

# Report to the Children and Families Select Committee

**19 December 2022** 

Agenda Item 5

# REPORT OF THE SERVICE DIRECTOR FOR COMMISSIONING AND RESOURCES

# NOTTINGHAMSHIRE SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN PARTNERSHIP ANNUAL REPORT 2021/22

## **Purpose of the Report**

1. The Nottinghamshire Safeguarding Children Partnership (NSCP) annual report 2021/22, attached as **Appendix 1**, sets out what the NSCP has achieved over the 2021/22 reporting period and is provided for the Committee to scrutinise and to provide assurance that the partnership is fulfilling its duties.

#### Information

2. The NSCP provides the safeguarding arrangements required under the Children and Social Work Act 2017 and the statutory guidance 'Working Together to Safeguard Children 2018'. The purpose of safeguarding arrangements is to support and enable local organisations and agencies to work together to safeguard and promote the welfare of children. The NSCP is required to prepare an annual report and to submit this to the National Child Safeguarding Practice Review Panel and the What Works for Children's Social Care Centre.

### **Financial Implications**

3. There are no financial implications arising from this report.

## Safeguarding of Children and Adults at Risk Implications

4. This report demonstrates how the multi-agency safeguarding arrangements have impacted on the safeguarding of children and young people in Nottinghamshire in the 2021/22 reporting period.

#### **RECOMMENDATION/S**

1) That the Children and Families Select Committee considers the report.

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## **Constitutional Comments (LPW 28/11/22)**

5. The recommendations fall within the remit of the Children and Families Select Committee by virtue of its terms of reference.

### Financial Comments (CDS 22/11/22)

6. There are no financial implications arising directly from this report.

### **Background Papers and Published Documents**

Except for previously published documents, which will be available elsewhere, the documents listed here will be available for inspection in accordance with Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972.

None

## Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected

All