

Childcare Act 2006

2006 CHAPTER 21

PART 2

GENERAL FUNCTIONS OF LOCAL AUTHORITY: WALES

Provision of childcare

Power to require local authority to assess childcare provision

- (1) The Assembly may by regulations require a Welsh local authority to—
 - (a) prepare assessments at prescribed intervals of the sufficiency of the provision of childcare (whether or not by them) in their area;
 - (b) review any such assessment prepared by them.
- (2) Regulations under subsection (1) may make provision for the manner in which an assessment or review is to be prepared and, in particular, may require the local authority to—
 - (a) consult such persons, or persons of such a description, as may be prescribed, and
 - (b) have regard to any guidance given from time to time by the Assembly.
- (3) Subsection (5) of section 22 applies for the purposes of this section as it applies for the purposes of that section.