


Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Learning Disability Partnership Board

Minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 2nd March 2023,

1		<p>Who is here?</p> <p>Amanda Preston (Enabling Independence) Anne Hunt Assunta Genovese Bianca Cotterill Bill Jones Claire Cluer (Commissioning) Debbie Drew Elspeth Jones Enzo Petruzzello Gareth Peters Graham Lewis (Healthwatch) Helen Kewley John Donnelly (plus support worker Dami Patel) Joseph Simon Kate Bunting (Voiceability) Lewis Strong (Voiceability) Neil Adams Russell Henke Ryan Witney-Hill Sean Neil Siobhan MacBean (Childrens) Vicki Baddeley (Safe Soulmates) Vicky Gildersleve (Integrated Care System)</p> <p>Who can't make it?</p> <p>Dennis Pinshon Madeleine Coddington (Integrated Care System) Michelle Mansfield Rebecca Spalding-Green (Healthwatch) Sarah Ellwood (Integrated Care System)</p>
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People with Learning Disabilities and/or Autism and Carers

What we have to say

Breach of confidentiality

A parent carer (from Cambridgeshire) told us that there had been a breach of confidentiality about their cared for. A breach of confidentiality is when someone tells another person something about you when you haven't said that they can.

The parent carer raised this with the social worker. The social worker told them that they knew about this and that someone higher up in social care was dealing with it. The parent carer had not been told about it officially.

Amanda Preston (Enabling Independence) told us that a parent (who has a learning disability) in Peterborough had had their review. Afterwards the social worker phoned them to see if they had the contact details for another family that the social worker needed to visit.


Quality of agencies

The agency being paid to support their cared for is sending people who are not trained in supporting people with learning disabilities.


The parent carer wanted to know what checks are carried out to ensure that the service being paid for, is the service delivered.



Gareth Peters said that the Council's have contracts with agencies. The contract states what the agency has to do and what the Council has to do. The Council's also check with the Care Quality Commission (CQC) about the care agencies inspections and how well they have been rated. The CQC is a government agency that makes sure that health and care


		<p>organisations are inspected and have plans on how they can improve their service.</p> <p>Kate Bunting (Voiceability) told us about quality checkers, a service they provide in a different social care area.</p> <p>Siobhan MacBean told us about the young commissioners' project in SEND.</p>
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<p>3</p>		<p>Update from the Learning Disability Partnership and SEND</p> <p>Includes report on LD events and Think Communities</p> <p>Cambridgeshire Social Care inspection</p> <p>Gareth Peters told us that the Learning Disability Partnership in Cambridgeshire Social Care had been inspected by the CQC.</p> <p>The Learning Disability Partnership teams had been found to 'require improvement'. A key area that they need to work on is managing their waiting lists. Gareth told us that the council has had a 50% increase in referrals during the pandemic.</p> <p>The reports by the CQC can be found by clicking on this link: CQC Reports on the Learning Disability Partnership in Cambridgeshire</p> <p>The County Council has developed an action plan to improve the service.</p> <p>Shared Care Record</p> <p>The shared care record will let social care, GP, and hospitals look at a person's medical record. This is being tested in Cambridgeshire and the Learning Disability Partnership. Information is being to people with Learning Disabilities so that they know about this.</p> <p>Crisis hospital bed</p>
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<p>4</p>	<p>The Network Team Report</p>	<p>Network Team presentation</p> <p>The Network Team gave their presentation. They have identified 3 issues that people in Peterborough are concerned about.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health in Hospitals and Health assessments • Hydrotherapy pool • Photo ID needed for voting.
<p>5</p>	<p>Speak Out Council</p>	<p>Speak Out Council Presentation</p> <p>Members of the Speak Out Council have been attending meetings:</p> <p>The Council's Rewards and Recognition policy – that looks at how people are thanked for taking part in meetings and events to improve services.</p> <p>The launch of the Integrated Neighbourhood in St Neots.</p>


		<p>The Speak Out council are having a stall at the Preparing for Adulthood event at St Ives in March.</p>
<p>6</p>		<p>Task and Finish meeting on how the Agenda is structured</p> <p>At the last meeting of the Learning Disability Partnership Board, it was decided that we should have a Task and Finish meeting to look at the agenda and how we can improve it.</p> <p>The Task and finish meeting made some recommendations:</p> <p>Recommendation 1</p> <p>Speak Out Council and Network Team presentations to have 1 or 2 slides at the beginning with the highlights. It is the highlights that will be read out at the Learning Disability Partnership Boards</p> <p>Recommendation 2</p> <p>Updates from the LDP and SEND be part of the item 'Updates from other meetings and the Adult Social Care Forum'.</p> <p>Recommendation 3</p> <p>That the update from the Health Subgroup be a maximum of 10 minutes long.</p> <p>Recommendation 4</p> <p>That lunch be at the end of the meeting.</p> <p>Recommendation 5</p> <p>That presentations have questions on them so that people can think about what they want to say.</p>

		<p>Gareth Peters suggested that there should be a 6th Recommendation:</p> <p>That this new agenda be trialled for the June and September meetings. But that in September we will review this again.</p> <p>The Partnership Board held a vote.</p> <p>21 people voted for the change; 1 person voted against it.</p> <p>Action: Graham to update the agenda's for June and September, making sure that September's includes review of the new agenda.</p>
<p>7</p>		<p>Health Subgroup</p> <p>People had told the Health Subgroup about their positive experience when they went for their health checks.</p> <p>Both the Speak Out Council and Network Team reports on Annual Health Checks had been shared with Primary Care Team at the Integrated Care Board.</p> <p>The Integrated Care System had planned to look at Support and Care. They have decided to focus on health at hospitals and in the community. They will look at support and care later in the year.</p>
<p>8</p>		<p>Day Opportunities</p> <p>Claire Cluer (a commissioner) gave an update on work that has been done to improve day opportunities. Claire said that these are day opportunities for adults.</p> <p>Day opportunities are sometimes called a day centre or a day service.</p> <p>People were asked what was important to them.</p>

		<p>People said that education, employment, and training was important to them.</p> <p>The Speak Out Council and Network Team are working with Claire to write a document called "What a good day opportunity looks like".</p> <p>The Council's are looking at the contract (the document that says who is doing what) to make sure services are good.</p> <p>A Network Team member said that people don't know about the services that are available.</p> <p>A parent carer said that the Council's need to work with employers so that they understand more about Learning Disability and/or Autism. They also need to know about the support that is available to them.</p>
<p>8</p>		<p>Updates from other meetings including Adult Social Care Forum</p> <p>The Adult Social Care Forum has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reviewed its Terms of Reference • Started looking at the forms on the councils' websites for social care and how they can be made easy to use • Been looking at recognition of people with lived experience who use it to improve services. <p>The Healthwatch Health and Care Forum's have had presentations on addiction and the Ockenden report into maternity care.</p> <p>The Independent Members of the Partnership Boards had been invited to training sessions in Peterborough. Some people have had their training online.</p>

9		<p>Safe Soulmates</p> <p>Vicky Baddeley introduced Safe Soulmates by showing 3 videos:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What Safe Soulmates is • Social events • How Safe Soulmates benefits people <p>Vicky said that most events currently take place in Cambridge, but they have started to have events in Ely, Huntingdon, and Peterborough.</p> <p>A parent carer said that her daughter loves it, gets to be an adult, talk with people, and make friends.</p> <p>An Independent Member said that since Covid-19 people are keen to go out but they are not keen to go out.</p> <p>Vicky said that they have some events on zoom, like the film club.</p> <p>The in-person events can be going to the pub, a club, or a social activity.</p> <p>Vicky asked that everyone promotes Safe Soulmates.</p>
10		<p>Minutes of our last meeting (1st December 2022) and Action Log</p> <p>Correction to item 6, item was called “Getting people out of hospital”. The minutes have been updated.</p> <p>Action log</p> <p>128 – completed</p> <p>166 – completed</p> <p>168 – noted that health checks for people with autism is being tried in different parts of the country.</p> <p>169 – Commissioner is not Karen Berkley</p>

		<p>170 – completed 171 – completed 172 - Completed</p>
<p>11</p>		<p>Any Other Business</p> <p>Bus passes</p> <p>Used to be provided by Peterborough City Council and Cambridgeshire County Council's. They are now being provided by the Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority. Bus passes can be applied for online. The libraries can support people with their application.</p> <p>People have concerns that the letter was not in EasyRead. People also need to apply for their new pass sooner than before. Action: Graham to raise with the Combined Authority</p> <p>Safe Places</p> <p>Funding for the scheme is coming to an end. Voiceability are looking at how they can fund this beyond 18th March or how they can do it differently.</p> <p>Huntingdon Social Club</p> <p>Sean told us about a club that takes place on Friday evenings at the Montague Club in Huntingdon.</p> <p>Coffee Club in Peterborough</p> <p>Enzo told us about a new project that will be running at Peterborough Museum Coffee Shop at 10am each Thursday from 6th April.</p> <p>Lava Lamp in Peterborough</p>

		<p>Enzo told us the next event is on Saturday 5th August (7pm – 11pm) at the Willow Café in Central Park.</p> <p>Enzo said that they were trying to organise an event in May.</p>
		<p>Date of next meeting:</p> <p>Thursday 1st June</p> <p>City College Peterborough, Brook Street, Peterborough PE1 1TU</p> <p>And online.</p>

Graham's mobile 07432865996

Dates for our meetings in 2023 (Thursdays)

Date	Time	Venue
2 nd March	10.30 – 3.00	Hybrid – zoom and Maple Centre, Huntingdon.
1 st June	10.30 – 1.00 (Pre meeting at 10.00am)	Hybrid – zoom and City College Peterborough, Brook Street, Peterborough
7 th September	10.30 – 1.00 (Pre meeting at 10.00am)	venue to be confirmed
7 th December	10.30 – 1.00 or 3.00 (TBC) (Pre meeting at 10.00am)	venue to be confirmed