

**Bracknell Forest Council
Record of Decision**

Work Programme Reference	I120787
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1. **TITLE:** Quarterly update on SEND Improvement

2. **SERVICE AREA:** People

3. **PURPOSE OF DECISION**

To provide the Executive with an update on the Written Statement of Action, SEND strategy and Safety Value programme.

4. **IS KEY DECISION** Yes

5. **DECISION MADE BY:** Executive

6. **DECISION:**

That the Executive:

- i. notes the progress made on implementing the SEND WSOA to improve services to children and families and the feedback from the Department for Education (DfE) and NHS England following the fifth review meeting with the DfE and NHS England.
- ii. notes the progress made on delivering the Safety Valve intervention programme up until submission of the first monitoring report to the DfE in May 2024.
- iii. notes the progress made on special educational needs services.

7. **REASON FOR DECISION**

When the WSOA was produced it was agreed that the Executive would have updates on progress made on implementation of the plan, following the DfE and NHS England reviews. The WSOA updates have since been expanded to provide the Executive with information on the Safety Valve programme and broader SEND improvement work.

8. **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED**

None

9. **DOCUMENT CONSIDERED:** Report of the Executive Director: People

10. **DECLARED CONFLICTS OF INTEREST:** None

Date Decision Made	Final Day of Call-in Period
17 September 2024	25 September 2024