



York & North Yorkshire Safer Communities Forum

Key Messages

Thursday 16th August 2007

Safer Communities LAA Performance Management

The Forum received a report from Jennefer Cornforth (JC) (the Forum's Performance Monitoring Officer) on performance monitoring and reporting of the Safer Communities element of the NY LAA, following the first quarter of the LAA. The main points were:

- ▶ Future reports should include a trend analysis for comparison and in future areas of concern will be included in an Exception Report.
- ▶ How the NY and York LAAs will link – JC meeting Terry Collins in early Sept.
- ▶ A final list of TLOs was circulated to the group as part of the report
- ▶ Linking Alcohol work across Healthy and Safer Communities blocks – Alcohol JCG to lead
- ▶ Stretch targets – Action Plans to be developed and approved by each target, no monies yet received
- ▶ Reporting sequence – targets within the remit of CDRP's to be reported 6 monthly until April 08, all other targets to be reported quarterly
- ▶ Funding Update – letters with terms and conditions have been issued to partner organisations / target lead officers, upon acceptance of these grants will be released, following a number of delays from central govt. Questions related to this included whether partnership work programmes will be developed and shared setting out how the pump priming grants will be used to achieve the stretch

JCG reports

Update and exception reports included the following:

CDRP Managers

The CDRP managers considered the forthcoming Joint Strategic Intelligence Assessments and the ongoing DAAT review at their recent meeting. CDRPs are progressing the changes needed to implement the JSIAs.

Alcohol

A draft strategy was circulated to the group for consultation purposes – wider consultation will take place later, at this stage the strategy was for the Forum's consumption only.

Any comments on the draft strategy should be directed to Clare Iley-Christie at NYCC or Janet Flanagan at the PCT by mid-September.

Domestic Abuse

The Group had met again. Det Insp Alan Carey, the new Chair, attended the meeting and gave a verbal report. Funding for domestic abuse co-ordinators is an ongoing issue, not unique to North Yorkshire but experienced in other counties too. Alan reported that the current situation sees fragmented initiatives across the county with best practice not being shared / applied. A review of domestic abuse provision took place last year – Alan is going to absorb the details of this work and consider how it can be implemented – a report will be brought to the next meeting.

Data & Information

Plans for the D&I Unit were still on hold pending the outcome of the Force-wide review, the outcome of the review is expected in September. Example of good practice from NE region – Nigel Custance to explore whether this model could be transferred to NY. The Data & Information JCG suggested that the group become the performance monitoring element of the YNYSCF.

JCG reports continued...

PPO

An update was provided. In particular, Neil reported that to date most CDRPs had agreed to increase their contribution to fund the PPO co-ordinator post up to the end of this financial year. He undertook to follow up residual issues as soon as possible.

The LCJB have agreed to fund a short-term piece of work to measure re-offending rates for the full PPO cohort from the beginning of the schemes. The outcome of this work will assist in measuring the performance against the PPO LAA targets.

Date & Time of Next Meeting

15th November 2007 at 10.00am, North Yorkshire Fire & Rescue Services HQ,
Northallerton

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Notes of the meeting will be published on the NYSP website www.nysp.org.uk