Cyngor Bwrdeistref Sirol Pen-y-bont ar Ogwr Bridgend County Borough Council



Swyddfeydd Dinesig, Stryd yr Angel, Pen-y-bont, CF31 4WB / Civic Offices, Angel Street, Bridgend, CF31 4WB

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We welcome correspondence in Welsh. Please let us know if your language choice is Welsh.



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Ein cyf / Our ref: Eich cyf / Your ref:

Dyddiad/Date: Thursday, 18 September 2025

Dear Councillor,

SOCIAL SERVICES, HEALTH AND WELLBEING OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE (FORMERLY SUBJECT OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE 2)

A meeting of the Social Services, Health and Wellbeing Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Formerly Subject Overview & Scrutiny Committee 2) will be held Hybrid in the Council Chamber - Civic Offices, Angel Street, Bridgend, CF31 4WB / Remotely via Microsoft Teams on **Thursday, 25 September 2025** at **10:00**.

AGENDA

1 Apologies for Absence

To receive apologies for absence from Members.

2 Declarations of Interest

To receive declarations of personal and prejudicial interest (if any) from Members/Officers in accordance with the provisions of the Members Code of Conduct adopted by Council from 1 September 2008 (including whipping declarations)

3 <u>Care Inspectorate Wales (CIW) Improvement Check of Childrens and Family Services June 2025</u>

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Invitees

Councillor Jane Gebbie - Deputy Leader / Cabinet Member for Social Services, Health and Wellbeing

Claire Marchant - Corporate Director - Social Services and Wellbeing Laura Kinsey - Head of Children and Family Services David Wright - Deputy Head of Children and Family Services

Ben Anderson - Care Inspectorate Wales Suzanne Pile - Adult & Children's Service Team - Care Inspectorate Wales

Care Inspectorate Wales (CIW) Fostering Service Inspection June 2025 4

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As above for Item 4 and;

Daniel Bolton – Group Manager – Provider Services

- 5 Conclusions and Recommendations
- 6 Information Report - Quarter 4 / Year End Performance 2024-25

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Forward Work Programme Update 7

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8 **Urgent Items**

To consider any item(s) of business in respect of which notice has been given in accordance with Part 4 (paragraph 4) of the Council Procedure Rules and which the person presiding at the meeting is of the opinion should by reason of special circumstances be transacted at the meeting as a matter of urgency.

Note: This will be a Hybrid meeting and Members and Officers will be attending in the Council Chamber, Civic Offices, Angel Street Bridgend / Remotely via Microsoft Teams. The meeting will be recorded for subsequent transmission via the Council's internet site which will be available as soon as practicable after the meeting. If you would like to view this meeting live, please contact cabinet committee@bridgend.gov.uk or tel. 01656 643148 / 643694 / 643513 / 643159.

Yours faithfully

K Watson

Chief Officer, Legal and Regulatory Services, HR and Corporate Policy

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S Aspey

F D Bletsoe

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