

## Basket of critical indicators

## Appendix B

Priority or challenge identified in Directorate Plan	Indicators from Directorate Plan and the Local Area Agreement – monitored quarterly by CFL Management Team with commentary where data is not available
Reduce the health inequalities of children and families in Central Bedfordshire	NI 51- Effectiveness of child and adolescent mental health (LAA) NI 56 - Obesity among primary age school children (LAA) NI 58 – Emotional and behavioural health of looked after children NI 115 – Substance misuse by young people (LAA) NI 116 – Proportion of children in poverty (Local LAA)
Embed and ensure a multi-agency approach to safeguarding practices across Central Bedfordshire	NI59 – Initial assessments for children’s social care carried out within 7 working days of referral NI 60 – Core assessments for children’s social care that were carried out within 35 working days of their commencement NI 62 – Stability of placements of looked after children (number of moves) NI63 – Stability of placements of looked after children (length of placement) NI64- Child protection plans lasting 2 years or more NI 65 Children becoming the subject of a Child Protection Plan for a second or subsequent time NI 66 Looked after children cases which were reviewed within required timescales NI 67 Child protection cases which were reviewed within required timescales NI 68 – Referrals to children’s social care going on to initial assessment NI 147 – Care leavers in suitable accommodation NI 148 – Care leavers in education, employment or training
Develop integrated, locality service planning, decision making and service delivery	This is a cross cutting priority and improved outcomes will be seen in a range of indicators.
Raise Educational Achievement and improve children’s assessment outcomes and examination results at age 11 and 16 (statutory indicators LAA).	NI 73 - Achievement at level 4 or above in both English and Maths at Key Stage 2 (Threshold) NI 75 - Achievement of 5 or more A*-C grades at GCSE or equivalent including English and Maths (Threshold) NI 87 - Secondary school persistent absence rate NI 88 - Percentage of schools providing access to extended services NI 99 - Children in care reaching level 4 in English at Key Stage 2 NI 100 - Children in care reaching level 4 in Maths at Key Stage 2 NI 101 - Children in care achieving 5 A*-C GCSEs (or equivalent) at Key Stage 4 (including English and Maths) 2 and 4 NI 103 Special Educational Needs - statements issued within 26 weeks NI114 - Rate of permanent exclusions from school NI 89 - Reduction of number of schools judged as requiring special measures and improvement in time taken to come out of the category

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Increase the number of young people in employment education or training	NI 117- 16-18 year olds who are not in education, employment or training (LAA)
Reduce the number of First Time Entrants and the Proven Rate of Reoffending.	NI 19 Rate of proven re-offending by young offenders NI 111 First time entrants to the Youth Justice System aged 10 – 17
Deliver services that represent value for money and drive efficiencies	NI 8 Adult participation in sport (LAA) NI 11 Engagement in the arts (Local LAA) NI 57 Children and young people's participation in high-quality PE and sport