

Report of the Convener of the Regional Working Scrutiny Inquiry Panel on 26 January 2018

Regional Working – Social Services and the Public Services Board

Purpose:	The Panel have asked for information about the picture within Social Services and the Public Services Boards (PSB) as part of the evidence gathering for the Regional Working Scrutiny Inquiry
Content:	Information about regional working within Social Services and in relation to the PSB
Councillors are being asked to:	Consider the information provided as part of the scrutiny inquiry into regional working
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1. Background

1.1 The Panel have scheduled to speak to each Directorate and today will meet the Director of Social Services and Chief Social Services Officer to discuss regional working as it affects Social Services and also the PSB.

2. Regional Working, Education

- 2.1 The Chief Education Officer will provide a report and attend to answer any questions the panel may have. The Panel have asked for a breakdown of all the regional working activities that are happening within Social Services.
- 2.2 The Panel are asked to consider this information as part of their scrutiny inquiry into regional working. All evidence gathered will form part of a findings pack which will be used to inform the Panel's conclusions and recommendations.