

10 May 2016

LGA Boards' improvement activity

Purpose

To present a progress report to the Board on improvement activity undertaken by other LGA Boards.

Recommendation:

Members are asked to note the progress report on improvement activity undertaken by other LGA Boards.

Action:

Officers to respond as necessary to any comments.

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Background

1. Members have agreed that it is important for the Improvement and Innovation Board to retain a strategic or “overarching” perspective on the improvement activity currently undertaken across LGA Boards. This will help ensure consistency with the key principles underpinning the approach to sector-led improvement and help avoid any potential duplication.
2. In order to achieve this:
 - 2.1. officers coordinate the flow of business through the Boards so that the Improvement and Innovation Board can be invited to express strategic views about any significant improvement issues put before other Boards;
 - 2.2. during the year the Improvement and Innovation Board receives suitably timed progress reports on the major improvement programmes;
 - 2.3. as far as possible, the Improvement and Innovation Board meets towards the end of each quarterly cycle of meetings so it can consider any significant issues put before other Boards and then report back to Boards at their next meeting.
3. The last two meetings have included significant reports on the Care and Health Improvement Programme for 2016/17 and on children’s improvement. On this occasion the agenda includes a report on our devolution support offer.
4. In addition, a progress report drawing together a summary of significant improvement activity led by other LGA Boards since the last meeting is **attached as appendix A**.

Next steps

5. Subject to members’ views, officers will continue to brief the Board on the latest improvement activities across all LGA Boards.

Financial implications

6. There are no additional financial implications arising from this report.