

Children and Young People's Plan 2019 - 2022

Consultation with Scrutiny Advisory
Board, Children and Young People
7 December 2018

The Children & Young People's Plan

- Set out the strategic priorities for children and young people in Cumbria
- Support children and young people to make the best possible life choices, promoting work in communities that is based on encouraging greater collaboration between organisations and partnerships.
- Want CYP to be the very best that they can in all aspects of their lives – Healthy, Safe & Achieving

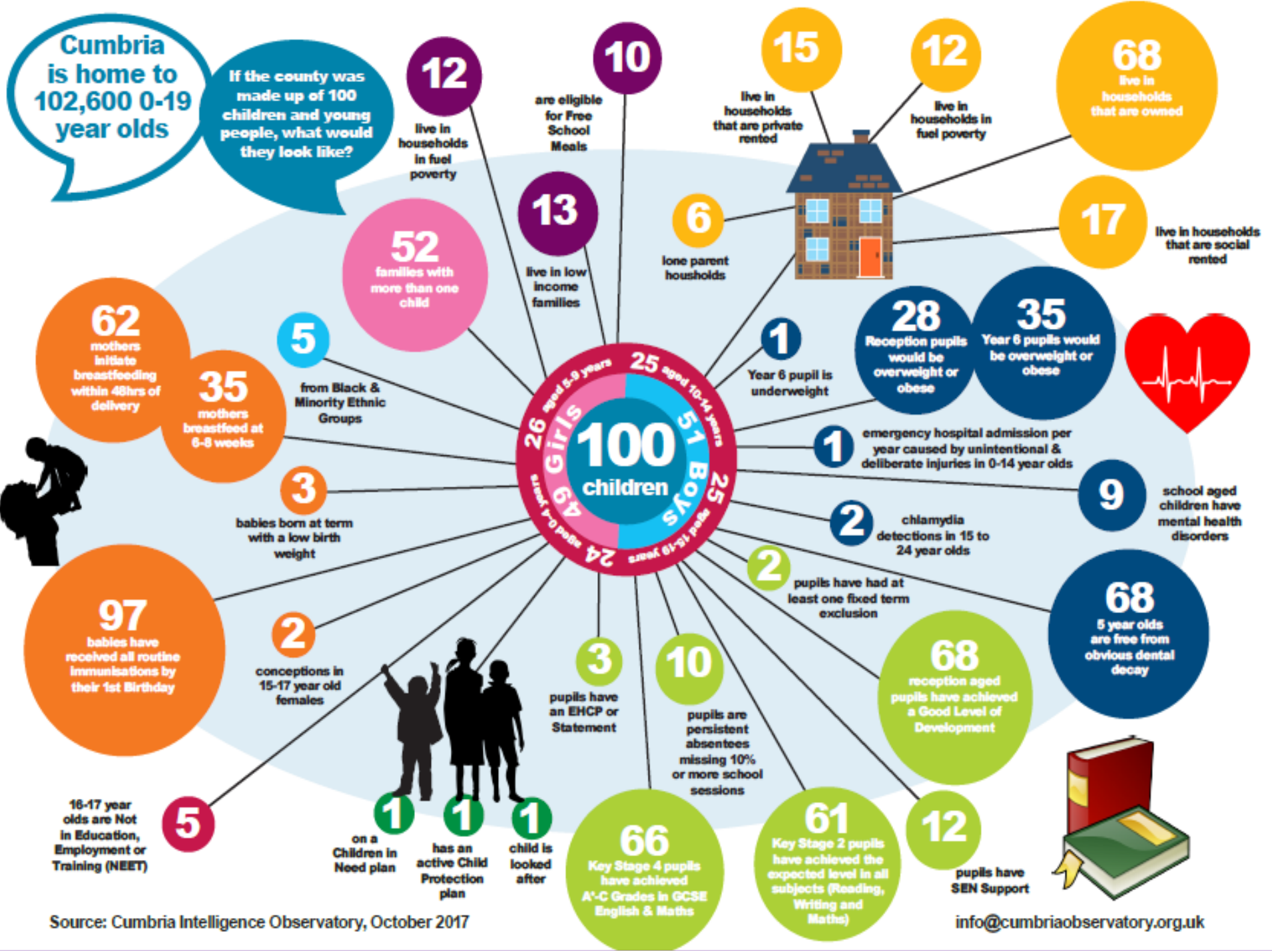
2016-19 CYP Plan

- Priority 1: Children and young people are healthy
Outcomes: Emotional wellbeing; Obesity; Breastfeeding
- Priority 2: Child and young people are safe
Outcomes: Safeguarding and feeling safe; Neglect;
Community safety; Criminal justice
- Priority 3: Children and young people are achieving
Outcomes: Child poverty; Educational attainment; Access
to post-16 employment, education and training



Stakeholder Engagement

- We are asking partners, children and young people and their families to help shape the plan
 - 3 district workshops with practitioners
 - Feedback from CYP
 - Engagement with families
 - Engagement with other Boards



Source: Cumbria Intelligence Observatory, October 2017

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Headlines from Engagement

- Significant increase in demand for services, including more children on child protection plans and in care, and more young people referred to mental health services.
- Emotional Health & Wellbeing - #1 priority
- Childhood obesity
- Substance misuse
- Social deprivation and child poverty

What have children & young people told us so far



2018 Make Your Mark ballot 15,846 Cumbrian young people voted

Top 3 Issues for Young People in Cumbria 2018

- **Mental Health** - Mental health services should be improved with young people's help; and should be available in schools
- **Equal Pay for Equal Work** – Give young people the same amount of pay if they are doing the same work as adults in the same job
- **Put an End to Knife Crime** - Too many young people's lives are lost to knife crime; the Government need to do more to help end the knife crime epidemic

Over to you...



Timeline and Next Steps

- Ongoing engagement until December 2018
- Draft plan to be developed in December.
- Further scrutiny prior to finalised plan – re-engagement with stakeholders
- Plan Published 1st April 2019

