

Terms of Reference of the Children and Young People Scrutiny Sub- Committee

The Children and Young People Scrutiny sub-committee has the following powers and duties:

a) to develop a work programme for scrutiny of the children and young people relate functions of the Council and partners in consultation with the Overview and Scrutiny Committee;

b) to have specific responsibility for policy development and scrutiny of the following functions:

- *Every Child Matters outcomes (including health)*
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- *Education Authority functions*
- *Youth participation and engagement*
- *Youth offending*
- *0 – 19 learning*
- *Early Years Services*
- *Extended Schools*

c) to hold the HSP and its management groups to account for the delivery of the Local Area Agreement;

d) to review and make reports and recommendations to the Executive and the Council in respect of the functions within its terms of reference;

e) assist the Council and the Executive in the development of the budget and policy framework by analysis of policy issues;

f) conduct research, community and other consultation in the analysis of policy issues and possible options;

g) to consider, report and make recommendations on any matter within the sub-committee's terms of reference affecting the area and/or those who live, work or travel through Harrow;

h) to conclude reviews promptly, normally within 6 months;

i) to contribute to the annual report of the work of scrutiny.