

AGENDA

Presentation

- (1) Carer Developments
Hear presentation by Manager, Community Care Adults and Liz Seaton, North Lanarkshire Carers Together

Monitoring

- (2) Link Carers Scheme (pages 1-2)
Submit report dated 16 September 2004 by Director of Social Work on the progress of the review of the departmental policy for Link Care and Kinship Care (copy herewith)

Information

- (3) Use of Bail and Remand : A Consultation - The Sentencing Commission for Scotland (pages 3-9)
Submit report dated 21 September 2004 by Director of Social Work advising of the consultation paper on the Use of Bail and Remand issued by the Sentencing Commission for Scotland and seeking approval of the response to be submitted on behalf of Lanarkshire Criminal Justice Grouping (copy herewith)
- (4) Definition of Older People (pages 10-11)
Submit report dated 21 September 2004 by Director of Social Work setting out clarification of various definitions for the term Older Person and outlining the position of certain statutory agencies with regard to the definition of an older person (copy herewith)
- (5) Draft National Service Standards for Mental Health Officer Services (pages 12-14)
Submit report dated 8 September 2004 by Director of Social Work regarding the contents of Draft National Service Standards for Mental Health Officers (copy herewith)
- (6) NHS Carer Information Strategies – Draft Guidance (pages 15-17)
Submit report dated 8 September 2004 by Director of Social Work regarding a consultation exercise being undertaken by the Scottish Executive on the Draft Guidance for NHS Boards to put in place Carer Information Strategies (copy herewith)
- (7) Charging for Care at Home Services (pages 18-19)
Submit report dated 20 September 2004 by Director of Social Work regarding arrangements for charging for Care at Home Services (copy herewith)
- (8) National Care Standards : Care at Home (pages 20-21)
Submit report dated 20 September 2004 by Director of Social Work advising of the introduction of the Care Commission's National Standards for Care at Home Services and the registration of the services (copy herewith)

- (9) Coatbridge Infant Mental Health Project (pages 22-24)
Submit report dated 8 September 2004 by Director of Social Work regarding the development and progress of the Infant Mental Health Project in Coatbridge (copy herewith)

- (10) Brain Injury Needs Identification Work by DARE : Final Report (pages 25-28)
Submit report dated 7 September 2004 by Director of Social Work advising of the final report by the Disability and Rehabilitation Education Foundation on the review of acquired brain injury services undertaken as part of the Best Value Review of Independent Living Services (copy herewith)

- (11) Performance Inspection of Criminal Justice Social Work Services (pages 29-30)
Submit report dated 21 September 2004 by Director of Social Work regarding the proposed performance inspection of Criminal Justice Social Work Services in Lanarkshire by the Social Work Services Inspectorate (copy herewith)

- (12) Evening Times Local Heroes Awards 2004 (pages 31-32)
Submit report dated 14 September 2004 by Director of Social Work seeking approval to sponsor the Evening Times Local Heroes Awards 2004 (copy herewith)