## **Director for Family Services**

## **Job Outline**

## Main Purpose of Job

To provide Family Support and Social Care Services to children and families in the borough, including statutory services for child protection, children with disabilities, looked after children and care leavers. To manage or commission staffing and other resources to ensure children are safeguarded and their outcomes promoted.

## Key Accountabilities

- Operational management of statutory services for children with additional needs, those in need (including in need of protection) and their families.
- Discharging Corporate Parenting responsibilities for those children 'Looked After' by the Council and those entitled to a care leaving service.
- Commissioning or procuring services for children and families in line with statutory responsibilities.
- Staffing and budgets.

Staff Directly Managed: 5

Budgetary Responsibility 2013/14: £0