Action Plan 10

OFSTED Recommendation 10: Review the capacity of the specialist health services to Looked After Children and young people to ensure health support including dental health & annual health assessments is accessible, timely and user-friendly.

AREA FOR IMPROVEMENT 10	Review the capacity of the specialist health services to Looked After Children and young people
EXPECTED IMPACT	Looked After Children have timely access to the services they need
MEASURES	tba
ACTION REQUIRED	 I. Capacity of specialist health services to be reviewed. II. Annual LAC health assessments to be disseminated to practitioners six weeks prior to their review date to ensure they are completed and returned in a timely manner. III. To develop and implement a referral pathway for dental health
CURRENT POSITION STATEMENT	
ORGANISATIONS INVOLVED	BCPFT, NHSD

ORGANISATION KEY

BCPFT- Black Country Partnership Foundation Trust

NHSD- NHS Dudley

Milestones	Org	Specific Actions	Completion	Executive	Local Lead	Status	Position Statement
			Date	Lead		(RAG)	
I.Capacity of specialist health	NHSD	Work together to review LAC	30.04.12	N Bucktin	L Cropper		
services to be reviewed.	BCPFT	services and identify any		H Walker	P Owens	Α	
		additional resource requirements		S Marshall	A Dodd		
	BCPFT	Utilise the Health of Looked After	30.04.12	S Marshall	T Bowers		
		Children Working Group to				Α	
		develop a work plan					
II.Annual LAC health	BCPFT	Devise a process to ensure this is	31.03.12	S Marshall	D Grearley		
assessments to be		achieved				G	Complete
disseminated to practitioners							
six weeks prior to their review							
date to ensure they are							
completed and returned in a							
timely manner.							
III.To develop and implement	NHSD	Designated Nurse to provide	31.3.12	H Walker	P Owens		
a referral pathway for dental		BCPFT with up to date list of				G	Complete
health		Dental providers for the borough					
	BCPFT	Liaison with dental practitioners	31.3.12	S Marshall	D Grearley		
		to agree pathway				G	Complete
		As an interim plan to produce					
		written information for foster					
		carers and parents around					
		available services					