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From: Pete Blair [Redacted]@bristol.ac.uk>
Sent: 14 May 2018 08:50
To: [Redacted]
Subject: Re: Baby Box
Attachments: ISPID statement on the Baby Box (final version).docx

Hi [Redacted]

Attached is the ISPID statement agreed by the board. It should go on the ISPID website today or tomorrow.

Regards
Pete

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Cc: [Redacted]
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Hi [Redacted]

I spoke for 5-10 minutes explaining that there was a lack of any evidence surrounding the Finnish box, that this should not be confused with the NZ Intervention which is specifically used in the parental bed and that we already have safe alternative solutions to hazardous bed-sharing in terms of the cot or bassinet. I can't remember if these initial concerns were expressed at the meeting or pre-meeting, but even if the latter I repeated my concerns (albeit more briefly) a few times during the larger meeting. I also made similar comments at an earlier meeting last year and flagged then that my concerns did not seem to be minuted.

I understand that it is not always easy to take minutes at such large meetings with so much to discuss but given that this final workshop was on implementation and safety I thought it important to flag up my concerns.

As you mention, I was asked (along with [Redacted]) to look how we would re-write the advice surrounding infant sleep. This we did when the meeting closed and gave back our changes to your team. Essentially we changed the wording to advise that the Baby Box would only be appropriate if safe alternatives such as a cot/ Moses basket/ bassinet were not available. I was assuming that at least these suggested changes would make the notes (whether they were agreed with or not). Given they weren't and not knowing the process of 'consideration' for our suggestions it would have been remiss of me not to have given you some reminder of our main concerns.

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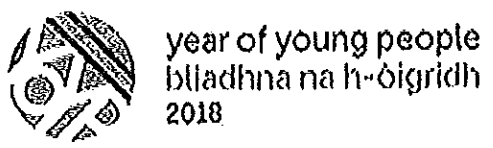
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Dear Pete,

I said that I would get back to you with regards the accuracy of the minutes from workshop 3. I have spoken to [Redacted] the Evaluability Assessment facilitator, reviewed my notes and we don't have a record of you expressing your concerns about the Baby Box being used as a place for infants to sleep in during the workshop session. We did cover safety issues in general when we were discussing the various options around evaluation design and this is recorded in the minute. We did meet with you separately prior to the workshop along with [Redacted] to discuss the safety messaging and the safe sleep leaflet [Redacted] was in touch with you both directly after with a pdf copy of your suggested changes, noting that they would be considered.

I am aware that you are meeting [Redacted] and [Redacted] on Thursday hence I am copying them into this email.

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From: [Redacted]
Sent: 27 April 2018 08:34
To: 'Pete Blair'; [Redacted]

[Redacted]

Cc: [Redacted]
Subject: RE: Baby Box Evaluability Assessment - Update

Thanks Pete,

I will review the notes again, make changes. We did spend time discussing your concerns around the safety messaging in a separate meeting and I know colleagues are looking at this just now. Thanks again to [Redacted] and yourself for your advice on this.

Please do share the statement with us [Redacted] is the new Baby Box policy lead and would be happy to discuss this with you further.

Best [Redacted]

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Hi [Redacted]

My direct line at work is [Redacted]

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Hi Pete

Many thanks for your email, 3 pm on Thursday works fine for us.

Please let me know which number to call you on.

Many thanks

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Sent: 30 April 2018 19:45
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Sent: 30 April 2018 11:30:33

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