

## **NICE summary of recommendations for forensic settings:**

### **Organisation and planning of services.**

Multi disciplinary teams should put in place systems of communication and protocols for information sharing among paediatric, child and adolescent, forensic, and adult mental health service for people with ADHD, including arrangements for transition between child and adult services.

Every locality should develop a multi-agency group, with representatives from multi-disciplinary specialist ADHD teams, paediatrics, mental health and learning disability trusts, forensic services, Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS), the Children and Young People's Directorate (CYPD) (including services for education and social services), parent support groups and others with a significant local involvement in ADHD services.

### **Training**

Trusts should ensure that specialist ADHD teams for children, young people and adults jointly develop age-appropriate training programmes for the diagnosis and management of ADHD for mental health, paediatric, social care, education, forensic and primary care providers and other professionals who have contact with people with ADHD.

Child and adult psychiatrists, paediatricians, and other child and adult mental health professionals (including those working in forensic services) should undertake training so that they are able to diagnose ADHD and provide treatment and management in accordance with this guideline.