

REPORT FOR: CORPORATE  
PARENTING PANEL

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Date: 12 January 2010

Subject: INFORMATION REPORT – Activity and Performance

Key Decision: No

Responsible Officer: Paul Clark, Corporate Director  
Children’s Services

Portfolio Holder: Councillor Christine Bednell, Portfolio  
Holder for Children’s Services

Exempt: No

Decision subject to  
Call-in: No

Enclosures: CLA & CPP Activity and Performance  
Report

## Section 1 – Summary and Recommendations

This report sets out key data relating to Children Looked After (CLA) and Children with Child Protection Plans (CPP), plus performance position for National Indicators for Children’s Social Care for the end of November 2009.

## Section 2 – Report

Key Points:

- Core assessment performance is now on target.

- Initial assessment performance remains below target. Robust management action is being taken to improve the situation.
- KS2 & KS4 results attached
- Benchmarking data attached as requested.
- Our relative performance on looked after indicators is strong.
- Benchmarking shows that some of our Referral, Assessment and CPP indicators need further improvement

### Options considered

Not applicable

### Financial Implications

There are no financial implications arising from this report.

### Risk Management Implications

There are no risk management implications arising from this report.

Risk included on Directorate risk register? No

Separate risk register in place? No

### Corporate Priorities

- Improve support for vulnerable people

## Section 3 - Statutory Officer Clearance

Name: Emma Stabler	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	on behalf of the* Chief Financial Officer
Date: 15 December 2009		

## Section 4 - Contact Details and Background Papers

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