Scrutiny Board (Children's Services)

Outstanding issues from 2007/08

Education Standards

- The final report from the inquiry completed in April 2008 will come to the Board in July for agreement.
- Last year the Board made a strong recommendation that an inquiry is prioritised in 2008/09 on those entering the education system.

Responses to Scrutiny Inquiry reports

- The response to the statement on Inclusion published in April 2008 will come to the Board in July.
- The response to the inquiry on services for 8-13 year olds will come to the Board in September.

David Young Academy

• In January 2008, the Principal of the Academy invited Members of the Board to visit the Academy at the beginning of its new school year (June/July) to talk to Year 7 pupils about their experience of transition.

Teenage Conception

 The Scrutiny Board (Health and Adult Social Care) published a Statement from the Teenage Pregnancy Working Group in April 2008. It recommends that further scrutiny, in the form of a full inquiry, be carried out into teenage conceptions during the municipal year 2008/09.