Updating Paperwork for LINKING FOR ADOPTION Panel

**Role of Child’s Social Worker**

1. Update CPR - new information should be added in **bold** to the original report and dated – information should not be removed unless it is factually inaccurate. (Don’t forget to add your name and the date the report was updated).
2. Add an up to date photo to the CPR - young children change very fast!
3. Check date of Permanence Medical report and book in for a 6 month review if child is under 2 and an annual review if the child is under 5. This should not be delayed as you need to allow enough time for an updating report to be written for Panel and for any issues arising from the medical to be considered.
4. Carer’s report – make sure that the report provided by the foster carer is still relevant as young babies change very fast! If not, ask for another.

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