A warm Hello from the project team! 🤏

Mission Control: Latest Update! 🤶 🚀

2025 is off to a flying start and we are over the moon to share the latest developments in our mission to transform the front door of children's services. Each month, we are making strides towards our goals to enhance service delivery for children and families in Nottinghamshire and we're excited to keep you informed about our progress.

So, without further ado, let's dive into our February update and explore the milestones we've achieved so far!

Progress Peek: The Monthly Roundup

- Our partnership team, 'Diamond', has been excelling in their collaborative efforts to drive innovative change. By working closely with colleagues from the Police, Health, and Education sectors, they're truly embodying the spirit of multi-agency collaboration through dynamic and effective partnership working.
- We have finished testing an alternatively qualified practitioner role triaging referrals that do
 not require an urgent response, with the support and supervision from a social work-qualified
 Advanced Practitioner. The results and feedback are currently being analysed and a massive
 thank you to all our colleagues who were instrumental in the testing phase.
- We are excited to announce that we have initiated a testing phase for a significant process change within the Domestic Abuse Support Unit. This endeavour involves close collaboration with our dedicated police colleagues, ensuring that we leverage their expertise and insights to refine and enhance our procedures.
- We are enhancing our training package to further support MASH colleagues. This initiative will start with Defensible Decision-Making Workshops and Strengths-Based Approach sessions, ensuring our team continues to build on their existing skills and knowledge.
- We are currently evaluating our communication channels and devising new strategies to ensure our audience stays fully informed about the project. Our first in-house 'Mini Briefing,' presented by our very own Developmental Service Manager, Samantha Harris, on 27th January, was met with great enthusiasm and positive feedback from colleagues.

Engaging Presentations

Mark your calendars for **11th March** as it's your last opportunity to attend two enlightening presentations: one on Family Hubs and another on the cultural shift from focusing on thresholds to addressing needs. These thought-provoking topics, along with many others, are featured in the excellent NSCP Safeguarding Children Today Level 3. Not to be missed!

> All Ears, Always! 🞧

If you have any questions, comments, or ideas regarding the front door project, please don't hesitate to reach out to us via our group mailbox: childrens.frontdoorproject@nottscc.gov.uk we're always here to listen!

> Spread the Word! •

Do you know someone who would love to stay updated with our progress? Share the news and let us know – we'd be thrilled to add them to our mailing list! Remember, you can always catch up on our previous Weeknotes and updates on our website: Needs-led Front Door Project (nottinghamshire.gov.uk)

Over and out! Have a brilliant weekend! 🔆

The NSCP Project Team