



OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY BOARD

9 MARCH 2010

CHILDREN AND LEARNING SCRUTINY PANEL

- PROGRESS REPORT

PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1. To provide members of the Overview and Scrutiny Board (OSB) with an update on the work of the Children and Learning Scrutiny Panel.

RECOMMENDATION

2. That the Overview and Scrutiny Board notes the updated position.

BACKGROUND

3. Since the last update to OSB, the Children and Learning Scrutiny Panel has met once, on 8 February 2010.
4. At that meeting, the panel concluded its investigation of substance misuse education by considering and approving a draft final report on the subject. The panel's final report is included elsewhere on the current OSB agenda.
5. The Children and Learning Scrutiny Panel's next meeting is on 1 March 2010 and will consider an introduction/overview of the next topic on the work programme - namely Young Carers. A verbal update from that meeting will be presented at OSB.

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