

Y BWRDD GWEITHREDOL

DYDDIAD: 1 MEHEFIN 2020

ADRODDIAD CYFARWYDDWR STATUDOL Y GWASANAETHAU CYMDEITHASOL

Y Pwrpas:

O dan y Côd Ymarfer a gyhoeddwyd o dan y Ddeddf Gwasanaethau Cymdeithasol a Llesiant, mae gan Gyfarwyddwr Statudol y Gwasanaethau Cymdeithasol ddyletswydd i gynggori cynghorwyr yngylch - ymysg pethau eraill - yr heriau, y risgiau a'r amgylchiadau lle mae materion staffio'n effeithio ar ein gallu i gyflawni ein cyfrifoldebau statudol, ac i briffio'r Prif Weithredwr a'r cynghorwyr yngylch materion sy'n debygol o achosi pryder ymhli y cyhoedd a strategaethau i ymdrin â'r sefyllfaedd hynny.

Mae'r adroddiad hwn yn adlewyrchu sefyllfa'r Gwasanaethau Cymdeithasol yn Sir Gaerfyrddin yn ystod yr argyfwng cenedlaethol a achosir gan Covid-19. Adroddiad cryno yn unig yw hwn ac nid yw'n cynnwys pob maes gweithgarwch. Bydd y rhain yn cael eu cynnwys yn adroddiad blynnyddol Cyfarwyddwr y Gwasanaethau Cymdeithasol yn ddiweddarach yn y flwyddyn neu gan unrhyw nodiadau cyngor pellach yr ystyriod bod angen eu hadrodd.

Yr argymhellion / penderfyniadau allweddol sydd eu hangen:

Mae'r adroddiad cryno hwn yn nodi camau gweithredu a'r sefyllfa o ran y canlynol:

- Gofal Cartref
- Gofal Preswyl
- Gwasanaethau Allweddol Eraill

Gofynnir i'r Bwrdd Gweithredol nodi'r sefyllfa a chadarnhau'r camau gweithredu hyn.

Y Rhesymau:

Rhoi gwybod i'r aelodau a'r cyhoedd am y sefyllfa mewn perthynas â gwasanaethau allweddol.

Angen ymgynghori â'r Pwyllgor Craffu perthnasol : NAC OES

Angen i'r Bwrdd Gweithredol wneud penderfyniad OES

Angen i'r Cyngor wneud penderfyniad NAC OES

YR AELOD O'R BWRDD GWEITHREDOL SY'N GYFRIFOL AM Y PORTFFOLIO:-

Y Cynghorydd J. Tremlett (Deiliad y Portffolio Gofal Cymdeithasol ac Iechyd)

Y Gyfarwyddiaeth

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**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY
EXECUTIVE BOARD
1ST JUNE, 2020**

**SUBJECT:
REPORT OF THE STATUTORY DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL
SERVICES**

Under the Code of Practice issued under the Social Services and Wellbeing Act the Statutory Director of Social Services has a duty to advise councillors on – amongst other things – the challenges, risks and circumstances where staff issues affect our ability to discharge our statutory responsibilities, and to brief the Chief Executive and councillors on matters likely to cause public concern, and strategies to deal with those situations.

This is a summary report only and does not include all areas of activity. These will be covered in the Director of Social Services' annual report later in the year or by any further notes of advice deemed necessary to report.

In March we were at the start of a National Emergency with pressures growing as the incidents of Coronavirus infection grew in the county. Many services had ceased altogether with provision being modified to prioritise care to our most vulnerable clients based on individual risk assessments. The position has since developed with new systems now in place to manage risk alongside serious concerns across Wales in relation to the residential sector. Immediate service failure is still a risk in some areas and in others the service delivery model is under increasing strain. This notice reflects that overall position.

Overall the response by the council has been effective in maintaining social care services in extraordinarily difficult circumstances. Significant support financially and direct intervention and support by the Leader of the council, Lead member and the Chief Executive has contributed to the maintenance of most core provision to a good standard despite facing unprecedented challenges. The impact of the virus on residents in care homes is a serious and ongoing concern in Carmarthenshire as it is across much of Wales.

Throughout this emergency our thoughts are with those residents, care staff and families who have been impacted on so tragically by this virus.

DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED ?	YES
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IMPLICATIONS

I confirm that other than those implications which have been agreed with the appropriate Directors / Heads of Service and are referred to in detail below, there are no other implications associated with this report :

Signed: **Jake Morgan** Director of Community Services

Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities	Legal	Finance	ICT	Risk Management Issues	Staffing Implications	Physical Assets
NONE Directly relating to this update report						

CONSULTATIONS

I confirm that the appropriate consultations have taken in place and the outcomes are as detailed below

Signed: **Jake Morgan** Director of Community Services

- 1. Scrutiny Committee – N/A**
- 2. Local Member(s) - N/A**
- 3. Community / Town Council – N/A**
- 4. Relevant Partners - N/A**
- 5. Staff Side Representatives and other Organisations - N/A**

EXECUTIVE BOARD PORTFOLIO HOLDER(S) AWARE/CONSULTED:

YES

Cllr. J. Tremlett has been fully consulted with the content of the report.

Section 100D Local Government Act, 1972 – Access to Information

List of Background Papers used in the preparation of this report:

THERE ARE NONE

Title of Document	File Ref No.	Locations that the papers are available for public inspection

