

## Actions to be taken to address the issues / shortcomings recorded in the Play Sufficiency Assessment

### Proposed actions for the period of 1<sup>st</sup> April 2016 – 31<sup>st</sup> March 2017

(Funding source: funding from Local Authority own budgets and to be included in the Single Integrated Plan).

Matter	Priorities	Targets	Milestones	Resources, including costs	Funding source (new or existing funding streams)
<b>Statutory Guidance-policy framework</b>					
<b>Matter A: Population</b>	Improve data available on disabled children and young people	Work with key partners (schools, clubs and disabled childrens team) to recognise registered and non registered disability	Updated data report by march 2017	Staff time estimated at £1000	Existing
<b>Matter B: Providing for diverse needs</b>	Develop an approach to address data gaps that would	Create an action plan for 2017/18 that focuses on Welsh Language,	Staff time estimate formulated by October 2016 Data collection plan	Staff time estimated at £500	

	improve understanding of diverse needs	Rural areas , cultural backgrounds and young carers	formalised by Jan 2017		
	Review the needs and opportunities of disabled children and young people needing additional support	Full consultation on opportunities and needs  Promotion of integrated and disability specific opportunities	Evaluation report by Dec 2016  Information and communication plan by March 2017	Staff time estimated at £3000  Resources for communication £2-3000	Existing  New/external
	Grow the number of projects and providers using play and increase knowledge of inclusion	3-4 new inclusive opportunities supported to develop	Implementation Plan by June 2016 Participation review October 2016	Project expenses including training, facility costs and equipment £4-5000	New/external
	Apply access audits to services, projects and programmes	100% of core internal services reviewed	Review complete by Feb 2017	Staff time estimated £500	Existing

<b>Matter C: Space available for children to play</b>	Consistent approach to play space to be introduced	Review current property and play value assessment	Single approach developed by September 2016	Staff time estimated £300	Existing
	Promote play priority areas and install signage	Develop 8-10 play priority area	Areas in place by October 2016	Installation costs estimated £600	Existing
<b>Outdoor designated play spaces</b>	Remaining play value assessments to be completed	Utilise integrated assessment format	10 additional spaces assessed Nov 16- March 17	Staff time estimate £600	Existing
<b>Matter D: Supervised provision</b>	Progressively increase data on externally provided play provision	Database on external partners established and details of activities in place	Partner provider information in place by March 2017. Data on play provision and quality established	Staff time and database production Estimated £800	Existing
	Review delivery options for	Position statement following review of	Options appraisal established by	Staff time Estimated £1000	Existing

	staffed provision	criteria on ability to maintain direct delivery of play or adopt an alternative approach	January 2017 (related to seasonal and sessional opportunities)		
	Promote good practice to play providers	Develop and distribute information on play quality and requirements to identified partners	Resources distributed Sept 2016 – March 2017	Resource production including translation £300	Existing
<b>Structured Recreational activities</b>	Evaluate the risks of community sport review in Bridgend	Develop a C-span (Community Sport and Physical Activity Network) plan to respond to regional approaches	Draft plan in place by January 2017  Formal partnership to support network arrangements	Staff time estimated £3000	Existing  New
	Review youth opportunities with partners	Integrate youth services as a focus within third sector review and action plans	Youth services action plan by March 2017	Third sector investment secured Links to BCBC and a commissioning or partnership approach	Existing and new (external)

	Work with contracted partners to ensure recognition and support of play sufficiency	Integrate play sufficiency in service plans of leisure and cultural social enterprises	Halo leisure in place by May 2016 Awen cultural trust by March 2017  Periodic review and reporting	BCBC management fees to partner organisations	Existing
<b>Matter E: Charges for play provision</b>	Improve data on Low and no cost activities at play provider level	Collate partner provider information on no cost opportunities Promote access to leisure programme and increase participation	Develop web section on no cost and low cost play opportunities by October 2016	Staff time Estimate £400 Translation costs and upload £300	Existing
<b>Matter F: Access to space/provision</b>	Identifying providers interested in developing play friendly streets programmes	2-3 partners to develop pilot programme Share existing good practice Develop a case study and promote to partners	One scheme progressed by October 2016 Second by March 2017	Staff time, marketing costs and potentially equipment £500-£600	New (explore key partnerships and related funds, LSB, Communities First, Families First)
	Review sharing of data on play needs with	Develop play value workshops with key partners	3-4 locality based workshops to be held by Feb 2017	Facility Hire and staffing costs £400	Existing

	partners				
<b>Matter G: Securing and developing the workforce</b>	Develop skills in the workforce to secure and negotiate play sufficiency matters	Develop 3-4 play champions to promote play sufficiency to partners and communities	Champions developed and in place by October 2016 Delivery with partners commenced December 2016	Staffing costs £500 Training costs £300	Existing
	Formalise the levels of training support available and promote to partners	Work with key anti poverty funds and identify any opportunities for play work training support	Annual training opportunities identified by June 2016. Promotion to partners July-Aug 16 Delivery of training Sept 16- March 17	TBC Families First Childcare Communities First (Building on current partnership working)	Existing
	Develop knowledge on workforce development in the steering group and evolving play network	Training sessions for steering group Standardised agenda item on workforce development	3 meetings per annum of steering group  4-6 network partners engaged by Sept 2016	Training costs £600	Existing

<b>Matter H: Community engagement and participation</b>	Formalise the resource to support and advise communities and partners on play sufficiency	Review and document the in house support available to partners Develop additional skills and knowledge to provide gaps where resource permits	Information complete by Jan 2017  Communications to partners by March 2017	Staff time Estimated costs £500  Training and development costs £1000	existing
	Promotion of play value and benefits to young people and communities	Development of fact sheets, case studies and web information to engage with the public	Produced and distributed by October 2016	Staffing estimated Cost £600  Resources/information including translation £400	Existing  New
<b>Matter I: Play within all relevant policy and implementation agendas</b>	Maintain the recognition of play sufficiency at Local Service Board Level	Annual report to LSB Support the needs assessment for the emerging PSB	Annual sharing of action plan with LSB/PSB March 2017	Staff resources £200	Existing
	Identify	2-3 additional	To be established	£8000-£9000	New fund raising

	resources to expand support for all schools to support Play Sufficiency	schools supported with play pods and SLA	by March 2017		and partner support
	Play to be integrated in Town and County Planning reviews	Play sufficiency matters considered in supplementary reviews of UDP	Review process to include play sufficiency officer and be conducted by March 2017	Staffing costs (TBC)	Existing
	Develop play in early years settings	Promote family Active Zone in Flying Start programmes	3-4 programmes operation by September 2016	Resources, training and equipment £2-3000	New/external
	Develop on updated position on play with corporate health and safety	Policy reviewed and agreed on risk benefit approaches	Completed by June 2016	Staffing costs	Existing