

## **Children and Young People Select Committee**

### **Update to Executive Scrutiny Committee – 20 October 2009**

#### **EIT Review of Child Placements and Residential Care**

##### **Update on Progress (including issues/problems/successes)**

The Committee has received all baseline information from the 5 workstreams identified to cover all aspects of this review. The workstreams are:

- In house fostering agency and externally purchased foster placements.
- In house residential and externally purchased residential placements.
- Residential and respite provision for children and young people with special/additional needs.
- In house adoption agency and externally purchased adoption placements.
- Kinship Care (children placed with friends or families)

The Committee met with the Corporate Director on 30<sup>th</sup> September and will meet to receive information from Outcomes UK on 11<sup>th</sup> November to complete stage three of the process.

The review is projected to be completed on 11 March 2010.

#### **EIT Reporting In Review – Youth Service Provision**

The Committee held an all member seminar on 22<sup>nd</sup> September to receive an update/further information from Peter Seller.

#### **Overview Meeting**

The Committee will meet the Cabinet Member, Corporate Director and Heads of Service on 28 October to receive the overview of the Children, Education and Social Care service.

#### **Monitoring Updates**

The Committee is scheduled to receive its next updates at its meeting on 11<sup>th</sup> November.