

Voluntary Sector Commissioning and Lobbying for Children and Families Health Services

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A quality assurance framework for the children and families voluntary and community sector



Our Mission:

To create a fairer world for children and young people by championing the voluntary organisations which work on their behalf

- The leading membership organisation for charities and community groups working with children, young people and families in England
- Supporting and representing the sector since 1940's
- Membership network of 100, 000 like-minded people working across the sector
- Represent the full diversity of the sector

Commissioning for Health



- Why would I want to be commissioned by the NHS
 - Skills and experience in short supply
 - Detailed local knowledge
 - Skilled in participation and collaboration

How are the decisions made?



- Strengthened Legal Duty
- Choice, transparency and innovation
- Must Do's
 - Preventing people from dying prematurely
 - Enhancing the quality of life for those with long term conditions
 - Helping people recover from episodes of ill health, or following injury
 - Ensuring people have a positive experience of care
 - Treating and caring for people in a safe environment and protecting them from avoidable harm.

How do I find out about local need



- JSNA
- Joint Health & Well Being Strategy
- Other places include:
 - Child and Maternal Health Intelligence Network: www.Chimat.org.uk
 - • The Public Health Observatories: www.apho.org.uk
 - • NHS Evidence: www.evidence.nhs.uk
 - • National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence: www.nice.org.uk

Who do I talk to?



- Local Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG)
- Public Health
- Health Watch
 - <http://www.healthwatch.co.uk/find-your-local-organisation>

What will I have to do if I am commissioned?



- All NHS providers have to meet the same standards for any commissioned service.
<http://www.england.nhs.uk/nhs-standard-contract>
 - **Who will be delivering the service**
 - **What you will do**
 - **Who your service users will be**
 - **When you will do it**
 - **Where you will do it**

And...



- You will also need to show that you can comply with the sections on
 - Payment
 - Quality
 - Governance
 - Contract management, reporting and information

New Guide:



- I thought you might be interested to see the new guide, 'Commissioning a good child health service,' <http://www.rcgp.org.uk/child-health> that has been published by Royal College of GPs in conjunction with the Royal College of Nursing and the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health.
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Your Say in the Future



- 20/20 Vision – A manifesto for children, young people and families from the voluntary sector
- We believe that there is an economic, social and moral imperative for the next government to prioritise children, young people and families.
- Health Priorities – what should they be for the future?

- Now – Today - Policy Suggestions
- Nov/Dec – Policy Editing –
- Jan/March – Policy Selection
- Campaigning

Getting Involved



Every Member and Associate member will be encouraged to participate and contribute to the 20/20 Vision for children in many ways:

- Proposing policy calls and priority issues
- Joining policy theme groups or through regional member groups
- Engaging and voting in the democratic debate
- Signing up to the final manifesto, and promoting it in their work and with their contacts
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- We are also keen to include any organisations and potential funders who would like to support, sponsor and be associated with this initiative. All interest and contributions will be welcome, including help with funding:

Where can I find out more information?



- NHS England (formerly National Commissioning Board) <http://www.england.nhs.uk/>
- Regional Voices <http://www.regionalvoices.org/>
- Children England <http://childrenengland.org.uk>

<http://www.childrenengland.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2012/06/Fact-Sheet-How-do-I-get-commissioned-by-the-NHS.pdf>