

Concise Minutes – Children, Young People and Education Committee

Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 1 – Senedd

Meeting date: Thursday, 24 October
2019

Meeting time: 09.30 – 12.11

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Attendance

Category	Names
Assembly Members:	Lynne Neagle AM (Chair) Dawn Bowden AM Hefin David AM Suzy Davies AM Janet Finch–Saunders AM Siân Gwenllïan AM
Witnesses:	Julie Morgan AM, Deputy Minister for Health and Social Services Emma Gammon, Welsh Government Karen Cornish, Welsh Government
Committee Staff:	Llinos Madeley (Clerk) Sarah Bartlett (Deputy Clerk) Lisa Salkeld (Legal Adviser)



1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

1.1 The Chair welcomed Members, there were no apologies.

2 Children (Abolition of Defence of Reasonable Punishment) (Wales) Bill – Stage 2 Proceedings

2.1 In accordance with Standing Order 26.21, the Committee disposed of the following amendments to the Bill:

Amendment 1A (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 1A was not agreed.		

Amendment 1B (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 1B was not agreed.		

Amendment 1C (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 1C was not agreed.		

Amendment 1D (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 1D was not agreed.		

Amendment 1E (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 1E was not agreed.		

Amendment 1 (Julie Morgan)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Lynne Neagle	Suzy Davies	
Hefin David	Janet Finch–Saunders	
Dawn Bowden		
Sian Gwenllian		
Amendment 1 was agreed.		

Amendment 2C (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 2C was not agreed.		

Amendment 2A (Suzy Davies)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 2A was not agreed.		

Amendment 2D (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 2D was not agreed.		

Amendment 2E (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 2E was not agreed.		

Amendment 2F (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 2F was not agreed.		

Amendment 2G (Jane Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 2G was not agreed.		

Amendment 2H (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 2H was not agreed.		

Amendment 2I (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 2I was not agreed.		

Amendment 2J (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 2J was not agreed.		

Amendment 2K (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 2K was not agreed.		

Amendment 2B (Suzy Davies) was not moved.

Amendment 2 (Julie Morgan)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Lynne Neagle	Suzy Davies	
Hefin David	Janet Finch–Saunders	
Dawn Bowden		
Sian Gwenllian		
Amendment 2 was agreed.		

Amendment 3A (Suzy Davies)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 3A was not agreed.		

Amendment 3 (Julie Morgan) was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 17.34(i).

Amendment 11 (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 11 was not agreed.		

Amendment 12 (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 12 was not agreed.		

Amendment 4 (Julie Morgan)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Lynne Neagle	Suzy Davies	
Hefin David	Janet Finch–Saunders	
Dawn Bowden		
Sian Gwenllian		
Amendment 4 was agreed.		

Amendment 5 (Julie Morgan)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Lynne Neagle	Suzy Davies	
Hefin David	Janet Finch–Saunders	
Dawn Bowden		
Sian Gwenllian		
Amendment 5 was agreed.		

Amendment 6 (Julie Morgan) was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 17.34(i).

Amendment 9 (Suzy Davies)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 9 was not agreed.		

Amendment 13 (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 13 was not agreed.		

Amendment 14 (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 14 was not agreed.		

Amendment 7 (Julie Morgan)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Lynne Neagle	Suzy Davies	
Hefin David	Janet Finch–Saunders	
Dawn Bowden		
Sian Gwenllian		
Amendment 7 was agreed.		

Amendment 10 (Suzy Davies)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 10 was not agreed.		

Amendment 15 (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 15 was not agreed.		

Amendment 16 (Janet Finch–Saunders)

In Favour	Against	Abstain
Janet Finch–Saunders	Lynne Neagle	
Suzy Davies	Hefin David	
	Dawn Bowden	
	Sian Gwenllian	
Amendment 16 was not agreed.		

Amendment 8 (Julie Morgan) was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 17.34(i).

2.2 The Chair confirmed that all sections and schedules of the Bill have been deemed agreed, completing Stage 2 proceedings.

3 Papers to note

3.1 The papers were noted.

4 Motion under Standing Order 17.42(ix) to resolve to exclude the public for the remainder of the meeting

4.1 The Motion was agreed.

5 Perinatal Mental Health – Follow-up – consideration of the October update from the Welsh Government

5.1 The Committee considered the update from the Minister. It agreed the following:

- to invite the National Clinical Lead to give evidence at a formal committee meeting;
- to invite WHSSC and a representative from Swansea Bay University Health Board and Betsi Cadwaladr University Health to give evidence at a formal committee meeting;
- to request a Chair's Plenary statement under Standing Order 12.50 (iv) at an appropriate future date to draw progress to the Assembly's attention.

6 Inquiry into Education Otherwise than at School – consideration of approach to evidence gathering

6.1 The Committee considered the approach to evidence gathering. Members agreed to visit three PRU/provider of education services otherwise than at school to speak with young people, staff and parents/carers.

6.2 The Committee agreed the schedule of witnesses for oral evidence sessions, to start in January 2020.