

1. Protecting Vulnerable People

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Outcomes	Deliverables	Progress Report (against projects)	Exceptions
Communities are safer due to reduction in demand	Provide joined-up support appropriate to those with mental health issues at first contact (5)	<p>5. Work with partners to (Cross ref. with Priority 7): Implement the Mental Health Crisis Care Concordat, Review Street Triage & Review Together York</p> <p>Mental Health Crisis Care Concordat – Next Police, Health & Social Care Strategy Board (Gold Group) to be held 4th November. Street Triage – University of York, ‘Learning Event - Evaluation of Scarborough & Ryedale ‘Street’ Triage’ held 23rd July. Specification & contract being finalised with co-commissioners; Scarborough & Ryedale Clinical Commissioning Group’s (CCG) Partnership Commissioning Unit (PCU) to implement a single mental health urgent care pathway, incorporating the principles of ‘Street’ Triage. NYP will contribute £66k during 2015/16. Reviews of other CCG locality’s mental health urgent care provision will take place via the PCU during August & September 2015. Together York – 20 active cases (19 involve direct client contact, 1 multiagency support only). 15 pending referrals at various stages (some are eligible & client consent being sought, for some eligibility is being checked in terms of demand on emergency services). 5 referrals closed; 2 for client non-engagement/non-consent, 3 not eligible for services.</p>	
People are safer due to fewer vulnerable and repeat victims of Crime	Improve quality and speed of justice for vulnerable victims (1 & 3)	<p>1. Increase the number of successful prosecutions for: Sexual & domestic, Hate crime, and Other vulnerable victims</p> <p>3. Support CPS and other agencies to deliver victim centred justice as swiftly as possible</p> <p>First North Yorkshire Victim Journey Review meeting to be held 11th August, as a task &</p>	

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		finish group of the Victim & Witness Board under the Local Criminal Justice Board (LCJB). Draft multi agency service level agreement around complaints with Crown Prosecution Service to suggest amendments, to be discussed at LCJB on 18 th August.	
Communities are safer due to effective use of policing resources to reflect need	Enhanced intelligence led deployment of resources to support those vulnerable to exploitation (4)	<p>4. Review & develop services that increase the safety of vulnerable people including: Intelligence led police operations to identify and combat those exploited especially children and vulnerable adults subject to sexual exploitation and trafficking, Cyber Crime Unit and Resourcing current and historic child abuse cases; Hate crime; Safety service; No cold calling zone schemes; (Other supporting initiatives such as ‘No Wrong Door’ project)</p> <p>Child Abuse Image Database (CAID) planned to be in place September 2015. If this deadline is achieved no Home Office financial penalty would be incurred. This creates tight timescales to achieve procurement, delivery of equipment & implementation.</p>	
Effective commissioned and partner services	Develop new and existing services to vulnerable people (2, 6, 7 & 8)	<p>2. Assess third sector provision for vulnerable people & identify opportunities for consolidating services through commissioning, particularly in relation to: Child Sexual Abuse (CSE) victims</p> <p>The Children’s Society’s Hand in Hand project have been supported via the Commissioner’s Community Fund to work with CSE victims in Craven since May 14. Prevention Worker, Primary & Secondary School – initial project May 14 to May 15 (Prevention Worker funded for a further year, September 15 to August 16): Positive feedback from participants re. the appropriateness & delivery of awareness sessions at school – 2,610 young people have benefited from Craven awareness sessions, approximately 50% primary & 50% secondary - 549 parents / carers / professionals have also received guidance - 9 referrals made for more intensive one to one support - 70% of sessions led to individuals approaching the Worker to ask for advice / guidance relating to specific issues covered during the course – A number of young people communicated that there is a lack of awareness & support given to them in relation to keeping safe personally, online & with</p>	

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		<p>their peers - There were concerns raised about the number of young children using social media without knowledge of their parents & / or outside of guidelines for age, leading to the conclusion that more advice is needed for adults who care for children. Intensive Individual Support Worker - February 15 to January 16 : Working with young people up to the age of 21 who are either involved in or at risk of CSE - Local presence has enabled relationships to be built between social work teams, youth services, health professionals, police & other front line services. One to one work focuses on recovery from abuse endured, breaking the cycle of abuse, skills to understand what has happened & how to avoid similar situations – 8 referrals received of which one young person refused services.</p> <p>6. Work with partners to review & develop the safeguarding unit to establish an integrated multi-agency safeguarding hub (MASH)</p> <p>7. Work in partnership with NHS England and Y&H forces to deliver a SARC solution for which meets the needs of NY victims: Commission an interim Adult SARC solution April 15 – March 16; Commission a paediatric SARC solution from April 2015; Commission an Adult SARC solution from April 2016.</p> <p>Interim adult SARC solution (April 15-March 16) in place with CRG Medical Services (acquired Medacs’ forensic healthcare division). Latest contract review meeting held 5th August – no operational issues, quality & performance standards being met or exceeded.</p> <p>Regional adult SARC solution tender launched 26th May, bidder event 15th June attended by 8 providers, tenders received 31st July, local & regional evaluation process 3rd-17th August, recommendation to RCB for approval second week of September. Paediatric SARC solution (April 15-March 16) Monday to Friday 9-5 solution negotiated with York Teaching Hospital NHS Foundation Trust, to commence October 15. Task & finish group set up with NHS England & regional force colleagues to address current gaps in paediatric services for acute victims out of hours, due to capacity issues within current paediatric forensic skills base. Arrangements now in place with St Mary’s, Manchester to accept North Yorkshire</p>	
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