**Appendix 1**

Children Looked After Health Report

**Targets**

All targets were met for initial health assessments and review health assessments from health. There have been improvements in initial and review health assessments this quarter.

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| Month | Target For IHA’s 100% | Target for RHA’s 100% | Number seen in timescales |
| September | 100% | 100% | 33% IHA 33% RHA |
| October | 100% | 100% | 40% IHA 100% RHA |
| November | 100% | 100% | 78% IHA 80% RHA |
| December | 100% | 100% | 67% IHA 83% RHA |

**Monitoring**

Bi-monthly monitoring meetings with Harrow CCG and Harrow Council continue.

Weekly meetings continue with the local authority to monitor health assessments.

Weekly case discussion with CLA and UASC social work teams.

**Work Undertaken**

We have attended all strategic and partnership meetings to best support the health needs of children looked after, these include CLA reviews, MASE (multi agency sexual exploitation) panel, Children at Risk meeting, adoption and fostering panel.

Meeting with CLA Team Manager, Head of CIN Service to produce a flow chart for health assessment referrals for social work administrator and Social Workers.

Meeting with senior managers and administrator to look at improvements to timeliness of requests.

Independent Reviewing Officer Health Lead meeting (quarterly).

Social Workers from the UASC team have agreed to book interpreters for TB screening appointments.

Meeting with Piawand and case discussion with key worker.

Part of interview panel for the new Clinical Psychologist for the Virtual School.

Quarterly meeting with CAMHS, Harrow Horizons, Virtual School and Clinical Psychologist.

Health information for permanency meeting to update process with CORAM and Harrow Council.

Joint Doctor and Nurse Clinics to complete initial health assessments in time scales.

Nurse led initial health assessments for new born babies where a medical examination has taken place.

Named Nurse attended London CLA Nurse Meeting (quarterly).

Attended the speech and language workshop and raised the profile of CLA and UASC.

**Training**

Trauma focused approach – sexual exploitation forum at Harrow Civic.

Training from Medical Advisor to Social Work Manager and Team Manager regarding foetal alcohol syndrome and has been asked to deliver this training to foster carers.

Delivered training to the Designated Teachers regarding CLA and their health needs – thank you email received from the Head Teacher of the Virtual School.

Update to the children with disabilities team.

Delivered training to the children in need service.

**Voice of the child and Care Leavers Update**

Client satisfaction audit completed and currently being analysed.

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