

<b>Title of Report:</b>	<b>West Berkshire LSCB Business Plan 2015-17</b>
<b>Report to be considered by:</b>	The Health and Wellbeing Board
<b>Date of Meeting:</b>	22/1/2015

**Purpose of Report:** For information and support on specific actions detailed below

**Recommended Action:** The Health and Wellbeing Board to note the LSCB Business Plan and to support the items set out in section 1.

*When decisions of the Health and Wellbeing Board impact on the finances or general operation of the Council, recommendations of the Board must be referred up to the Executive for final determination and decision.*

<b>Will the recommendation require the matter to be referred to the Council's Executive for final determination?</b>	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/>	No: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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<b>Is this item relevant to equality?</b>	Please tick relevant boxes		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
Does the policy affect service users, employees or the wider community and:				
• Is it likely to affect people with particular protected characteristics differently?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Is it a major policy, significantly affecting how functions are delivered?			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
• Will the policy have a significant impact on how other organisations operate in terms of equality?			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
• Does the policy relate to functions that engagement has identified as being important to people with particular protected characteristics?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Does the policy relate to an area with known inequalities?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Outcome</b> Where one or more 'Yes' boxes are ticked, the item is relevant to equality. In this instance please give details of how the item impacts upon the equality streams under the executive report section as outlined.				

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# Executive Report

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## 1. Introduction

At a Business Planning session held October 2014, West Berkshire LSCB agreed five new top level priorities for the next two years, 2015-2017 as follows:

- Early Help
- The Child's Voice and Journey
- Child Sexual Exploitation
- Domestic Abuse and Vulnerable Groups
- Effectiveness and Impact of the LSCB

Actions are clearly focused on multi-agency working.

The LSCB is seeking support from the Health and Wellbeing Board on the following items:

Priority 1 Early Help – actions 1.2 to 1.4

Priority 2 The Child's Voice & Journey – actions 2.3, 2.4 and 2.7

Priority 3 Child Sexual Exploitation – all actions

Priority 5 Effectiveness & Impact of the LSCB Actions 5.2 and 5.6

## 2. Equalities

The vision of the LSCB is that every child and young person in West Berkshire grows up safe from maltreatment, neglect and crime. The LSCB agreed priorities through consultation with members and a development session held in June 2014. The Business Plan identifies children going through the child protection system, looked after children, children suffering or at risk of child sexual exploitation, missing children and children affected by domestic abuse as vulnerable groups. The Plan aims to address specific issues identified by partner agencies.

## Appendices

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Appendix A – LSCB Business Plan

## Consultees

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**Local Stakeholders:** LSCB members

**Officers Consulted:**

**Other:**