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| **Organisation** | **Background** | **Representative for 2020/21** | **Allowances/**  **Expenses** | **LGA Contact Officer** |
| **National Suicide Prevention Advisory Strategy Group** | The NSPASG is attended by the Minister for Suicide Prevention and brings together national bodies with an interest in suicide prevention, including experts by experience. | **Cllr Richard Kemp (Lib Dem)** | The LGA will cover reasonable travel and subsistence. | Laura Caton/ Kevin Halden  [Laura.Caton@local.gov.uk](mailto:Laura.Caton@local.gov.uk)  [Kevin.Halden@local.gov.uk](mailto:Kevin.Halden@local.gov.uk) |
| **Ministerial Carers Action Group** | The Oversight Group is chaired by Helen Whatley MP, Minister for Care, and its purpose is to review progress against the [Carers Action Plan](https://protect-eu.mimecast.com/s/79FnCAnOKF956oRf9KzRo) | **To be appointed.** | The LGA will cover reasonable travel and subsistence. | Laura Caton/ Kevin Halden  [Laura.Caton@local.gov.uk](mailto:Laura.Caton@local.gov.uk)  [Kevin.Halden@local.gov.uk](mailto:Kevin.Halden@local.gov.uk) |
| **LGA Asylum, Migration and Refugee Task Group** | The LGA Asylum, Refugee and Migration Task Group is made up of regional member and strategic migration partnership representation covering all of the English regions, Northern Ireland, Wales and Scotland. | The Political Groups at the LGA nominate to the Task Group, so no appointment from the Board is sought. The Task Group reports to the Children and Young People and the Community Wellbeing Boards. | The LGA will cover reasonable travel and subsistence. | Emma Jenkins  [Emma.Jenkins@local.gov.uk](mailto:Emma.Jenkins@local.gov.uk) |
| **LGA Children & Young People’s Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing Steering Group** | The LGA Children & Young People’s Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing Steering Group was set up to steer the research work ISOS Partnership have been commissioned to undertake, which will be launched at NCAS.  This research will look at mental health provisions and services currently available to children and young people in local areas, and how this can be improved for service users.  As this policy is cross-cutting, the steering group’s membership is drawn from the Children & Young People’s Board, the Community & Wellbeing Board and the Safer & Stronger Community Board in-line with LGA political proportionality.  It will provide regular updates to the three boards. It plans to meet four times – in September, October, November and December 2019. | Political Groups nominate members to this Group and the following nominations have been made:  **Cllr Teresa Heritage (Con), CYP Board.**  **Cllr Sue Woolley (Con), CWB Board.**  **Cllr Shabir Pandor (Lab), CWB Board.**  **Cllr Lesley Williams (Lab), CYP Board.**  **Cllr Nick Cott\* (Lib Dem), CYP Board**  **Cllr Hannah Dalton (Ind.), SSC Board** | The LGA will cover reasonable travel and subsistence. | Abigail Gallop  [Abigail.Gallop@local.gov.uk](mailto:Abigail.Gallop@local.gov.uk) |
| **Digital Champion** | The Champion be the first port of call for digital on behalf of the Board and report back to the Community Wellbeing Board on these activities. | **Cllr Louise Gittins (Lab)** |  | Hannah Berry [Hannah.Berry@local.gov.uk](mailto:Hannah.Berry@local.gov.uk) |
| **Equalities and Diversity Champion** | Within the Board the Advocate will be expected to:  Encourage the Board to consider equality issues in all their work;  Challenge the Board to embed equalities into the work of the Board;  Hold the Board to account around equalities issues.  Outside of the Board the Advocate will be expected to:  Collaborate with other Equality Advocates from other LGA Boards on cross-cutting equalities issues;  Provide input into and feedback to the LGA equalities work programme. | **Cllr Paulette Hamilton (Lab)** |  | Abigail Gallop  [Abigail.Gallop@local.gov.uk](mailto:Abigail.Gallop@local.gov.uk) |