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National Assembly for Wales
Children, Young People and Education Committee

Nick Ramsay AM

Chair of the Public Accounts Committee
National Assembly for Wales

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Dear Nick,


Inquiry into the Emotional and Mental Health of Children and Young People

As you will be aware the Assembly's Children, Young People and Education Committee has been undertaking a significant inquiry into the emotional and mental health of children and young people.

On 18 January we held an oral evidence session with All Wales Heads of Children's Services, the Welsh Local Government Association and the National Adoption Service. During this session, and as part of the written evidence they submitted jointly, a number of issues arose in relation to looked after children. Today we held our last evidence session with the Cabinet Secretary for Education and the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Services. Again, matters relating to looked after children arose.

In light of your ongoing inquiry into care experienced children and young people, I wanted to draw your attention to this evidence given its relevance to your work. We hope to report by Easter and I will ensure that a copy of our report is shared with you.

Yours sincerely



Lynne Neagle AM

Chair

