

# Children, Families, Lifelong Learning and Culture Select Committee.

Surrey Children's Emotional Wellbeing & Mental Health  
Services Update.

Supporting Information

# Children and Young Peoples Emotional Wellbeing and Mental Health Commissioning and connections to wider CFLL Commissioning Intentions

**We will increase the range of and access to earlier help and maximise assets**

- New EWMH contract now includes additional investment to ensure early intervention (EI) approaches are in place – vision to transfer resources from specialist services to EI.
- Early intervention services as described in earlier slides
- Recognising that assets are our staff, CYP and families in Surrey, THRIVE training and EWMH training will equip system wide respond to improving CYP EWMH – keeping CYP resilient and safe.

**Develop a refreshed relationship with partners and providers, implementing co-production**

- The Alliance Partnership is a new relationship bring health, Third Sector and commissioners together in a new relationship-based approach.
- There are a series of co-production partnerships in place to ensure the EWMH delivery model meets the needs of CYP and families, i.e. reference groups, team around the school, task and finish groups
- Operational and commissioning active involvement in strategic partnerships to co-ordinate delivery, strengthen working together and review pathways.

**No one gets left behind**

- MHST Teams are attached to clusters of schools based on level of need
- Wellbeing Education Return: to fund a LGBT conference to ensure CYP voice shapes how schools and communities can respond differently to improve EWMH needs of our LGBT community. ( gap identified in needs assessment)
- Access, service user experience and outcomes to be a priority for monitoring improvement in the EWMH contract across vulnerable and protected groups.
- Suicide prevention and self-harm: training to support schools to identify and respond to self-harm and training to be co-developed to ensure the protocol that will enable safety plans to land in schools

**Recovery for Covid-19**

- A Demand and Capacity modelling informs improvement plans to address waiting times and service delivery across the Alliance
- Education Cell Task group 4 provides the system wide COVID recovery support.
- Well Being Education Return (WER): equips school staff to identify, respond to EWMH issues and refer appropriately.

**Children and young people should live, learn, and reach their ambitions in Surrey.**

- Prioritisation of CYP who are CiC, Care Leavers or who have Post Adoption Support - specialist services and early intervention.
- Ensuring the physical and EWMH needs are supported in our out of county care leavers.
- Support placement sufficiency work – build a competent workforce to respond to EWMH needs and prevent CYP going into

**Children with SEND should have the same access to education and training in Surrey as every other child.**

- Bring the Neurodevelopmental (ND) support to CYP and families within the community, responding to CYP in school/ communities'. Work together to ensure CYP and families get the support and response based on need, with a collective approach to challenge the culture of needing an assessment to access support – enabling those who do need an assessment to receive this in a timely manner. ASC assessments +/- EHCP
- MHST: to meet the early intervention EWMH support of CYP with SEND in special and mainstream schools, a new approach is being co-developed with special schools (new clinical psychologists)
- School Based Need (SBN) – see earlier slide. The offer is working closely with the Team Around the School and the Inclusion Steering Group priorities
- Preparing for Adulthood Transformation Programme across the Care, Health and Education: progressing a workstream in relation to improving the care pathways and life experience of CYP as they approach adulthood and require ongoing support for their EWMH in Adult Services

**Improve services for CYP and their families by integrating children and health commissioning functions and teams**

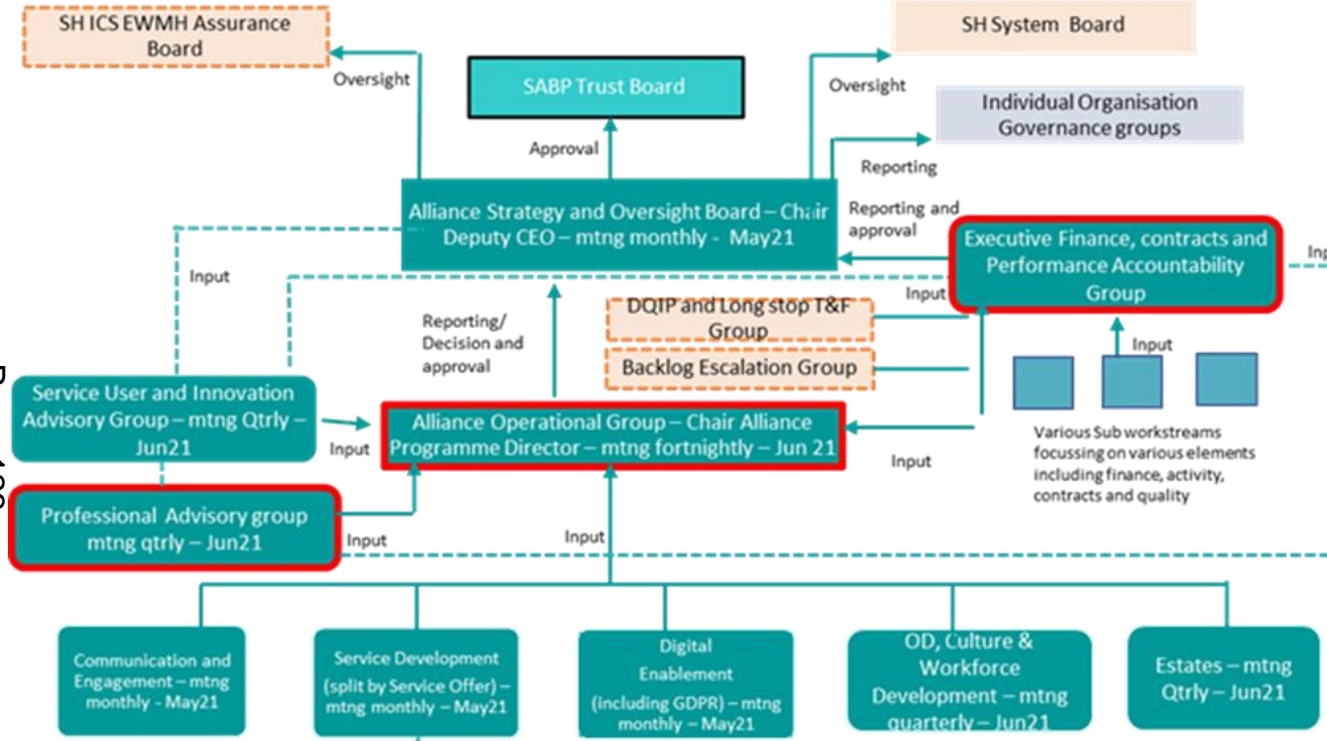
- The EWMH Alliance Partnership is transformational programme, developing new / improving services detailed in earlier slides – increased use of digital support and digital care and treatment, in line with clinical best practice., Section 75 arrangements are already in place. Data Quality Improvement Plans are improving a single view of EWMH performance
- New specialist in patient care in Surrey: developments on track for 8-12 new beds, of which 2 will be in acute Paediatric wards. 2 beds within the Children's Crisis Intensive Support Service for CYP with ASD/ LD being developed. (Ruth House)
- The use of the I-THRIVE framework will enable us to shape relationships across these areas of change and strategic partnership to ensure opportunities for integration are realised and duplication is reduced.

**Vision:** To develop a culture of emotional wellbeing and mental health support for children and families that is based on strengthening early intervention and prevention and building resilience. **Key:** To take a **needs led** approach, with **Time for Kids** being the values we want for all children and **THRIVE being** the framework for system change. (how we meet the EWMH needs of CYP in Surrey)

# Surrey Children's Emotional Wellbeing & Mental Health Services for Children, Young and Families

## Governance Structure





**Oversight-** Ensuring delivery in line with system strategy, values and vision.

**Executive Governing Bodies** Formal sign off and ratification on key strategic decisions which impact on partnerships

**Strategic Group** – Leading on key strategic decisions with delegated authority. Make decisions on service re-configuration and prioritisations. Responsible for wider comms and stakeholder management

**Operational Delivery-** Tactical role of implementing strategic decisions and operationalising. Leading on key tactical decisions to ensure operational changes & requirements are met including quality & performance

**Working Groups** "Task and Finish" group-focussed on day to day specific areas of work to manage and improve service delivery

Active work is underway to step up Executive Performance, Finance and Quality group and Alliance Operational Group by June. An interim DQIP T&F will be set up to move work forward



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