

Strategic/Decision-making groups attended by PaCC parent representatives 2014/2015

(in alphabetical order)



Board, group or subgroup	Function
Strategic Boards	
CAMHEWG (Children & Adolescent Medical Health Emotional Wellbeing Group)	Oversees the working of CAMHS in B&H. Representatives from CAMHS, youth services, health services and commissioning services
Disabled Children's Working Group	Oversees the services delivered to disabled children in Brighton & Hove. Representatives from health, education, social care and providers with parents
Learning Disability Partnership Board (LDPB)	To oversee the services delivered to adults and young people in transition with learning difficulties
SEND Review Governance Board (Probably Active until end of March 15)	Leads on SEND review
SEND Strategic Partnership Board	To oversee the design and implementation of the new SEND strategy and for the duration of the SE7 pathfinder to act as the change board
Sub Groups	
Personal / Individualised Budgets in education, health & social care (DCSPB Sub Group)	Looks at parents piloting individual budgets for social care, recently the remit had widened to person budgets in education and health too
Transition Steering Group (LDPB sub group)	Oversees transition from children to adults services
South East 7 (SE7) Sub Group	
Local Offer	Oversees the implementation of the Local Offer in B&H
Other Groups	
Adult Autism Stakeholder Group	Represents adults on Autistic Spectrum in Brighton and Hove and covers social care, housing, mental health, leisure and equality
Autism Working Group	Improving experience of families and children with autism across services, following scrutiny report and adherence to NICE guidelines
Behaviour Strategy Group	Oversees integration of behaviour approaches across health, social care and

	education for children with complex needs and challenging behaviour
Carers Strategy implementation Group	To develop, implement and monitor the Carers' Joint Commissioning Strategy. Also Care Act and Carers' Week
Children's Services Partnership Forum	A new overarching partnership forum to focus on all elements of children's services across the city
Continence Group	Oversees the development of children continence service within Sea Side View
Disabled Children's Acute Community Liaison Group	Oversees the work of the hospitals (Royal Alex and Seaside View) with regard to children with additional needs
Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) Mental Health	To develop the scope and methodology and make the recommendations to the Health and Wellbeing Board
Home School Transport meetings (not a formal group)	To discuss home-school transport issues and commenting ion documents
Housing / Advice Service Network	A very broad group attended by agencies which give advice – including housing
Independent Travel Training Task Group	A pilot for independent travel training for pupils with SEND who currently get home-school transport with a view to increase rates on independent travel where appropriate
Integrated Development and Disability Service (ICDDS) Quality & Standards Group	Oversees the provision of service within Sea Side View to monitor its delivery. Made up of representatives from health, social care and education
Independent Advice Support and Independent Support Steering Group	To overview the IAS and IS
Residential Quality & Standards	Oversees quality and standards for the short break respite service (Drove Road, Tudor House, Outreach and Cherish)
Regional groups	
Disabled Children & Young People's Partnership Group (DCYPPG)	Parents from forums across the region and managers from the Children's Disability Services meet termly in Chichester to share practice regionally
National Network Of Parent Carer Forums – SE7 (NNPC)	Forum that oversees the work of the regional parent forums. One parent from each forum meet up regularly to network across the region
South East 7 (SE7) Steering Group	To develop the SEN&D reforms together as a collective of Local Authorities, Parent Carer Forums, Health and Voluntary Sectors