**FLOWCHART - Joint CSC and Housing 16-17 Homeless Protocol.**

YP to be encouraged to speak to Advocate.

Joint Assessment with Housing and CAT.

Joint Visit.

SW to discuss options with young person (Staying with family/friends, Section 20, Section 17).

Complete SA.

MAST to allocate case to CAT.

Referral to MAST for screening.

YES

NO

Complete initial screening and prevention work. Is the YP homeless/at risk of homelesness

Child In Need support (including S17 financial assistance).

Complete Gateway application requesting approval for S20

NO

YES

Housing to support

Section 17

Refer to EH

Complete screening process. Are there any safeguarding concerns?

MAST

Young person presents as homeless or is referred to MAST

or .

Section 20. To be agreed by a SM/AD.

Complete Fostering Profile and Placement Request Form.

Housing

Multi-agency package of care to be agreed via CIN or CLA procedures.