

## **Lancashire Learning Disability Partnership Board**

held on 25 January 2017

# **Cabinet Room C, County Hall, Preston**

# **Meeting Notes**



## **Introductions**

People who came to the meeting

David Wood REACT James Hughes REACT

Ian Greenwood SAIL and REACT

Ellen Smith Lancashire County Council Live Well Policy, Information and

**Commissioning Team** 

Becky Gammon Brothers of Charity

Linda Stewart SAIL and East Lancashire People First

Kate Stock East Lancashire People First

Stephen Smith REACT
Lisa Capstick REACT
Mark Shackleton REACT

Sandra Hough Voice For All, Brothers of Charity

Liz McClellon Voice For All

Stuart Williams Remodelling and Review Team Manager, Lancashire County Council

Lee Singh SAIL Georgia SAIL

Clare Whittle Voice For All

John Whitehead Voice For All, Brothers of Charity

Natalie Vranes REACT Project Worker

Kirsten Squirrell Graduate Trainee, Lancashire County Council

Charlotte Hammond Head of Service, Learning Disability and Autism, Lancashire County

Council

Paul Daly Provider Representative

Lynette Ashton Profound Intellectual and Multiple Disability Champion and Family Carer

Angie Coyle-Bell Lancashire Care NHS Trust

Alison Tupling Family Advocate, West Lancashire

Joanne Greenwood Mental Health Nurse

John McBeth Pendle Support Manager

Richard Woods REACT

Jonathan Parris CEO Ormerod

Sam Gow REACT Pat Afflick Integrate



## **Apologies**

## People who could not come to the meeting

Mavis Abel Amanda Topps Louise Calvert Fabian Craig-Wilson Lionel Barker MENCAP
Community Engagement Officer, LCC
SAIL Director
Co-Chair, County Councillor, Lancashire County Council
Family Carer



# **Ground Rules, Hospitality and Opening Round**

Everybody said who they were.

David welcomed everyone to the Board.

Sam was the timekeeper.



# Minutes and Actions agreed from the meeting on 30 November



Information about National Forum. James said this was about funding being stopped. There would be no funding from 1 April 2017.

David said this was a shame. The forum is needed so that our voices are heard.



#### **Self-advocates The SAIL REACT Team Presentation**

Natalie, Linda and Becky gave a presentation. A copy will be sent out with these notes.



## **Voice For All Advocacy Group**

A presentation was given and a copy will be sent out with these notes.



David congratulated Voice For All on the publication of the leaflet and on the presentation.



Charlotte asked why the Valentine's Night Out finish time was 10pm. This was because support staff go home. Charlotte said that people need to be in control and plan to have a late night. Claire and Lee said it is difficult because staff need to leave.



Stuart said there was a provider network meeting on 31 January and he would ask why. This item would go on the agenda. A questionnaire had gone out in the past. There is a national Stay Up Late campaign. James said REACT did some work on this.



Ian told everyone about Valentine's Party People First on 14 February at Burnley Club. It would start at 7pm and finish at 10.30pm.



Liz said this was a good report and presentation. She said a Vice Chair and others were needed on the committee.



## **Family Carers and Providers**

Ellen said that no feedback had been received from any of the carer forums. No-one had anything to add.



There was a discussion about sub groups. Charlotte asked what does living well mean?

Stephen said it was about having friends, a job, exercising, going out.



What does each group want to do? Charlotte wanted to encourage more people to attend sub-groups. She felt each group should have a plan.

Ellen said she would share information with the Autism Group. Groups may be able to help each other.



Charlotte also felt that there should be more links with other organisations.

Lisa Taylor is the new Transitions Manager. She will be invited to the March meeting.



Lynette felt that the Learning Disability Partnership Board should have targets. Carers do not seem to know about the Board.

The Board is here to serve. Sub groups to be accountable to the Board.



Angie agreed. She said if her team knows more about what the Board's plans are, they can be more involved.

Some people said it was difficult to find easy read information even in doctors' surgeries.



#### **Discussion About Health Feedback**

See flipchart notes with these minutes.



## **Any Other Business**

There was no other business.



Everyone agreed to discuss Board and sub group plans at the next meeting. Health would also be on the agenda.



## **Closing Round**

Everyone said how much they had enjoyed the meeting and found it interesting.



## **Date and Time of Next Meeting**

The next meeting is on 8 March. Coffee will be available at 10 am.

The meeting will start at 10.30 am.