

1. Protecting Vulnerable People

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Outcomes	Deliverables	Progress Report	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>2 further meetings held, operational 23/06/15 to discuss & map out MH professional presence in FCR & specification & budget for ST July-Sept., and commissioning 24/06/15 to discuss ST outcome setting on the back of Scarborough review. York Uni ST evaluation learning event due 23rd July.</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>LCJB working group convened by Effectiveness & Efficiency Board re. Transforming Summary Justice (TSJ) agenda, Chaired by Deputy Chief Crown Prosecutor for CPS North / West Yorkshire, to review current domestic abuse case progression effectiveness. Includes review of domestic violence courts & if they might be better integrated into TSJ courts. Aim is to ensure swift justice, critical re. reducing attrition. Working group will include C&P representation re. IDVA service.</p>	

		<p>3. Support CPS and other agencies to deliver victim centred justice as swiftly as possible</p> <p>Multi agency NY victims journey was drafted in 2014 which took into account the Code of Practice for Victims of Crime. NY victims journey to be refreshed (now new support services have been commissioned) via a working group convened by the LCJB Victim & Witness Board. Further partner consultation stages will then commence to see where services can be better aligned to put the victim at the centre. The LCJB has developed a draft multi agency service level agreement around complaints, where agencies have agreed SPOCs to share themes around victim centred complaints with criminal justice partners. This will help facilitate joint problem solving around issues & aide continuous improvement. Joint Police / CPS / Court Case Quality Scrutiny Panel's are being formed around identified thematic trends that will be tasked from the Effectiveness & Efficiency Board Chaired by Police, Head of Criminal Justice. This will include scrutiny around priority crime groups including sexual & domestic offences. Det. Supt. Costello to chair, with CPS lead Helen Sanderson, regional rape workshops, October 2015, to enhance and standardise rape investigations to improve service / response.</p>	
<p>Communities are safer due to effective use of policing resources to reflect need</p>	<p>Enhanced intelligence led deployment of resources to support those vulnerable to exploitation (4)</p>	<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 (e.g. Child Abuse Image Database [CAID – October 15], 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>Two officers are now embedded with Trading Standards at Northallerton, “Op Gauntlet” investigating those that prey on the vulnerable such as doorstep crime, bogus official / workman, fraud scams such as “romance fraud” – this will include implementation of No Cold Calling Zones. Paper written by DI Gathercole on Cheshire Model to be presented to COT with recommendations in July. DCI Kell tasked with identifying NYP historic child abuse investigations</p>	

		that will be presented to ACC Ops for decision as to whether any require further investigation.	
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 victims</p> <p>Commissioning Manager has met with HiH 09/06/15 to request an annual report re. awareness sessions in Craven schools & a half year report re. caseworker activity by August, agree future quarterly reporting mechanisms & discuss potential future commissioning options.</p> <p>8. Develop & commission a DARC solution to meet the needs of DA victims across NY</p> <p>Summary report prepared, to be taken to 1347 Board 23rd July by JN.</p>	<p>7. Paediatric SARC</p> <p>First meeting 24th June, second 2nd July.</p> <p>Arrangements now in place with St Mary's, Manchester to accept NY victims & discussions with Newcastle. Letter to MPs to support lobbying for changes written from JM.</p>