


5.2 Kinship and Foster Care

Project Aim	Start Date	Testing End Date	Progress Scale						
Increase in the number of inhouse foster and kinship placements by 2021. Project Manager: Isabel McDonnell (ACC) Project Charter Approved July 2019	Jul 2019	Dec 2022	6 – Testing Changes						
Changes Being Tested (Specify location/ test group)	Are our changes resulting in improvement?								
Kinship Care Assessment tool: Cycle 2 – currently being undertaken across all 3 locality groups	The project was unable to provide an update on progress at the December CPA Board as it was still collating data on the first cycle. Cycle one of testing on the Kinship Care Assessment Tool saw 3 families at the Need Dee family Group being supported to provide kinship care. The second cycle has since moved to support groups in each of the locality areas								
Improvement Data									
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