

## 2016/17 Performance Results Looked after Children and Young People

### Derby's looked after population

- At the end of March 2017 there were **448 children in care**, a rate of **76.1 per 10,000 population**.
- There were **200 new entrants** to care in 2016/17 compared to **208 exits** over the same period.
- The **largest percentage of looked after children and young people were placed outside of the city**, 61.4%, which has risen by over 9% from the end of March 2016.
- **61.5%** of Derby's children and young people in a foster placement were **placed with an Independent Fostering Agency**.

Children in Care - rate per 10,000 population



Derby's services for looked after children were judged **by Ofsted to be 'good'** in March 2017.

### Outcomes for Derby's looked after children and young people

- 10.3% of children looked after for 12 months or more experienced 3 or more moves; with 69.3% of children and young people in the same placement for 2 or more years

#### Stability of placements

#### Health needs

- 92.6% of children had received their annual health check with 81.6% of under 5's having two checks in a year
- 97.7% of immunisations were up to date
- 84.1% of dental checks were up to date
- 79.1% of SDQs were completed with an average score of 16.2

- 17.6% of looked after children exited care through adoption or a special guardianship order
- On average it took **732 days** for a child to move in with an adoptive family from entering care with 44.7% of CYP waiting less than 16 months

#### Adoption

NB - Results are colour coded according to the outcome against the target

### Outcomes for Derby's care leavers

At the end of March 2017:

- **58.2%** of care leavers were in employment, education and training
- **87%** of care leavers were in suitable accommodation.