

Local Early Help Priorities –Reigate & Banstead

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Young people who are NEET and identified as at risk of becoming NEET

In July 2014 18 young people were NEET and 3 were RONI. 33.8% of the NEET young people have been NEET before.

Overview of Local Prevention in Reigate & Banstead

The priority for Local Prevention in Reigate & Banstead is to prevent young people of secondary school age from becoming NEET by removing barriers to participation for young people who are identified as most at risk of becoming NEET and building their resilience.

Prevention activities should be co-produced with young people and delivered in the local community. Preventative services must demonstrate high-quality delivery and a focus on meeting the individual needs of young people identified as being at Risk of NEET (RONI).

Local Prevention activity must take place outside the school day and be delivered from premises other than the Youth Centres in Tandridge. Initial contact can be made in schools.

Based on knowledge of local need, the Reigate & Banstead Local Committee Youth Task Group have identified the following neighbourhoods as being in need of this type of provision. Providers must deliver from one or more of these areas:

Identified Neighbourhoods

- Tadworth (Specifically Preston)
- Merstham
- Redhill (including the town centre)
- South Reigate
- Earlswood/ Whitebushes
- Horley

Local Needs

- Violent crime and gang culture to be addressed
- Transition from school into further education or work
- Mental Health – including Domestic Abuse
- Childhood obesity
- Homelessness to be addressed
- Teenage Pregnancy
- Child Exploitation

Priority Outcomes

- 1.3 – Employability skills, attitudes and behaviours developed
- 2.1 – Physical wellbeing improved

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- 2.2 –Emotional and wellbeing improved
- 2.3 – Mental wellbeing improved
- 2.4 –Social wellbeing improved
- 3.3 – Young People’s safety in communities is improved
- 5.2 – Informed decisions made about accessing services and support
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- 6.1 – young people have positive role models

Local ways of working

- Projects should make good use of resources that already exist, for example village halls and community organisations
- Projects should link in with the Supporting Families programme and the Reigate & Banstead Health Strategy
- Projects should consider mentoring and the use of role models as a method for achieving the outcomes where appropriate
- Projects should reference employability as an overall goal where appropriate
- Projects should take into account areas of housing and development within the identified neighbourhoods