

# Youth Review

Royal Borough of Kensington & Chelsea

## Programme Brief



# What are we doing?



- The Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea (RBKC) commissions or funds a range of services for children, young people and their families which provide activities, information, advice and guidance.
- We are looking at our youth services in the borough, to make sure they meet the needs and priorities of young people. We want these services to support young people's personal, social and educational development.

# Key aims



## We want to:

- Understand what is currently provided for young people, and the strengths of current services
- Understand the impact on the lives of young people
- Engage with young people, parents, carers & key stakeholders to understand what they think about current services, and what their priorities are
- Work collaboratively with the market to explore what youth provision could look like based upon engagement
- Work with stakeholders to explore what youth provision could look like based upon engagement
- Shape future provision of youth services in RBKC

# Key principles

- Led and designed by young people
- Accessible
- Promote choice
- Offer a quality service
- Promote services for young people living in the Borough
- Offered from universal to targeted to complex need
- Age appropriate
- Young people are at the heart of everything we do
- Services are focussed on sustainable outcomes
- Asset based approach
- Build on strengths of current services
- Design services responsive and flexible to changing need



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## Project approach

### Engagement: outreach work stream

- 2 outreach workers will engage with young people and key stakeholders including parents and community groups.
- The purpose will be to understand their view of current services and obtain feedback on what they would like in the future.

### Engagement: Youth panel work stream

- A representative group of young people will be recruited to work with officers and support the co-design and co-production of the future youth services and potential delivery models

### Engagement: Transformation work stream

- Engage with internal stakeholders and providers to contribute to the shaping of future provision.
- To undertake needs analysis, benchmarking and research to inform strategy.

### Engagement: Current providers & the market

- Engage with existing providers of services for young people across the borough to gain an understanding of what's working and where the gaps are from their perspective.
- Engage with providers to support the shaping of the future delivery of youth services.
- Engage with other providers in the market to help shape future provision.

### Design options & agree the strategy

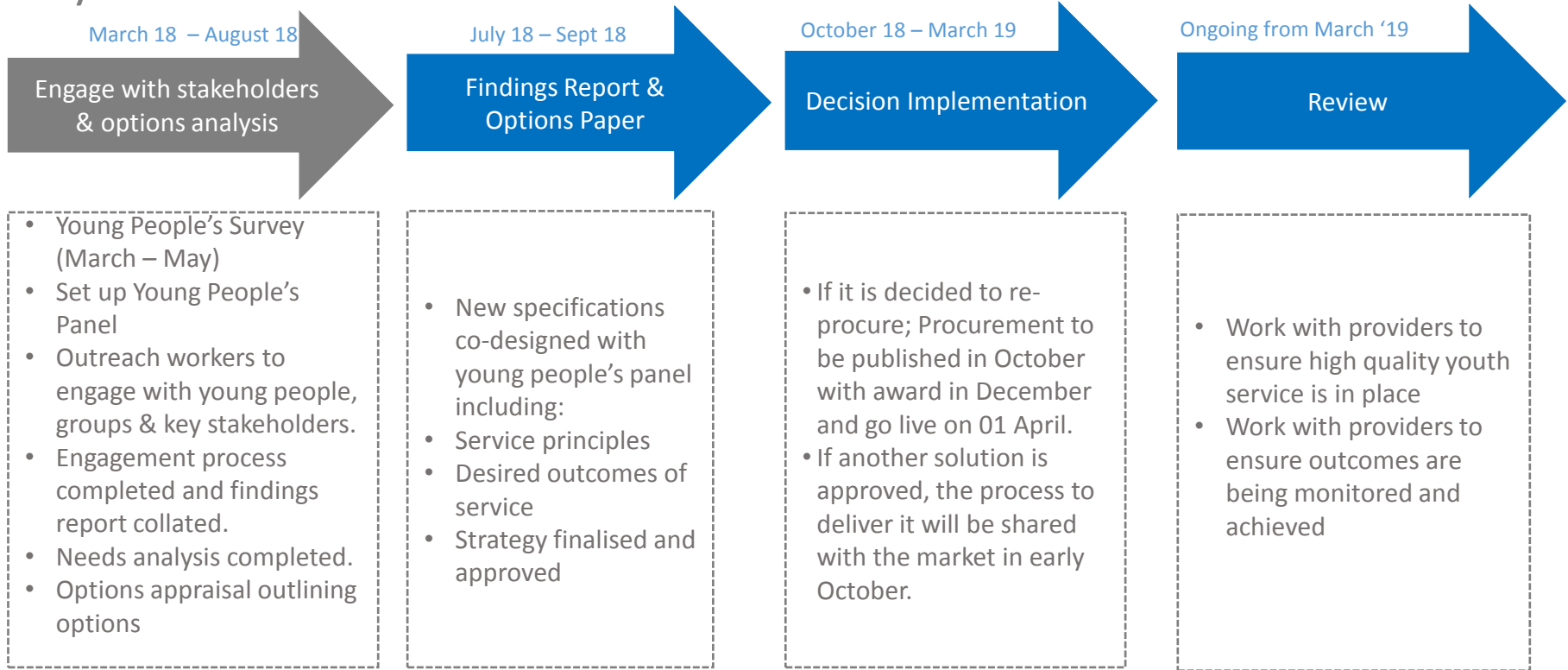
- Recommendations paper is completed and stakeholders are updated.
- Recommendations paper will be informed by consultation findings report and options appraisal
- Taking all the products of the engagement work to inform a strategy that will be presented to Cllrs and community groups.
- The strategy to be shared with the stakeholders, provider and the market via a market day.

### Decision Implementation

- Implement selected delivery option:
- If procurement: 6 months with a 3 month mobilisation
- If youth provision is delivered through a Foundation: 6 – 12 months
- If a mixed model, procurement plus sourcing of Foundation.

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## Key Milestones



Assess



Design



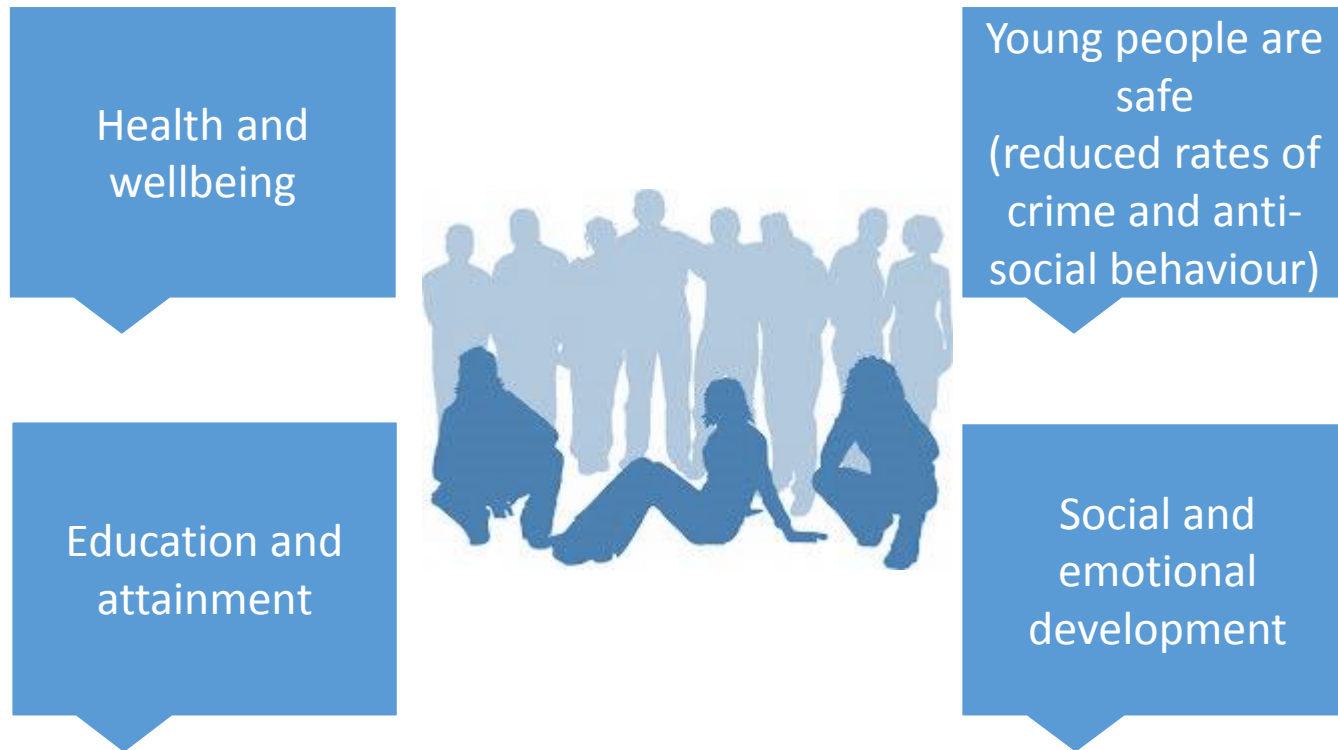
Deliver



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# Outcomes

- Some of the key outcome areas which we hope to achieve for young people through these services include:



# We need your thoughts on...



- What works well?
- What doesn't work or has little impact?
- What models are best practice?
- What do you think could be improved or built upon?
- How would you like to be engaged in this process?
- What are some of the key impacts your services have on young people and their outcomes?
- What do you think are the strengths of the Youth offer in the community in Kensington?
- What could be better for the Youth offer in Kensington?



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