



## **Corporate Parenting Panel**

**Date**      **Friday 30 April 2021**  
**Time**      **9.30 am**  
**Venue**    **Remote Meeting - This meeting is being held  
remotely via Microsoft Teams**

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### **Business**

#### **Part A**

##### **Items which are open to the press and public**

1. Apologies for Absence
2. Substitute Members
3. Minutes of the meeting held on 26 February 2021 (Pages 3 - 12)
4. Declarations of Interest
5. Number of Looked After Children - Verbal update from Head of Children's Social Care
6. Investing in Children / Children in Care Council Update - Presentation by Project Officer, Investing in Children (Pages 13 - 16)
7. Adopt Coast to Coast Update - Presentation by Head of Regional Adoption Agency (Pages 17 - 20)
8. Children who go Missing from Home and Care - ERASE - Report of Strategic Manager, First Contact and Countywide Specialist Services (Pages 21 - 28)
  - a) Presentation (Pages 29 - 34)
9. Independent Visitor Service Update - Report of Independent Visitor Service Coordinator (Pages 35 - 44)
10. Proud Moments
11. Regulation 44 Commissioning Arrangements Update - Verbal update from Head of Children's Social Care
12. Such other business as, in the opinion of the Chair of the meeting, is of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration.

13. Any resolution relating to the exclusion of the public during the discussion of items containing exempt information.

### **Part B**

#### **Items during which it is considered the meeting will not be open to the public (consideration of exempt or confidential information)**

14. Regulation 44 Visits and Regulatory Body Ratings of Children's Residential Homes - Report of Head of Children's Social Care and Head of Early Help, Inclusion and Vulnerable Children (Pages 45 - 50)
15. Such other business as, in the opinion of the Chair of the meeting, is of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration.

### **Helen Lynch**

Head of Legal and Democratic Services

County Hall  
Durham  
22 April 2021

To: **The Members of the Corporate Parenting Panel**

Councillor I Jewell (Chair)  
Councillor H Smith (Vice-Chair)

Councillors Bainbridge, H Bennett, J Carr, J Charlton,  
J Considine, P Crathorne, P Jopling, M McKeon, J Makepeace,  
O Milburn, C Potts, S Quinn, A Reed, G Richardson, E Scott,  
M Simmons and C Wilson

#### **Co-opted Members**

C Baines  
A Ferguson  
W Taylor  
Young person representative of the Children in Care Council  
(CiCC)

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