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Complex Needs Meeting – Notes

Tuesday 20 September 2022 2-3.30pm on Teams

* Everyone introduced themselves and their role in the group
* A request was made to not have meetings in August or December where possible and to alternate with the carers group.
* All agreed this meeting should be every two months - AL will send out calendar dates for 2023
* There needs to be further discussion about the chair for the group
* AB offered to attend the Partnership meeting on behalf of this group
* It was felt important this group has good communication with the Partnership and a presence at the meeting to make sure all views are represented
* This group needs to develop a forward plan/focus, such as inviting guest speakers and choosing topics.
* Someone needed to coordinate the admin due to the time pressures from those attending the meeting
* PH raised what direct payments can be used for AMC and AL to look into this and feedback to him
* It was agreed to keep the meetings online for now and to arrange a hybrid facility for those who wish to meet in a room. However it was recognised attendees are across the county and some prefer the online facility
* There can be face to face meetings when needed
* It was raised whether service users would be part of the group. As a result of the review this is not currently the case and could be revisited once the group has established
* It was felt an information sharing session might be a helpful agenda item. Today AM shared some information about an online conference which AL will forward in a link after the meeting
* A request was made for health colleagues to attend
* AL to research dates and Expressions of Interest to be chair to be sent to AL

Meeting ended 3.30pm