Planning, Capital Strategy)
- School Improvement and Achievement
- Virtual School for Looked After Children
- Specialist Educational Needs Policy and Planning (with Targeted and Specialist Division)
- Leading the work to support schools, and to transform the council's support services to schools, in light of shifting national policy and legislation/academisation.

Scrutiny

- CYP Policy Development and Scrutiny Panel (Councillor Lisa Brett, Chair)
- Health and Wellbeing Board (Dr Ian Orpen, Clinical Commissioning Group Chair and Councillor Vic Pritchard – Co Chairs)

6. CYP Targeted and Specialist Services

Richard Baldwin, Divisional Director, Targeted and Specialist

Councillor Michael Evans, Cabinet Member for Children's Services

- Child Protection Services
- Children in Need Services
- Looked After Children's Services (including Fostering Care and Residential Care)
- Adoption and Permanence Services
- Youth Connect
- Connecting (Troubled) Families
- Early Years and Children's Centre Services
- Early Help and Preventative Services
- Youth Offending Services
- Vulnerable Learners (Children Missing Education, SEN Services, Hospital and Reintegration, Educational Psychology, Alternative Provision)
- Disabled Children's Services
- Care Leaving Services

Scrutiny

- CYP Policy Development and Scrutiny Panel (Councillor Lisa Brett, Chair)
- Health and Wellbeing Board (Dr Ian Orpen, Clinical Commissioning Group Chair and Councillor Vic Pritchard – Co Chairs)

7. Safeguarding Assurance and QA

Lesley Hutchinson, Head of Safeguarding Assurance and QA

Councillor Michael Evans, Cabinet Member for Children's Services

Councillor Vic Pritchard, Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Health

- Adult Safeguarding and Assurance
- CYP Safeguarding Assurance (including Independent Reviewing Services (LAC), Independent Child Protection Chairing Service and Local Authority Designated Officer function)
- Local Safeguarding Adults Board
- Local Safeguarding Children Board
- Deprivation of Liberty (DoLS) Safeguards
- Approved Mental Health Practitioner Service
- Social Care Complaints Management (adults and children)

Scrutiny

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