

Annex A – Covering Template for Responses

Please complete the attached cover sheet when sending evidence, indicating the set of questions to which a response is being provided and contact details of the person for any follow-up queries.

Contact details for respondent	
Name	
Job title	Children's Fund Programme Manager
Do you represent an organisation? (if so, name of organisation and type: e.g. voluntary, public body, private company).	Yes on this occasion, London Children's Fund Programme Managers
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	Which area of the review are you responding to? (please mark X)
Prevention strand	X
Review of disabled children	X
Strategy for youth services	
Review of high cost, high harm families	

21 September 2006

Dear Tom Jeffery and Ray Shostak,

At the 20/9/06 meeting of London Region Children's Fund Programme Managers the Spending Review Call for Evidence letter was tabled. Only three of the eleven Programme Managers had seen this letter.

As agreed at this meeting I am writing on their behalf to bring to the attention of the review the wealth of evidence available from the National Evaluation of the Children's Fund that will satisfy the questions and evidence required to in Annexes B1 and B2. See below for the website links relating to annexes.

Furthermore, Children's Fund Programme Managers felt that the gains achieved through the Children's Fund programme could be lost if councils were not directed and inspected on their progress and plans for the mainstreaming and ongoing development of preventative services.

National Evaluation of the Children's Fund published by the DfES has full and summary papers

Relating to Annexe B1

Working to Prevent the Social Exclusion of Children and Young People; Final Lessons from The National Evaluation of the Children's Fund - an overview of lessons from the Children's Fund

http://www.ne-cf.org/core_files/Full%20Report%20RR734.pdf

Developing Preventative Practices; The Experiences of Children, Young People and Their Families in the Children's Fund

http://www.ne-cf.org/core_files/Prevention%20Report%20Full%20RR735.pdf

Relating to Annexe B2

Report on Preventative Services for Disabled Children.

http://www.ne-cf.org/core_files/RR779.pdf

Summary: http://www.ne-cf.org/core_files/RB779.pdf

'What you said' is a **poster which highlights the views of children and young people** on their experiences and views on Children's Fund supported services

http://www.ne-cf.org/core_files/Whatyousaid.pdf

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