

1. Respondents were asked to rate the following key issues on a scale from 0 (not a concern) to 4 (major concern) in terms of how much of an impact the issues are having on the lives of children and young people in Jersey at the moment (% of respondents who rated the issues as either a 'concern' or 'major concern')

Availability of mental health and well-being support for children and young people	77%
Children and families living in poverty	75%
Adequacy of social work provision	73%
Bullying (including cyber bullying)	70%
Support for young people making the transition to adulthood	66%
Affordable and timely dental care	66%
Affordable and timely medical care	61%
Support and services for looked after children	59%
Support and services for disabled children (including respite care)	57%
Parenting support	56%
Availability of statutory advocacy services for children and young people	54%
Children and young people's participation/involvement in decisions about life in Jersey	49%
Safeguarding/child protection issues for children at home	49%
Play and leisure facilities for children in their local area	48%
The level of children and young people's knowledge about their rights	45%
Safety of local areas for children and young people	38%
Adequacy of PSHE (Personal Social and Health Education) lessons in school	35%
Safeguarding / child protection issues in schools	35%
Children and young people's participation/involvement in decisions at school	30%
Children and young people's participation/involvement in decisions at home	29%

2. The following are additional issues not listed in Q.1 which were identified as being a major concern to the wellbeing of children and young people in Jersey (open ended question)



3. Are there any particular groups of children and young people that you feel should be a specific priority for the Children's Commissioner's work? (respondents asked to choose as many options as needed)

Looked after children and care leavers	66%
Children and young people with disabilities	54%
Young carers	59%
Children from minority ethnic backgrounds	29%
LGBTQ young people	27%
Children and young people with mental health issues	7%
Children and young people from vulnerable families	6%
Children and young people from low income households	3%

4. Are you filling this in as a:

An adult with an interest in the work of the Children's Commissioner for Jersey

22%

Parent/Carer

48%

Professional working with or on behalf of children and young people

62%

5. If you were the Children's Commissioner, what would be the first thing you would do to make things better for children and young people in Jersey? The following are the key themes identified by respondents (open ended question)

