Outcomes Monitoring

The CYPSP, through all its groups, is carrying out integrated planning and commissioning to improve outcomes for children and young people. This means gathering statistical data and information from communities in order to understand how well children and young people are doing in terms of outcomes, and then putting into place services which are designed to improve these outcomes.

Keep up to date on how children and young people are doing in your area by visiting our interactive maps on our website www.cypsp.org (go to Outcomes Based Planning> Interactive Maps) or; by downloading outcome monitoring reports for your area from www.cypsp.org go to Publications > Outcomes Monitoring Reports.

Example of the Interactive Mapping System in use

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An Introduction to the CYPSP Website

The Children and Young People’s Strategic Partnership (CYPSP) website provides information about how the Partnership is working together to improve the lives of children and young people in Northern Ireland. The website address is, (www.cypsp.org).

The CYPSP has been set up to enable agencies across the statutory, voluntary and community sectors, to plan and provide services together that will improve outcomes for children and young people.

Regional Sub Groups
The CYPSP has agreed to carry out specific work in relation to groups of children and young people at a particular disadvantage. These are either being addressed by sub groups or linking existing Northern Ireland work.

The groups of children and young people identified include:
- Young carers
- Black and minority ethnic children and young people
- Children and young people with disabilities
- Transitions
- Children and young people with emotional and behavioural difficulties
- Children and young people and offending
- Children and young people affected by domestic violence
- Looked after children and vulnerable 16+ young people
- Lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) children and young people
- Children affected by parents with drug/alcohol issues (Hidden Harm)
- Children who have family members with mental health issues (Think Family)

Outcomes Groups
Five geographically based Outcomes Groups are carrying out integrated planning and commissioning of services to improve outcomes for children and young people in their areas. Membership includes representatives from statutory, voluntary and community sectors.

The Outcomes Groups are:
- Belfast Outcomes Group
- Northern Outcomes Group
- South-Eastern Outcomes Group
- Southern Outcomes Group
- Western Outcomes Group

Locality Planning Groups
Locality Planning Groups are partnerships between children and young people, families, communities and representatives of agencies at a much more local level. They plan services in a very local area that makes sense to the children and young people.

Family Support Hubs
A Family Support Hub is a multi-agency network of statutory, community and voluntary organisations that either provide early intervention services or work with families who need early intervention services.

Family Support Hubs accept referrals from families who need early intervention support. The Hubs use their knowledge of local service providers with the Family Support Database; www.familysupportni.gov.uk to signpost families with specific needs to appropriate services.