



## CSP Priority areas – update:

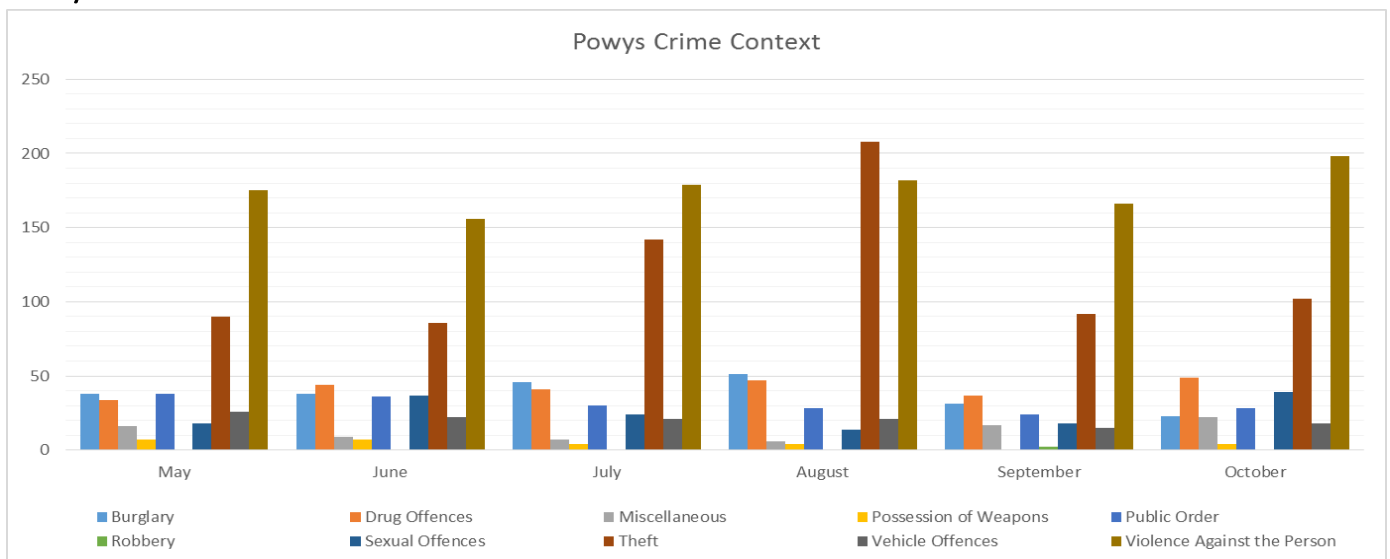
- Crime

### ONS - Crime in England and Wales: year ending June 2017

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Including new Experimental Statistics on fraud and computer misuse offences, the CSEW estimated 10.8 million incidents of crime in the latest survey year, but first annual comparisons will not be available until January 2018. The police recorded 5.2 million offences in the latest year; this series can provide a better indication of emerging trends but can also reflect changes in recording practices and police activity rather than genuine changes in crime. The 13% increase in police recorded crime from the previous year reflects a range of factors including continuing improvements to crime recording and genuine increases in some crime categories, especially in those that are well-recorded.

### Powys data



The above chart demonstrates that over the 5 months – May to October 2017 – the volume crime types in Powys have been Theft and Violence against the Person.

Work that has been undertaken by the Police to tackle these areas are:-

There are a number of offences where it is suspected that travelling criminals are responsible. As a result, the three areas have Operations running involving visible patrols along the border with West Mercia, greater collaborative work with Neighbouring Forces and the sharing of intelligence. These preventative patrols continue for the foreseeable future, as historically the winter months have been subject to the theft

of tools, machinery and scrap metal. Neighbourhood Teams are prioritising preventative work through the use of the Community Messaging System, Social Media and Press. There are also Watch Schemes supported in the County promoting an awareness of travelling criminals.

Montgomeryshire maintains to have the highest level of violent crime which is contributed to the higher population. Night time economy is not considered to be the main contributory factor.

The peak at Montgomeryshire in October was largely due to a number of crimes committed by a number of known youths. This has been subject to an Action Plan and Community Impact Assessment.

Trading Standards continues to work on both Acquisitive and Serious Organised Crime.

### **Acquisitive**

PREVENTATIVE-key messages put out through media on risks including Facebook and Twitter. Attended conference on welsh issues to share messages. All actions tweeted.

INTELLIGENCE-High level of targets identified through Facebook on high risk area of counterfeit clothing footwear and cosmetics.

ENFORCEMENT-Packages developed on wider high level suppliers in Manchester being shared with industry market groups and enforcers. Number of cases due in court autumn 2017.

### **Serious Organised Crime**

REGIONAL PROFILE - Profiles will be shown at regional group, sanitised and then distributed.

For DPP-7 OCG's –predominantly drugs and after success on one OCG significant time will now go on Op Regent(Powys). High priority for CSE issues and call for evidence on intelligence that can support a profile and need to encourage intel requirement across agencies for profile

-taxi drivers

-health

LOCAL PROFILE - Reporting via Chair who will receive profile along with regional rep.

Role in feeding upwards

OPERATION WAY-illicit tobacco/alcohol-report via GAIN.

## ● Road Safety

The Powys Road Safety Partnership met in June 2017. The scheduled meeting for September had to be postponed and the next meeting is not until 15<sup>th</sup> December, therefore information is limited at this time.

The Road Safety Partnership has a “live” action plan which is updated at each meeting, therefore providing performance information against priorities.

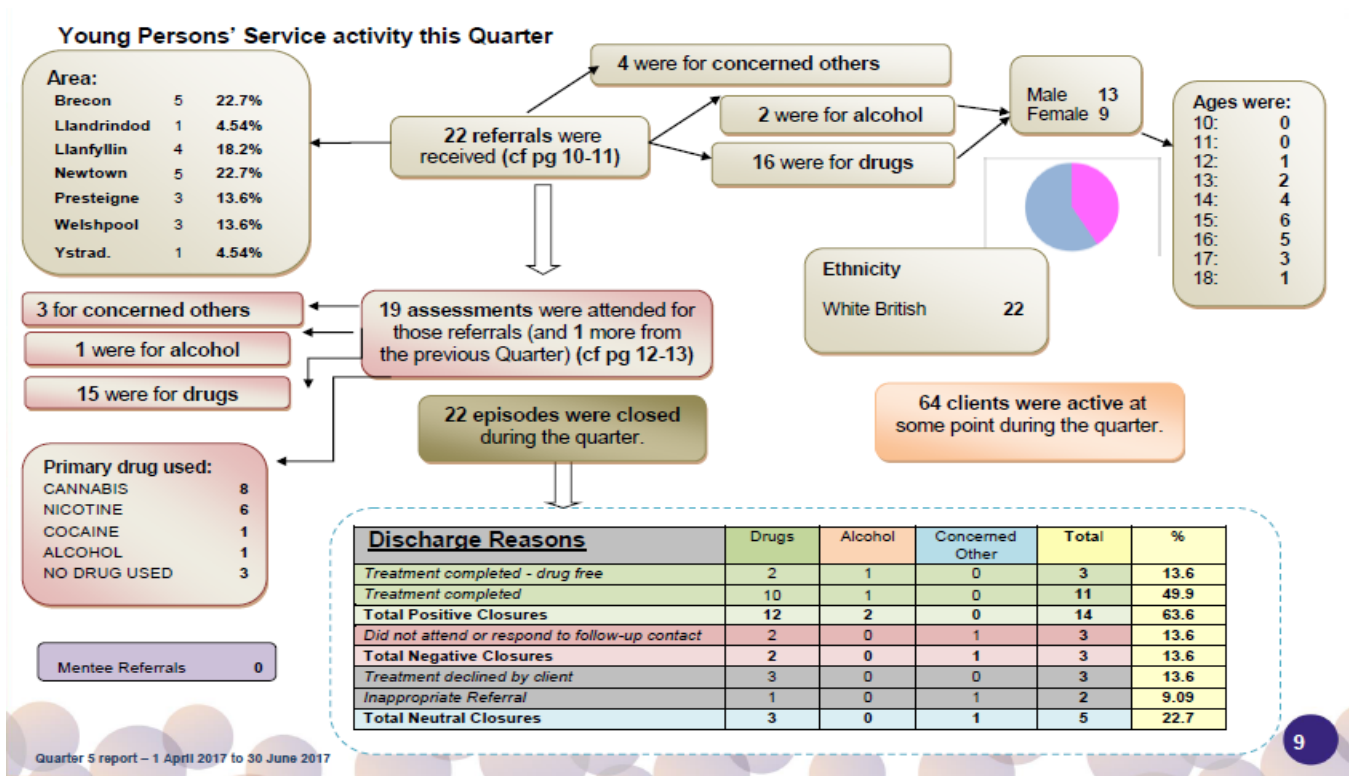
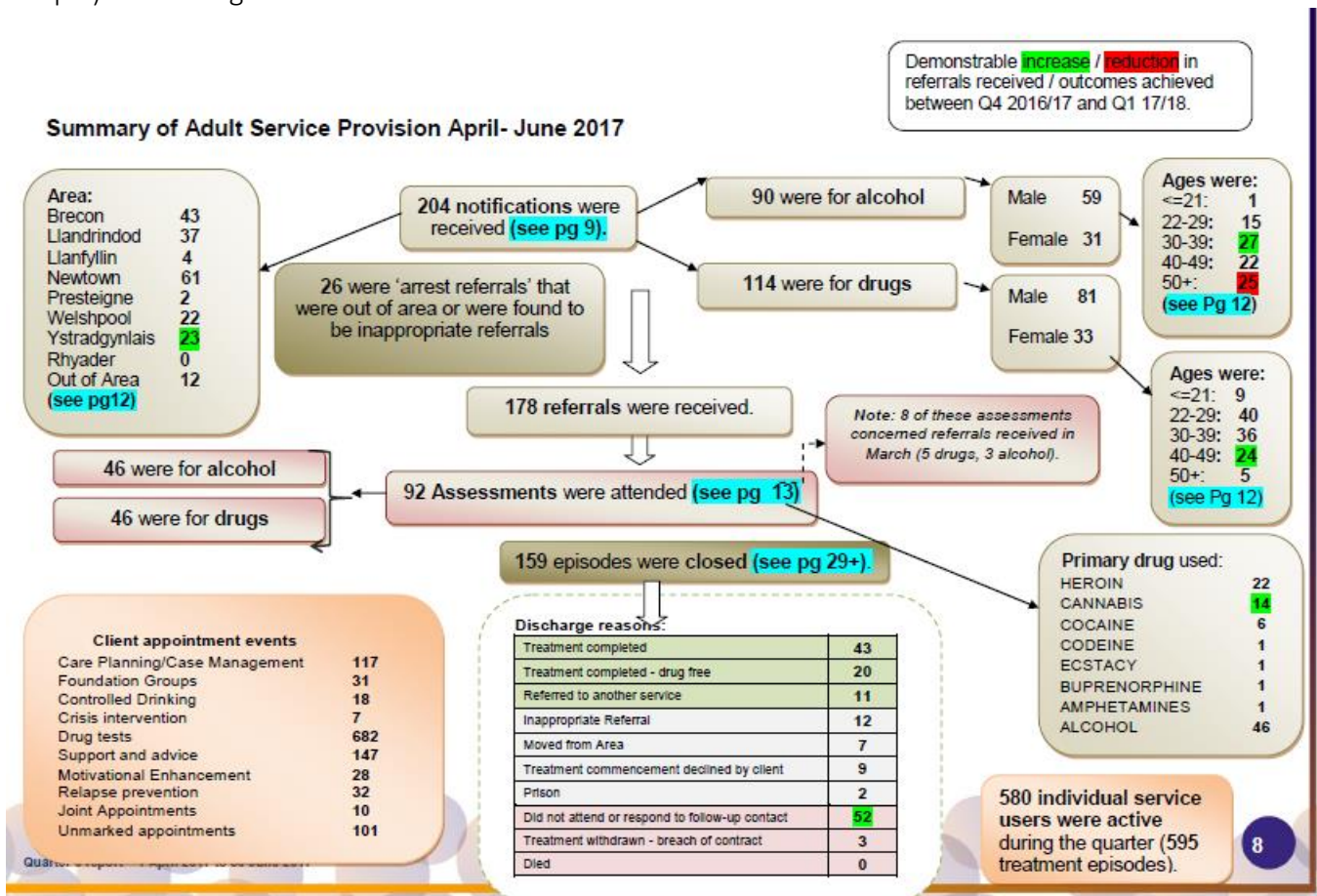
Lack of current data/analysis is still an issue, however this is a concern across Dyfed-Powys.

Carmarthen have commissioned some analytical research in relation to Road Safety, using Mast data, ([\*MAST Online is an innovative and award-winning web based data analysis tool for road safety professionals to gain insight crashes and the people involved in them\*](#)) it is a large research document which is yet to be analysed. A group is being established to undertake this work. The report will not be available for circulation until the analytical work has been undertaken.

## ● Substance Misuse

The CSP statutory duty in relation to tackling substance misuse is discharged via the Area Planning Board (APB).

The following is an overview of the number of cases that Kaleidoscope (Adult service) and CAIS (Young People) had during March – June 2017:-



Performance from our commissioned services in the main is positive across the board. Kaleidoscope is reporting an increase in demand in North of county meaning some waiting lists to access the service; whilst this is being managed we are seeing an impact on clients that do not attend (DNA rate) and a decrease in the number of clients successfully completing treatment, which could be linked to increase in demand on service (Measured by KPIs). Will be looked at more closely to consider any corrective action to address this for next quarter.

**Community Alcohol Partnerships (CAP)** – 2 running in Powys – Brecon and Newtown.

Brecon CAP undertaking surveys currently.

Newtown CAP - completed pilot period - will be undertaking evaluation surveys. Recently conducted PROXY purchasing campaign - NCAP Street Art promoted via LA & CSP website and Twitter <http://www.communityalcoholpartnerships.co.uk/news/8-news/116-street-art-used-in-bid-to-crack-down-on-sales-of-alcohol-to-underage-drinkers>

Undertook a Schools event (Newtown high school) on 7th Nov - very successful.

## • Reducing Re-offending

**Integrated offender Management (IOM) Cymru** is an overarching framework which helps partners to jointly develop integrated strategies and interventions to reduce crime, reoffending and to tackle the social exclusion of offenders and their families. The IOM Cymru Programme office manage a number of projects focusing on priority groups including women, youth to adult transition, high risk of harm and ex-Armed Service Personnel. The local project is known as PROP – Powys Reducing Reoffending Project. IOM focuses on the most prolific offenders, currently the cohort is 26 in Powys,

**Wales Integrated Serious and Dangerous Offender Management Pilot (WISDOM)** - WISDOM is now live in Dyfed Powys and Cwm Taf. Force-wide pilot, selection panels are sitting regionally with input from the psychology team. Two academics have been appointed to undertake the evaluation and to date have conducted an analysis of the Cwm Taf pilot and will now evaluate Dyfed Powys.

WISDOM will be a test bed for NOMADS (information sharing tool across, Police, Probation and Prisons). Pilot areas had been visited to gain a comprehensive understanding of the process. WISDOM focuses on the high risk of harm offenders, currently the cohort is 3 in Powys.

**Violence against Women, Domestic Abuse & Sexual Violence (VAWDASV)**

The local VAWDASV Strategy has to be approved by Mar 2018. Rhian Bowen Davies undertaking needs assessment and strategy development.

IDVA service is being re-commissioned in 2018 will be funded by Police and LAs as a single contract.

Powys CC training, 30% Group 1 compliance (100% required by Mar 2018). Presentations currently being given to staff who do not have access to IT such as cleaning and catering staff.

Ask and Act training needs to commence in 2018, staff from Powys CC being identified.

White Ribbon Day Sat 25th Nov, event held in the Council chamber, County hall, at 10.30 on Friday the 24th Nov.

Threshold document for Children Services/Adult Services – issues raised regarding assessment of domestic abuse.

Ask Me pilot in Powys has now trained 27 community representatives to be ambassadors with further training sessions arranged for November and December.

- **Community Cohesion**

**Syrian resettlement programme** - Powys CC has met its pledge of welcoming 12 families under the Syrian Resettlement Programme. An independent evaluation of the programme in Powys has been produced. Powys CC, the support workers from EYST and the Co-ordinator attended a meeting of Newtown Community Connections. The meeting was arranged to discuss appropriate levels of community support for the Syrian Refugee Programme. Powys CC organised a Mid and West Wales Regional Picnic for Syrian Refugees at the Royal Welsh Showground.

**Hate Crime** - Dyfed Powys Hate Crime Forum formulated plans for Hate Crime Awareness Week including engagement by Neighbourhood Policing Teams. Victim Support ran an awareness and engagement day in Llandrindod Wells during Hate Crime Awareness Week.

Tackling Hate Crime is mainstreamed into Powys CC's SEP Objectives and Actions.

**Modern Slavery** - Dyfed Powys Regional Anti-Slavery Group plan a strategic partnership approach in tackling modern slavery. Networking and engagement activities to tackle modern slavery with partner support took place at the Royal Welsh Agricultural Show.

**Tension Monitoring** - The Regional Community Cohesion Co-ordinator met with Dyfed Powys Police and the WG's Equality Branch to discuss wider partnership support for the core Police system with monitoring community tensions.

**Breaking down Barriers** - Engagement has been carried out with members of Newton Islamic Prayer Room and advice and signposting given on how to find more suitable facilities.

Powys CC's Gypsy and Traveller Project Board. Machynlleth – a proposal for a new site is underway. The Co-ordinator worked with a Powys CC Communications Officer to produce a Communications Strategy for Machynlleth. The Co-ordinator also gave advice to Powys CC on CCTV on sites, (based on the WG's Site Management Guidance).

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This concludes the Community Safety Partnership update.