**Parent Carers Together**

**Feedback Form**

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| **Name:** | Maureen Rolfe |
| **Meeting description** | Carers Action Group LDPB |
| **Where was meeting held:** | Kinson Hub |
| **Date of Meeting** | April 7th 1-3 pm all at Kinson Hub same times |
| **Any future meeting dates, if known:**  | July 14th /Oct 13th  |

Feedback can be in any format; it should contain important points that came out of the meeting, your opinions, any related work that you think overlaps, action points that you might be involved with, any areas of concern. This will be shared with all PCT reps and committee.

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**FEEDBACK & COMMENTS** *(please use further pages if necessary)*

 Last meeting was Oct 8th 2019

Attending today:

Debbie Hyde (for now) Tamsin Luchessi Dorset Advocacy ANNETTE IVY SOCIAL WORKER Bridget Campbell Rep on BCP Boards P/C Steve Beare Rep/ P/C Marion Burgess - P/C Parent Carer Foundation Amanda Wheeler mins and Maureen Rolfe PCT.

Apologies were acknowledged from LM and others.

DH chaired meeting at this time she does not know if she is still in place may go out to others so could be her last meeting.TL was welcomed to the meeting to replace Sam Pavey.There will be new FFI leaflets as these at present are out of date but copies still available at the Carers Centre ongoing work.(FAMILY FRIENDLY INFORMATION).In form of a set of leaflets.

Next was reference to Day centres Activities and Learning towards Employment were options feasible for yp suitability raised by MB.For those under 50 there is a listing in My Life My Care as to what is available.I have been looking at these very limiting and leads to any form of Employment low.Info is available on FFI site and Local Offer sites.This is just signposting with no quality check /rating by Peoples First Forum members.

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**TERMS OF REFERENCE: Decided that poss new incoming lead would want their own version so was left for now as ongoing.**

Sam Pavey work will be continued by TL but from what she had read so far there were no drastic changes up to page 5 on Carers Action Plan 2018-2021.Please note that TL is new in post and has not long taken over SP post.The only action still in red was item 2.Ensuring Health and Social Services continue to SUPPORT carers through assessing and reviewing in line with Legislation performance data for every 6 months is not up to date.This led onto a very interesting discussion further on in todays meeting. There is no Commissioning Board as yet for this year.

Work has been going on in Poole Hospital to have a Carers Support pack to explain ops etc to yp /A with Learning Disabilities. TL will do the First Partnership Board and then re-adjust her work accordingly and report back to next meeting.

SB Spoke on Victim Support there was person in place who had worked well whether contract continues? Hoping for a 3yr contract in Poole, maybe some more help too. He has a massive workload but still more cases coming through he has a very good success rate in Court helping those with LD.Definetly more ongoing work is needed to stop re-offenders up to BCP now. Initial costs or long term costs!

 Following the success in Boscombe and Poole the Bus Station funding is assured for patrols.

BC spoke on Sarah Bramell at Poole Hospital who deals with Resources there.Forms are available from the hospital to fill in for LD patients.Now there are high visual signs and a need to be EYE CARE AWARE as LD has a high rate of problems in this area.Slowly will be rolled out over other depts..Dr Purcell lead on Dementia states that regular Health Checks across all LD both young and old is essential.

Susie Hawkins Dorset CCG on LEDER reports on deaths of LD patients.They have 19 trained staff of those only 7 are currently reviewing cases the other 12 are busy on other work at present.Scoring Review works as follows on cases 6 being the highest –CONCERNS down to ½ low concerns things which could have been done differently but not likely to be a major cause of death. 6 Concerns and from 5 /6 have to look at underlying factors could care have been done differently meds etc.A lot was learned from HARRY’S DEATH.

**TASK /FINISH GROUP:**

 This group of Care and Support has now finished.Broken down into different levels a lot of clients are level 3 which is a need for Brokers presently ongoing.One provider is currently out to Contract.The Providers are Quality monitored and signed up to the Bill of Rights and Guidelines accordingly.These are used by Social Services and Families and checked by Services.Some Providers are not meeting the criteria but were ok before the transfer over.Some standards have dropped and some Providers not fully informed.Overall transfer has gone well however there has been technical issues in Bournemouth.There will be a FULL report to the Partnership Board in May.

For now Health Social Care and CAG will continue poss out to tender Autumn 2020.

Pooled by CCG heavily dependant on services as now.Looking at Personal Budgets

“TAKE A BREAK -CHOICE and Control - significant ring fenced service next meet end of Aug 2020.

Info will be circulated to CAG Group to look at in April meeting. Future Commissioning.

PRAMA LIFE –offering help to Carers in Transition stages.

HOUSING has a package of Care.

Refer to Carers UK website.

MB said lots of parents were not happy with levels of support across the board.Changes in benefits has significant impacts on family life.

BOOKLET I’M THINKING AHEAD a massive read available on website.DH to send the link with a view to purchase copies?

 HOTTEST TOPIC TODAY:

 Came about by a few chance remarks from Parents Carers and was referred to earlier.

 CARERS ACTION PLAN REPORT:

 Questions raised in the room who is responsible for Quality CHECKING Housing?

 Providers BCP are paying for ? Social Services only if referral ongoing anything after 4 years remain on books but not checked? YP being left no social workers no support manager? A contentious issue as it was not in my back yard NIMBY.Nobody put their hands up to say yes my job.What are we as a nation telling our future young people?

 I am sure BCP will finally and long last take up the issues raised here today.

 Meeting Closed.

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