

Building the Trust (2007)



The Children & Young People's Trust

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- Purpose of the Trust
- The story so far
- The future



Context (1)

- Better outcomes for children & young people
- Transformation of services
- Increased collaboration & partnership
- Greater accountability
- Prevention
- Universal services/targeted services/specialist services
- Flexibility



Context (2)

- Structural reform
- Integration of services
- Commissioning
- Recruitment & Retention issues
- Financial constraints
- Long term programme
- Professional anxieties



Context (National Picture)

- National government engagement with the Third Sector
- Office of the Third Sector (Cabinet Office)
- Partnership in Public Services (An action plan for third sector involvement)
- The Innovation Exchange Programme



Purpose of the Trust

- Child-centred, outcome-led vision
- Integrated front line delivery
- Integrated processes
- Integrated strategy (joint planning and commissioning)
- Inter-agency governance



The Story So Far (1)

- Children & Young People's Plan (C&YPP) and refresh
- Monitoring delivery of targets within the C&YPP and the Children & Young People's block of the Local Area Agreement (LAA)
- Joint Area Review Action Plan



The Story So Far (2)

- Joint Commissioning Principles
- Joint Commissioning Priorities
- Participation Strategy funding
- Trust Constitution



The Future (1)

- Prevention
- Workforce Development Strategy
- Trust development programme
- Communications (inc. website)



The Future (2)

"Local authorities will be concerned to develop a market for children and young people's services that includes a diversity of providers from the public, private, voluntary and community sectors and allow these providers to participate on an equal footing with each other."

Engaging the voluntary and community sectors in Children's Trusts - DfES

