

Concise Minutes – Equality and Social Justice Committee

Meeting Venue:

Video Conference via Zoom

Meeting date: Monday, 22 November
2021

Meeting time: 13.00 – 15.00

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Informal, Private, Remote

Attendance

Category	Names
Members of the Senedd:	Jenny Rathbone MS (Chair) Jane Dodds MS Sam Rowlands MS Sarah Murphy MS Sioned Williams MS Ken Skates MS

1 Registration

1.1 Participants registered for the meeting.

2 Opening comments and welcome from the Chair

2.1 The Chair welcomed Members and participants to the meeting.

3 Group discussions

3.1 Participants joined the following groups and discussed childcare and parental employment during the pandemic.

Group 1

Ceri Edwards, Mudiad Meithrin

Nia Parker, Mudiad Meithrin

Eirwen Hughes, Mudiad Meithrin

Beth Watkins, Monmouthshire County Council

Rachel Jones, Gwynedd Council

Sarah Mutch, Caerphilly County Borough Council

Group 2

Naomi Evans, Clybiau Plant Cymru / CWLWM

Amy Baugh, Clybiau Plant Cymru

Group 3

Delyth Evans, Mudiad Meithrin

Rhian Beynon, Gingerbread

Catherine Davies, Welsh Local Government Association

Sarah Rees, Oxfam Cymru

4 Closing comments and next steps

4.1 Each group reported back their key findings before the Chair closed the meeting.