



## **Out of Authority Children Placed in Derby**

### **SUMMARY**

- 1.1 Derby Children and Young Peoples Department is required to maintain a register of children and young people placed in Derby by other authorities. As part of each local authorities duties they are required under the Arrangements for Placement of Children (General) Regulations 1991 (Regulation 10) to maintain a register of Children Looked After placed in its area, including those children who are the responsibility of another local authority.
- 1.2 Accurate and up-to-date information about children and young people placed in Derby by other authorities is important for planning purposes as well as taking into account for any resource implications and safeguarding issues. There is a requirement to share this information with the Virtual School Head and the Designated Nurse for Looked After Children to assist them in their planning, as well as share this information with DSCB so they can be assured these vulnerable children are safe.
- 1.3 The register is dynamic by nature and is expected to change on an on-going basis as children and young people move in and out of Derby. There are a total of 62 children placed in Derby at the time of writing the report

### **RECOMMENDATION**

- 2.1 To receive the report

### **REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION**

- 3.1 As part of each local authorities duties they are required under the Arrangements for Placement of Children (General) Regulations 1991 (Regulation 10) to maintain a register of Children Looked After placed in its area, including those children who are the responsibility of another local authority.
- 3.2 It is important for Derby City Council to be aware of who is placed in Derby to ascertain implications for risk as well resources. As part of the SIF Ofsted may request a copy of the Out of Authority register.

## **SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

4.1 Out of Authority Report attached

## **OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED**

5.1 None

**This report has been approved by the following officers:**

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<b>IMPLICATIONS</b>
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**Financial and Value for Money**

- 1.1 None arising from this report

**Legal**

- 2.1 Legally required under the Arrangements for Placement of Children (General) Regulations 1991 to maintain a register of children placed from out of authority in the City.

**Personnel**

- 3.1 None arising from this report

**IT**

- 4.1 None arising from this report

**Equalities Impact**

- 5.1 None arising from this report

**Health and Safety**

- 6.1 None arising from this report

**Environmental Sustainability**

- 7.1 None arising from this report

**Property and Asset Management**

- 8.1 None arising from this report

**Risk Management**

- 9.1 None arising from this report

**Corporate objectives and priorities for change**

- 10.1 The content of this report underpins the priority commitment, Protecting vulnerable children, young people, adults and older people. Making sure that we take action to safeguard vulnerable adults and children that require higher levels of support including; our looked after children and vulnerable adults with learning disabilities. This will involve early intervention and prevention wherever possible.