

Meeting of the Full Council - 25 May 2017

Report on the Children's Services Scrutiny Committee meeting on 1 March 2017

Chair: County Councillor Gina Dowding

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[Children's Services Scrutiny Committee](#)

Preventing Childhood Obesity

A presentation was provided to the Committee regarding childhood obesity which included:

- A definition
- Situation in Lancashire
- What works?
- National policy
- Local approaches
- Opportunities and risks

Resolved:

The Committee noted the report and to ask the Government for action on the Sugar Tax. It was agreed that the Director of Public Health would draft a letter on behalf of the Committee.

SEND DoLS sub-group update

An update was received from officers on the progress being made in relation to the development of how the Children with Disabilities Team (CwD) and Integrated Assessment and Monitoring Team (IA&M) work with children and young people to undertake capacity assessments and, where appropriate, consider what is in their best interests.

Resolved:

The Committee noted the progress made so far in relation to the implementation of the MCA within SEND and the development of policy, procedures and processes being developed to support compliant practice and positive outcomes for young people and requested an update in six months' time.