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**The Regulated Fostering Services (Service Providers
and Responsible Individuals) (Wales) Regulations 2019**

PART 13

**Requirements on responsible individuals for
ensuring effective oversight of the service**

Oversight of adequacy of resources

57.—(1) The responsible individual must report to the service provider on the adequacy of the resources available to provide the service in accordance with the requirements of these Regulations.

(2) Such reports must be made on a quarterly basis.

(3) The requirement in paragraph (1) does not apply where the service provider is an individual.

Other reports to the service provider

58.—(1) The responsible individual must, without delay, report to the service provider—

(a) any concerns about the management or provision of the service,

(b) any significant changes to the way in which the service is managed or provided, and

(c) any concerns that the service is not being provided in accordance with the statement of purpose for the service.

(2) The requirement in paragraph (1) does not apply where the service provider is an individual.

Engagement with children and others

59.—(1) The responsible individual must put suitable arrangements in place for obtaining the views of—

(a) any child placed by the service provider,

(b) the parents of any such child, unless this is inappropriate or inconsistent with the child's well-being,

(c) foster parents,

(d) the placing authority, and

(e) staff employed at the service,

on the quality of care and support provided to children and how this can be improved.

(2) The responsible individual must report the views obtained to the service provider so that these views can be taken into account by the provider when making any decisions on plans for improving the quality of care and support provided by the service.