

Looked after children and young people - Committee Meeting 6

Date: 20th February 2020

Location: NICE offices London

Minutes: Final

Committee members present:		
Marie Burnham (MB)	Chair	Present for all
Melanie Bracewell	Consultant Community Paediatrician	Present for all
Stephanie Butler	Lay member	Present for all
Amy Darwin	Social Worker	Present for all
Maureen Giles	Education consultant for LACYP	Present for all
Penny Greenwood	Public Health England	Present for all
Julie Hamilton	Director, Keys Childcare	Present for all
Jenifer Wakelyn	Child and adolescent psychotherapist	Present for all
Kat Smoraczewska	Social Worker	Present for all

In attendance:		
Brett Doble (BD)	Health Economics, Technical Adviser	Present for all
Stephen Duffield (SD)	Technical Analyst	Present for all
Anthony Gildea (AG)	Project Manager	Present for all
Bernadette Li (BL)	Health Economics, Technical Adviser	Present for all
Rui Martins (RM)	Health Economics, Technical Analyst	Present for all
Caroline Mulvihill (CM)	Technical Adviser	Present for all
Nick Staples (NS)	Guideline Commissioning Manager	Present for all
Also attending:		
James Rattigan	Lay member PA (observing)	11.30am – 5pm
Alex Stringer	Service Manager for UASC, Kent County Council	10.00– 11.20am
Ann Lorek	Designated Doctor for Child Protection in Lambeth	11.20am- 12.30pm

Apologies:

David Whatton	Lay member
Devonte Cook	Lay member
Renu Jainer	Consultant Community Paediatrician
Nancy Sayer	Consultant Nurse

Item 1

- Welcome

The Chair welcomed everyone to this sixth meeting of the looked after children and young people guideline committee.

- Declarations of interest

The Chair requested the committee declare any new/additional DOI's since the last meeting. The following new interests were declared:

Name	Role with NICE	Type of interest	Description of interest	Interest arose	Interest declared	Interest ceased	Comments
Stephanie Butler	Committee member, lay member	Direct, financial	Employed by Coram Voice, a charity that works with looked after children and young people working as a participation coordinator working directly with a cohort of 12 care experienced young people in a youth-led programme where they work on projects that highlight, raise awareness and educate people on issues relating to looked after children and care leavers.	February 2020	November 2019	N/A	Declare and participate Agreed by AD Rationale: not specific to any guideline topic

- Minutes of the last meeting

The minutes were agreed by the committee as an accurate record.

Item 2

The Chair welcomed Alex Stringer, Service Manager for Unaccompanied Asylum-Seeking Children (UASC) in Kent.

- AS presented expert testimony on the management of unaccompanied asylum-seeking children and some of the issues encountered by his service.
- The committee discussed this expert testimony and were given the opportunity to ask

AS questions.

The Chair and the committee thanked AS for his contribution.

Item 3

The Chair welcomed Ann Lorek, Designated Doctor for Child Protection in Lambeth.

- AL presented expert testimony on best practice around UASC.
- The committee discussed this expert testimony and were given the opportunity to ask AL questions.

The Chair and the committee thanks AL for her contribution.

Item 4

The Chair welcomed Cath Larkin from the University of Central Lancashire.

- CL provided an update on her focus group work with children and young people and discussed some of the themes emerging from these groups.
- The committee discussed her work and asked questions.

The Chair and the committee thanked CL for her update.

Item 5

The Chair welcomed Stephen Duffield, Technical Analyst in the NICE team.

- SD presented evidence from review question 2.1 - Intervention components common across parent training interventions.
- The committee discussed the evidence and made draft recommendations where appropriate.

The Chair thanked SD and the committee for their contribution.

Item 6

The Chair welcomed Stephen Duffield, Technical Analyst in the NICE team

- SD presented a summary of recommendations made by the committee so far.
- The committee discussed these and made changes to them as appropriate.

The Chair thanked SD and the committee for their contribution.

Item 7

- AOB

There was no other business raised and the Chair thanked the committee for their time and contribution to the meeting.

Date of next meeting: 21st February 2020

Location of next meeting: NICE Offices, London