## Graduated Pathway Flowchart – Early Help and Support for Children, Young People and Families What to do and How

Graduated Early Help and Support involves: identification; assessment; planning; providing services; and reviewing the plan.

At any time in early help work, if it is considered that a child is at immediate risk of significant harm, the practitioner must contact the Children & Families Help Desk. Throughout any work with children, young people and their families, where practitioners have concerns or differences in opinion about the decisions or practice of others that they cannot resolve on their own, they can refer to the Gloucestershire Safeguarding Children Board Escalation Policy.



this with the child & family and others involved

The decision could be one of the following:

- needs are now being met and additional provision is no longer needed;
- the same or amended provision continues until next review;
- a My Assessment is needed to further understand need and impact

## End of action to meet the need

- If, following the review of progress, the outcome is that the action or intervention is no longer needed; this must be clearly recorded in the agency's files for the child
- The child & family must be informed
- Locality Families First Plus Team is informed and sent final closure summary

Review is led by lead practitioner

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- TAC/TAF feedback on their actions and discuss if plan is achieving outcomes
- The Decision is made to continue as is/to amend plan/to end as needs are fully met or to end the plan and a single agency will meet the need or or that only universal services are required
- If the plan continues, further reviews take place
- If the plan is not progressing: review and update the assessment, develop a new plan, access additional Early Help resources, consider who else may need to be involved this may include the Community Social Worker/SEN Casework

## End of My Plan+

- When the child & family, TAC/TAF agree that needs have been met the My Plan+ will end, the child, family and TAC/TAF will be consulted and informed
- The end of involvement by an agency will be communicated to the child/family and TAC/TAF
- Locality Families First Plus Team is informed and sent final closure summary
- The child & family have clear information about where they can access support

the practitioner completes a Multi Agency Request Form.

