

## APPENDIX A

### Corporate Parenting Advisory Committee Terms of Reference

- i. To be responsible for the Council's role as Corporate parent for those children and young people who are in care;
- ii. To ensure the views of children in care are heard;
- iii. To seek to ensure that the life chances of children in care are maximized in terms of health, educational attainment and access to training and employment to aid the transition to a secure and fulfilling adulthood.
- iv. To ensure that the voice and needs of disabled children are identified and provided for;
- v. To provide an advocacy function within the Children's Trust and the Council on behalf of children in care;
- vi. To monitor the quality of care provided by the Council to Children in Care;
- vii. To ensure that children leaving care have sustainable arrangements for their future wellbeing.