

**Flintshire County Council – Decisions taken by the Social & Health Care Overview & Scrutiny Committee on Thursday, 22 October 2020**

Agenda Item No	Topic	Decision
	<b><u>Attendance and Apologies</u></b>	<p><b><u>Present:</u> Councillor Hilary McGuill (Chair)</b>                      Councillors: Mike Allport, Marion Bateman, Paul Cunningham, Jean Davies, Carol Ellis, Gladys Healey, Cindy Hinds, Mike Lowe, Dave Mackie, Michelle Perfect and David Wisinger</p> <p><b><u>Apology:</u></b> Chief Executive</p> <p><b><u>In Attendance:</u></b> Councillor Christine Jones (Cabinet Member for Social Services), Chief Officer (Social Services), Senior Manager: Integrated Services, Lead Adults, Senior Manager: Children and Workforce, and Senior Manager: Safeguarding and Commissioning. (For minute no. 6 Donna Watts, Multi Systematic Therapy Team Manager), Environment and Social Care Overview &amp; Scrutiny Facilitator, Community and Education Overview &amp; Scrutiny Facilitator and Democratic Services Officer</p>
<b>A2</b>	Declarations of Interest (Including Whipping Declarations)	None.
<b>A3</b>	Minutes	That the minutes be approved as a correct record.
<b>A4</b>	Emergency Situation Briefing (Verbal)	Noted.
<b>A5</b>	Forward Work Programme and Action Tracking (S & H)	(a) That the draft Forward Work programme as submitted be approved; (b) That the Facilitator, in consultation with the Chair of the Committee be authorised to vary the Forward Work Programme between meetings, as the need arises; and (c) That the progress made in completing the outstanding actions be noted.
<b>A6</b>	Recovery Strategy Update	That the Committee supports the latest updated risk register and risk mitigation actions within the Social Services portfolio.
<b>A7</b>	Children’s Transformation Project	(a) That the Committee endorses the work to safely reduce the number of children in need

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	Update	<p>of care through early help and intensive targeted support for families;</p> <p>(b) That the Committee supports the establishment of a local authority Children’s Residential Care Home as part of an approach to rebalance care provision for children, with a focus on ensuring an affordable and sufficient range of local high quality placements; and</p> <p>(c) That a report on the Multi Systematic Therapy project be considered at the joint meeting of the Education, Youth &amp; Culture and Social &amp; Health Care Overview &amp; Scrutiny Committee to be held on 17 June 2021.</p>
<b>A8</b>	Project Search update	<p>(a) That the progress made through the service partnership with Hft and the success of the interns in year 1 of the programme be noted; and</p> <p>(b) That the Committee champions the programme and supports and encourages the development of internship opportunities across the Council.</p>