

Looking After Children in Scotland: Good Parenting, Good Outcomes

REVIEW OF THE CARE PLAN

Part 6:

Minute of the Review Meeting

Name of the child/young person

Paul Hepburn

Date of Review

Day

17

Month

12

Year

2002

1. Have reports been received from the following? (See Question 8 in the Social Workers report for those requested to submit a report).

	Yes	No	Not requested		Yes	No	Not requested
Child/young person	☐	☐	☐	Education professional	☒	☐	☐
Mother	☒	☐	☐	Other interested parties (please specify)	☐	☐	☐
Father	☒	☐	☐	Social Worker	☒	☐	☐
Care(s)/ residential care worker	☒	☐	☐	CRISP	☒	☐	☐
Health professional	☐	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐

2. Agenda for the Review

The agenda should be drawn up at the start of the Review. All those invited to the Review should have an opportunity to read the reports prior to the Review. The chairperson should ensure that actions on previous Review decisions and all issues of progress, change, difficulty or concern in the reports are put on the agenda for discussion.

Decisions of last Review,
Update,
Family contact,
Education,
Health,
Assessment and Action Records,
Plan,
Social Services Department contact,
Date of next Review.

3. Record of discussion of the ReviewDecisions of last Review

The decisions of the last Review are as outlined in [REDACTED] report.

Update

[REDACTED] advised that Paul continues to do well within the unit. He does not cause any management problems and although he can be "wide boy" every now and then this is not problematic. Paul's language which was an issue initially is now rarely heard. One minor incident was recounted and the Review was advised that Paul accepted the consequences of this and was able to apologise.

Paul continues to get on well with the other young people in the unit and has been very helpful to another young person from Dumfries and Galloway in relation to transport home.

Education

A very positive school report was circulated and [REDACTED] advised that Paul is expected to gain certificates in all subjects. Paul is currently working at General Level but has the potential to achieve at Credit Level but this requires more input from Paul. Paul was encouraged to work towards this. It is acknowledged that the next few months can be unsettling because of uncertainties about the future and that this can affect work but Paul was commended for his efforts so far and was encouraged to sustain this.

The Review was advised that Paul is a Christmas 2003 leaver and [REDACTED] advised that the school would not be able to fulfil Paul's potential once he sits his exams. Consideration needs to be given to identify a college place for Paul and Paul indicated that he is interested in pursuing either forestry or catering courses. Further information on these will be provided to Paul.

Family contact

Paul's leave overall has gone very well. There has been some issues but these have been able to be addressed and resolved. It was agreed the current leave pattern will continue.

Christmas leave was also discussed and it was agreed that Paul will go home as usual this weekend and return to Moore House on Sunday. Paul will then leave Moor House on Christmas Eve and stay at home for at least four days. Paul's further contact at home will then be monitored on a daily basis and will be negotiated.

[REDACTED] advised that he has seen a positive difference in the way Paul behaves and that Paul has clearly developed a lot of very useful skills and is able to listen more effectively. However [REDACTED] sees that the core difficulties within the home still exist, particularly between Paul and [REDACTED]. It is agreed that these difficulties will continue to be addressed by both [REDACTED] and Moore House and it is acknowledged that Paul can reflect really well on situations. It was also acknowledged that Paul may use people that he is most comfortable with to let off steam knowing that he has the safety net of the school.

[REDACTED] advised that the home situation feels like a normal family and [REDACTED] advised that she was very happy with what she had heard.

Health

Paul currently has a very bad cough and this will continue to be monitored by the school and home.

Although overall Paul's asthma is improving he doesn't always bring his inhalers home and then borrows his mums. Paul agreed to remember to take his own inhalers home with him. Paul will be seen at the asthma clinic in January.

3. Record of discussion of the Review (continued):

██████ will arrange for Paul to receive his BCG at the local health centre and Paul also has an appointment with the Orthodontist on 21.02.03.

Assessment and Action Records

These have now been started and it is anticipated they will be finished soon.

Social Services Department contact

██████ will maintain monthly contact with Paul and regular contact with ██████

██████ will continue to see Paul on alternate weekends and the contact between ██████ is regular.

Plan

Paul will continue to stay at Moore House and, with the exception of the Christmas period, he will have regular weekend leave. Support will continue to be provided by ██████ in Dumfries and all identified issues will be addressed. Paul's health needs will continue to be monitored and appointments attended.

4. Review chairperson's checklist

Have all the following areas been addressed? If the answer is no to any item, either discuss before moving on to making recommendations/decisions or confirm that it is not necessary/applicable at the Review.

	Yes	No	N/A
1. Recommendations/decisions of last Review and actions taken.	✓		
2. Legal developments and any need for further legal change.			✓
3. Need for/actions to be taken as a result of completion of an Assessment and Action record.	✓		
4. Changes/progress in placement.	✓		
5. Use of sanctions.	✓		
6. Child/young person's safety.	✓		
7. Stability of placement.	✓		
8. Health/disability.	✓		
9. Learning/education/employment.	✓		
10. Identity.	✓		
11. Contact/family and social relationships.	✓		
12. Social presentation.	✓		
13. Emotional and behavioural development.	✓		
14. Self-care skills.	✓		
15. Relationship of child/young person and family with social worker.	✓		
16. Whether the period of looking after should end and, if so, the actions needed to achieve this.			✓
17. If applicable, leaving care and after care arrangements.			✓
18. If applicable, pursuit of a claim for criminal injuries compensation.			✓

5. Recommendations/decisions made at the review

Recommendations/Decisions and Actions to be taken	By Whom:-	By When:-
Paul to remain at Moore House.	Moore House	Ongoing
Home leave to take place.	All concerned	Friday to Sunday
Leave over holiday period to be negotiated.	All concerned	Christmas period
Support from CRISP to be available.	[REDACTED]	Alternate weekends
Assessment and Action Records to be completed.	[REDACTED] Paul	As soon as possible
Health needs to be monitored.	[REDACTED], Paul	Ongoing
Contact with Paul to be maintained.	[REDACTED] Paul	Monthly
Contact with [REDACTED] to be maintained.	[REDACTED]	Regular
Contact with Moore House to be maintained	[REDACTED]	Regular
Looked After Young Person Review to take place.	Meeting participants	01.04.03

Did anyone present at the Review not agree with any decision(s) or recommendation(s)?

Yes

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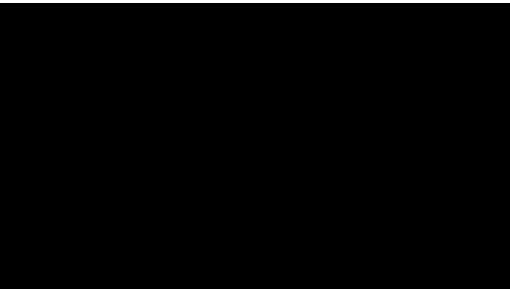
No

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If yes, please outline who, which decisions/recommendations disagreed with and any action to be taken to resolve the disagreement(s):-

6. Attendance at the Review

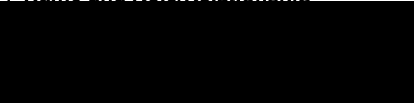
Please list all those who attended the Review and whether they should receive all/part of the record.
(cc Assessment & Planning Officer)

Name and Role/Relationship	parts of the record to be provided, e.g., all reports, some reports (specify), minute, decision/recommendation only
Paul Hepburn, Young Person, 	Minute, Minute, Minute, Minute, Minute, Minute, Minute, Minute.

List anyone invited who was unable/did not attend and whether they should receive all/part of the record.

Name and Role/Relationship	parts of the record to be provided, e.g., all reports, some reports (specify), minute, decision/recommendation only
	Minute, Minute.

List anyone else who should receive all/part of the record.

Name and Role/Relationship	parts of the record to be provided, e.g., all reports, some reports (specify), minute, decision/recommendation only
	Minute, Minute.

7. Date and time of next Review Day Month Year

at 11.30 _____ am

Venue of next Review Moore House

Part 6 above is an accurate and complete record of the Review meeting.

Signed 	Name 	Date <u>18.12.02</u>
<i>Chairperson of the Review Meeting</i>	<i>Block Capitals please</i>	

EM/AB/CH:- 20.12.02