Health, Wellbeing and Local Government Committee

Minutes (HWLG(3)-09-10)

Date: Thursday 13 May 2010 Time: 12.50 - 3.30 p.m. Venue: Committee Room 2, Senedd

Assembly Members in Attendance

Darren Millar, Clwyd West (Chair) Andrew R.T. Davies, South Wales Central Lorraine Barrett, Cardiff South and Penarth Peter Black, South Wales West Dai Lloyd, South Wales West Helen Mary Jones, Llanelli Val Lloyd, Swansea East Irene James, Islwyn

In Attendance

Greta Thomas, Director of NSPCC Cymru/Wales Keith Towler, Children's Commissioner for Wales Imelda Richardson, Chief Inspector of CSSIW Jonathan Corbett, Assistant Chief Inspector of CSSIW - Service Regulation & Inspection Sue Williams, Head of the Youth Justice Board for Wales Steve Dobson, Head of Wales Workforce Development and Social Care

Assembly Staff

Marc Wyn Jones, Committee Clerk Sarita Marshall, Deputy Committee Clerk Siân Thomas, Members' Research Service (Items 1-5) Steve Boyce, Members' Research Service (Item 6)

Item 1: Introduction, Apologies and Substitutions

1.1 The Chair welcomed Committee Members and members of the public.

1.2 Apologies had been received from Ann Jones.

Item 2: Committee Inquiry into Local Safeguarding Children Boards: Evidence from NSPCC

2.1 The witness responded to questions from the Committee.

Action

Witness to provide Committee with examples of where she feels the guidance relating to LSCBs could be improved.

Witness to provide Committee with any information she may have on LSCB funding formulae.

Item 3: Committee Inquiry into Local Safeguarding Children Boards: Evidence from the Children's Commissioner for Wales

3.1 The witness responded to questions from the Committee.

Item 4: Committee Inquiry into Local Safeguarding Children Boards: Evidence from CSSIW

4.1 The witnesses responded to questions from the Committee.

Item 5: Committee Inquiry into Local Safeguarding Children Boards: Evidence from the Youth Justice Board

5.1 The witnesses responded to questions from the Committee.

Action

Witnesses to provide information on engagement of youth offending team management boards in Wales when available.

Private Session

Item 6: Committee Inquiry into Wheelchair Services—Draft Report

6.1 The Committee resolved to consider item 6 in private session, in accordance with Standing Order 10.37(vi).

6.2 The Committee agreed the draft report for publication.

Papers to Note

HWLG(3)-09-10-p7 Information on Neonatal Care from Hywel Dda Health Board HWLG(3)-09-10-p8 Information on Neonatal Care from Aneurin Bevan Health Board HWLG(3)-08-10 Minutes of previous meeting

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