

**CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES SCRUTINY PERFORMANCE PANEL**  
**DRAFT WORK PLAN 2024-25**

<p><b>Meeting 1</b>  <b>24 June 2024</b></p> <p>4pm</p>	<p><b>CIW Inspection Report on Ty Nant and Heol Tir Du</b>  <i>Julie Davies, Head of Child and Family Services</i>  <i>Chris Griffiths, Principal Officer Residential Services</i></p> <p><b>Delivery of Corporate Priorities / Policy Commitments in relation to Child and Family Services</b>  <i>Louise Gibbard, Cabinet Member for Care Services</i>  <i>David Howes, Director of Social Services</i>  <i>Julie Davies, Head of Child and Family Services</i></p> <p><b>Role of the Panel, Review of 2023-24 and draft Work Plan 2024-25</b></p>
<p><b>Meeting 2</b>  <b>12 September 2024</b></p> <p>4.30pm</p>	<p><b>Annual Wellbeing/Performance Report</b>  <i>Julie Davies, Head of Child and Family Services</i>  <i>Linzi Margetson, Principal Officer Safeguarding Quality and Performance</i></p> <p><b>Respite and Short Break Provision for Disabled Children in the Swansea Area</b>  <i>Julie Davies, Head of Child and Family Services</i>  <i>Helen Williams, Principal Officer Adolescent and Young People Services</i></p>
<p><b>Meeting 3</b>  <b>12 November 2024</b></p> <p>4.30pm</p>	<p><b>Update from Regional Safeguarding Board</b>  <i>David Howes, Director of Social Services</i>  <i>Julie Davies, Head of Child and Family Services</i></p> <p><b>Service Quality Unit Annual Report</b>  <i>Linzi Margetson, Principal Officer Safeguarding Quality and Performance</i></p>
<p><b>Meeting 4</b>  <b>7 January 2025</b></p> <p>4.30pm</p>	<p><b>Performance Monitoring</b>  <i>Julie Davies, Head of Child and Family Services</i></p> <p><b>Update on Child and Family Improvement Programme</b>  <i>Julie Davies, Head of Child and Family Services</i>  <i>Linzi Margetson, Principal Officer Safeguarding Quality and Performance</i></p>
<p><b>BUDGET MEETING</b>  <b>? February 2025</b></p> <p><b>JOINT SOCIAL</b></p>	<p><b>Draft Budget Proposals for Child and Family Services / Adult Services</b>  <i>Louise Gibbard, Cabinet Member for Care Services</i>  <i>David Howes, Director of Social Services</i></p>

<b>SERVICES MEETING</b>	
<b>Meeting 5</b> <b>25 February 2025</b>  4.30pm	<b>Corporate Parenting Board Update and Annual Report</b> <i>Louise Gibbard, Cabinet Member for Care Services</i> <i>David Howes, Director of Social Services</i> <i>Julie Davies, Head of Child and Family Services</i>  <b>Briefing on Supported Living for Young People Leaving Care</b> <i>Julie Davies, Head of Child and Family Services</i> <i>Helen Williams, Principal Officer Adolescent and Young People Services</i>
<b>Meeting 6</b> <b>8 April 2025</b>  4.30pm	<b>Update on Services for Young People aged 16+ including Youth Justice</b> <i>Helen Williams, Principal Officer Adolescent and Young People Services</i>  <b>Briefing on How the Virtual School Works</b> <i>Robert Smith, Cabinet Member for Education and Learning</i> <i>Kate Phillips and Helen Howells, Education</i>
<b>Meeting 7</b> <b>6 May 2025</b>  4.30pm	<b>Performance Monitoring</b> <i>Julie Davies, Head of Child and Family Services</i>  <b>Delivery of Corporate Priorities / Policy Commitments in relation to Child and Family Services</b> <i>Louise Gibbard / David Howes / Julie Davies</i>  <b>Panel Review of the Year 2024/25</b>

**Future work programme items:**

- Destination of Care Experienced (date TBC)
- Wales Audit Office Reports (dates to be confirmed)
- Update on Progress with Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS). Add to work plan for 2025-26
- Child and Family Services / Adult Services Complaints Annual Report 2023-24 (Scheduled for AS Panel 11 December 2024. CFS Panel Members to be invited)