

CHILDREN'S SCRUTINY PANEL

Date: Monday 8th December, 2025

Time: 4.30 pm

Venue: Mandela Room, Town Hall

AGENDA

1. Apologies for Absence

2. Welcome and Fire Evacuation Procedure

In the event the fire alarm sounds attendees will be advised to evacuate the building via the nearest fire exit and assemble at the Bottle of Notes opposite MIMA.

- 3. Declarations of Interest
- 4. Minutes Children's Scrutiny Panel 27 October 2025

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5. South Tees Safeguarding Children Partnership Annual Report 2024/25

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The Panel will be presented with the STSCP's Annual Report 2024/25, highlighting the Partnership's key priorities, achievements and challenges.

 Draft Terms of Reference - Out of Area Specialist Provision -Discussion Item 51 - 52

The Panel is asked to consider and agree Terms of Reference for its current scrutiny investigation "Out of Area Specialist Provision".

7. Overview and Scrutiny Board Update

The Chair will provide a verbal update on business conducted at the Overview and Scrutiny Board meeting held on 19 November 2025.

- 8. Any other urgent items which in the opinion of the Chair, may be considered.
- 9. Date and Time of Next Meeting Monday, 26 January 2026, 4.30pm

Charlotte Benjamin
Director of Legal and Governance Services

Town Hall, Middlesbrough. Friday, 28 November 2025.

<u>MEMBERSHIP</u>

Councillors E Clynch (Chair), D Jackson (Vice-Chair), M Nugent, S Platt, A Romaine, S Tranter and Z Uddin.

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