

Report to: Corporate Parenting Panel
Date: 29 July 2022
By: Director of Children's Services
Title of report: Independent Reviewing Service Annual Report 2021/2022
Purpose of report: To update the Corporate Parenting Panel on the contribution of the Independent Reviewing Officers to Quality Assuring and Improving Services for Looked After Children.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Corporate Parenting Panel is recommended to note the contents of the report

1 Background

1.1 The Annual IRO report provides quantitative and qualitative evidence relating to the IRO Services in East Sussex as required by statutory guidance.

2 Supporting information

2.1 The Independent Reviewing Officer (IRO) Annual Report April 2021 – March 2022 is attached as Appendix 1.

3 Recommendation

3.1 The Corporate Parenting Panel is recommended to note the contents of the report.

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All

Background documentation:

None