

## **Scrutiny review proposal**

### **What is the review?**

Mental Health of children and young people 0 – 25 years

### **What outcomes could realistically be achieved? Which agency does the review seek to influence?**

CAMHS  
Council  
NHS Southwark Clinical Commissioning Group (SCCG)  
Health & Wellbeing Board  
Partnership Southwark

### **When should the review be carried out/completed? i.e. does the review need to take place before/after a certain time?**

End of administrative year

### **What format would suit this review? (eg full investigation, q&a with executive member/partners, public meeting, one-off session)**

Full investigation

Report will be a feedback video, of many participants, including community groups, service users, their families, providers etc, about what they have benefited from and more importantly, what improvements they would like in the future.

### **What are some of the key issues that you would like the review to look at?**

In November 2018, the Health and Wellbeing Board discussed the findings of the Joint Review of Emotional Wellbeing and CAMHS Services and 'set a shared ambition to meet 100% target of children and adolescents with MH needs and that they would aim to achieve this by 2020', followed by a later decision in June this year to adopt the Thrive Mode:

<http://moderngov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/s83473/Report%20Children%20and%20Young%20Peoples%20Mental%20Health%20and%20Wellbeing.pdf>

In the context of the above the review intends to particularly focus on these two areas; where the Commission could best add value:

- prevention in schools ( e.g Early Help and the work of organisations such as Place2Be)
- community engagement and mobilisation ( particularly around the work of Partnership Southwark on ACEs)

The review will also look at two cross cutting issues:

BAME and male; given the poorer mental health outcomes for BAME people and the higher suicide rate of boys & men.

**Who would you like to receive evidence and advice from during the review?**

Health and Social Care on delivery of the joint all age (cradle to grave) Mental Health strategy here:

<http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/s73442/Appendix%20%20Southwark%20Joint%20Mental%20Health%20and%20Wellbeing%20Strategy%202018-2021.pdf>

The council's & CCG integrated leads for Children & Young People and Mental Health

Southwark Clinical Commissioning Group (SCCG) on Partnership Southwark, with a particular focus on the strand working with young people to prevent and mitigate Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE) - and the any work done or planned on with the community and voluntary sector on this e.g. consultation/engagement/delivery.

SLaM

CAMHS

Young people

Parents and carers of adolescents

Voluntary sector and community groups working with young people and parents on mental health

Healthwatch

Young Minds

Place2Be

CALM

Black Thrive

**Any suggestions for background information? Are you aware of any best practice on this topic?**

Visit Wigan Deal to look at community and prevention work

**What approaches could be useful for gathering evidence? What can be done outside committee meetings?**

e.g. verbal or written submissions, site visits, mystery-shopping, service observation, meeting with stakeholders, survey, consultation event

Officer presentations

Community engagement : visits and invites

Site visit to Wigan Deal <https://www.wigan.gov.uk/Council/The-Deal/The-Deal-conference.aspx>