

# Adults, Children & Education(ACE) Scrutiny Commission



**Report of:** Strengthening Families Programme

**Title:** Strengthening Families Programme Update

**Ward:** All

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## **Recommendation**

To note the report

## **Summary**

This report provides an overview of progress against plan for the Strengthening Families Programme. The programme is currently 6 months into the formal delivery phase having previously been approved by Cabinet. Delivery period is September April 2018 to September 2019, with a benefit realisation period of 5 years (2018 to 2023).

## **The significant issues in the report are:**

- The programme is largely on track according to time, scope and benefit delivery.
- Bristol is comparing well to core cities against number of children entering care and overall spend.
- There are some risks to future delivery to note.



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