

## **CABINET – 15 MARCH 2018**

Written Response to Public Questioner 4 not present at the meeting.

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**Questioner:** Pranvera Merkaj, Harrow Youth Parliament

**Asked of:** Councillor Christine Robson, Portfolio Holder for Children, Young People and Schools

**Question:** “Would you consider the cessation of the Young People's Substance Misuse Treatment and Recovery Service to be appropriate, assuming that you understood the impact that this would have on vulnerable young people who are reliant on it?”

**Written Response:** The reductions in funding to the substance misuse service within Public Health were all made to the adult services and not the young people's service. The funding for the substance misuse service in relation to young people remains untouched, and is provided at the same level as commissioned 2 years ago.