Sue Scamell, Commissioning Manager Mental Health, KCC Update for Mental Health Action Groups: July 2016

Nothing new to report at the moment whilst the new Live Well Kent service beds down. Porchlight and Shaw Trust will provide their own updates going forward. Sue attended the recent County MHAG meeting and has responded to all questions raised on the Live Well Kent service. The new Primary Care Social work team will be attending local MHAGs and will also be able to give updates on the service. Sue is happy to take any further questions by email sue.scamell@kent.gov.uk

Mental Health Primary Care Social Work Service Update from the Yasmin Ishaq, County Manager

The Primary Care Mental Health Service has now been operational since the 4/4/16. The team is made up of 9 social workers and they are working collaboratively with the strategic partners and Kent Enablement and Recovery Service (KERS) to deliver holistic and creative support in the community. Initial feedback has been positive and we welcome all feedback to help us continue to deliver an effective and positive service for mental health wellbeing in primary care.