

Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee
26 October 2023

Youth Justice Service

Report of the Statutory Scrutiny Officer

1 Purpose

- 1.1 To assess the findings of the full three week joint inspection carried out by HM Inspectorate of Probation in November 2019, and the subsequent review of the service by a Peer Review Team comprised of Youth Justice Service Managers from across the country in November 2022.

2 Action required

- 2.1 The Committee is asked to note the progress made since the full joint inspection and peer review and the next steps for improvement. The Committee is asked if it wishes to make any comments or recommendations regarding the information presented at the meeting.

3 Background information

- 3.1 Nottingham Youth Justice Service (YJS) received a full three-week joint inspection in November 2019 at which it was graded Requires Improvement.
- 3.2 In November 2022, the Service invited a Peer Review team, made up of YJS Managers from across the country, to come and review the service.
- 3.3 The report details the outcome of the above inspection and peer review and the progress made since then.

4 List of attached information

- 4.1 None

5 Background papers, other than published works or those disclosing exempt or confidential information

- 5.1 YJS Inspection Activity Report

6 Published documents referred to in compiling this report

- 6.1 NA

7 Wards affected

7.1 All

8 Contact information

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