

## Appendix 1

### Inner South Children and Young People's Working Group

#### Terms of reference

##### 1.) Purpose

The Children and Young People's Working Group brings together representatives from the statutory and community and voluntary sector who work with and for children and young people, their families and carers in the Inner South. By working together the group will support, coordinate and monitor partner's respective delivery arrangements, positively impacting the lives of children and young people in the Inner South.

##### 2.) Guiding operating principles

**Meetings:** three meetings a year.

**Links:** The group should proactively seek to establish links with other service providers that will benefit its work.

**Status:** The group shall act on behalf of the Inner Area Committee.

**Governance:** the meeting will be administered by Area Support Team.

**Equality:** The group will ensure that equality, diversity, community cohesion and community safety issues are considered in the development and delivery of the project.

**Terms:** The terms of reference will be reviewed on an annual basis.

##### 3.) Functions

1. Review current provision for Children and Young People across the Inner Area
2. Develop a coordinated programme of joint activities that offer best value for money and achieve the best service provision for children and young people in the Inner South.
3. Set priorities based on clear evidence.
4. Link citywide strategic direction and local implementation through joint working.
5. Share good practice and establish improved working in line with the 'Locality Working' agenda.
6. Inform the Area Committee Business Plan in relation to Children and Family issues.

##### 4) Membership

Membership should include the following:

- Chair and Children's Champion as nominated by Inner South Area Committee- Cllr Angela Gabriel
- Youth Service Managers– St Clair Brown (Beeston) and Georgina Bright (Middleton Park).
- Extended Services Cluster Manager- JESS Cluster – Maggie Hartley

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- Extended Services Cluster Manager – Middleton Cluster – Joanne Hainsworth
- Extended Cluster Manager – Beeston & Cottingham – Helen Moorby
- Sports Development Team – Everton Whatley
- Police Inspectors– Insp. Jon Aldred – Holbeck / Insp. Yvette Hammill - Rothwell
- Third Sector Representative - VAL
- The Breeze Team
- Area Support Team

**Chair:** The Chair of the Group shall be a Ward Councillor as nominated by the Inner South Area Committee. The Chair shall be the Children's Champion for the Area Committee.

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