Children and Young people Select Committee

Review of Teenage Pregnancy

Update to Executive Scrutiny Committee – 1 August 2006

Update on Progress (including issues/problems/successes)

The Committee has met with Angela Darnell, Head Teacher at Egglescliffe School who represented all non voluntary aided secondary schools in the borough.

The Committee received a presentation of the 'Evaluate' programme that has been given in a number of schools in the borough.

The Committee has met Caroline Dailey to gather evidence of the 'Lucinda and Godfrey' programme delivered in Stockton's primary schools. It was hoped to learn of the 'All that I am' programme used in St Patrick's Secondary School in order to understand the approach taken by voluntary aided schools in the borough. This was not possible before the school summer holidays and should be considered in September.

The Committee is still to meet with Teenage Pregnancy Strategy Board members and representatives from the Primary Care Trust.

Timescale for Review

Unchanged although consideration should be given to gathering further evidence in September which may impact on when the report will be presented.

Due to be presented to Cabinet on 2nd November 2006.