

BURGLARY REDUCTION DELIVERY PLAN

Locality: South Leeds

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Safer Leeds

tackling drugs and crime



Outcome:

- § The residents of South Leeds are safe and feel safer in their homes.

Indicator:

- § Reductions in the level of recorded domestic burglary

Governance:

The principal group responsible for maintaining this plan will be the South Leeds Burglary Reduction Group. Specifically this group will be responsible for:

- § Delivering and monitoring activity relating to plan
- § Reporting to Safer Leeds Burglary Tasking on progress
- § Referring issues, problems or barriers to the Safer Leeds Burglary Tasking Group
- § Identifying gaps in intelligence, initiating and monitoring actions and information requirements to address these
- § Monitoring outcomes and disseminating good practice in dealing with burglary reduction

Management:

- § This plan does not include all activity to reduce burglary in South Leeds; this plan seeks to maximise additionally from a partnership perspective.
- § All tasks commissioned will link to one or more specific action areas.
- § This plan will be updated on an annual basis with an assessment of progress.
- § The plan will be regularly reviewed and refined, in line with operational and strategic requirements

Lead/Owner:

- § DI Joanne Morgan ~ City and Holbeck Division
- § Gerry Shevlin ~ Area Community Safety Co-ordinator, LCC

Duration:

- § 12 months (January to December 2012)

Strand: Reducing Offending

Key Issues:

- a. Management of large numbers of offenders
- b. Cross-border offending
- c. Identification of up and coming/ at risk individuals
- d. Addressing social needs
- e. Charging and sentencing of offenders
- f. Active stolen goods markets

Priority Outcomes:

- § Value for Money
- § Reduced levels of reported offences
- § Improved detections and convictions
- § Community-Based Delivery

| Action | Task / Milestones | Task Manager | Progress Statement | RAG |
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| <i>Actions will tackle relevant key issues</i> | <i>Tasks focus on priority areas of work</i> | <i>Named person</i> | <i>The Task Manager is responsible for informing on progress and must demonstrate connections to the relevant priority outcomes</i> | |
| Case conferencing and IOM processes to effectively manage burglary offenders and reduce re-offending (a, b, d, e) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> § Regular case conferencing and review of IOM nominal's intervention plans ~ monthly during 2012 § Ensure Operation Anchor is linking fully with Aire Valley Homes and Signpost prison secondee. ~ May 2012 § Identification, assessment and management of Organised Crime Groups ~ throughout 2012 § Work across divisions to tackle cross-border offending | <p>Joanne Morgan</p> <p>Mina Patel and Munaf Patel</p> | <p>Case conference carried out each month with partners to target, manage and develop intervention plans around PPO/DYO and IOM nominals. Operation Anchor which seeks to progress and manage the release of prisoners into the community is now operational. This includes making housing providers aware that burglary nominals are due to reside in their properties.</p> <p>A number of Organised Crime Groups (OCGs) have been identified and are managed by the Division. Weekly tasking and updates are centred around the Leeds Burglary Tasking Meeting. The main aim of the meeting is to disrupt and dismantle identified OCG. Progress is charted on the OCG matrix.</p> | G |
| Identify and manage individuals at risk of becoming involved in burglary (a, b, c, d) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> § Identify young people at risk of committing burglary and ensure support is identified via the Cluster Care and Guidance meetings. | Joanne Morgan | <p>Pilot programme initiated in Rothwell and Holbeck NPT. Target group identified, risk assessments completed and intervention plans activated. A number of referrals have been made via pathway but referrals have not been consistent. The main issue being that the nominated your person have to consent to being referred. Next step to move towards targeting young people receiving reprimands</p> | A |

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| | | | for burglary offences and liaison with Clusters re appropriate interventions. | |
| Utilise enforcement tools to take action against perpetrators (a, b, e, f) | <p>§ Develop a process to carry out enforcement action against those arrested for/charged with/or convicted of burglary related offences ~ by May 2012</p> | Mina Patel | Awaiting further guidance from Legal Services | R |
| Utilise restorative justice packages to reduce re-offending (a,d) | <p>§ Develop restorative justice project between YOS and Aire Valley Homes that involves working on void properties that have been targeted for burglary or metal theft. To be supported by delivery of programme from Yorkshire Electricity to young offenders ~ by May 2012</p> <p>§ Explore potential to develop a project delivering leaflets to support the No Cold Calling schemes - ~ by May 2012</p> | Jenny Bright | Leeds YOS South currently has 2 restorative projects in South Leeds. One is conservation work in Middleton Park which involves small groups of young people undertaking conservation and clearing work within the park in conjunction with the park ranger. The second is clearing the “peace garden” at Holbeck Elderly Aid for the benefit of the community. | A |

Strand: Preventing Victimisation

Key Issues:

- Standards of security
- Repeat victimisation
- Specific vulnerable groups
- Understanding changing communities
- Identifying and addressing risks

Priority Outcomes:

- § Value for Money
- § Improved public satisfaction
- § Neighbourhood improvements
- § Community-Based Delivery

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| Design and deliver tailored responses in the locality (a, b, c, d, e) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> § Link in with Crime and Grime meetings to identify areas to be targeted and develop responses for implementation ~ ongoing during 2012 § To explore local opportunities to develop no cold calling zones ~ funding secured by April and first scheme to be on line by May 2012. | <p>Gerry Shevlin</p> <p>Sally Dodgson</p> | <p>Morley Euro-profile project being developed with CASAC and Morley NPT. Funding approved (Dec 12) programme to be rolled out from Jan 12.</p> <p>Trading Standards are requesting Area Committee and Area Panel funding to progress 7 schemes during 2012 – one in each ward. Each scheme will cover approximately 300 properties including a sheltered housing scheme.</p> | <p>G</p> <p>G</p> |
| Improve standards of security across all tenure types (a, b, c, e) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> § Develop a clear process to enforce part 1 of the Housing Act 2004 to ensure the inclusion of physical security measures in private rentals ~ Review by May 2012 number of properties identified, action taken and improvement steps. § Work with all housing providers, initial focus on ALMO's, to improve support to victims (including; where appropriate security packages standards) ~ Review asap to measure actions taken and challenges within the process. | <p>Steve Clarke</p> <p>Joanne Morgan</p> <p>Mina Patel</p> | <p>Domestic Security Deficiency Referral Form currently being used by Police to identify properties in need of security improvements. Discussions ongoing with Victim Support, Fire Service and LASBT for them to use it. Forms are returned to PRS Team to take enforcement action against landlords where appropriate. No referrals received to date.</p> <p>Process agreed with AVH to contact burglary victims and offer support to victims and assess the need for security improvements following NPT visit ~ areas currently include Middleton, Holbeck, Beeston. Protocol still to be developed and shared with</p> | <p>R</p> <p>R</p> |

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| | <p>§ Secure funding from Area Committee to deliver property marking programme (using UVA pens in hotspot streets in the Morley NPT area ~ May 2012</p> | <p>Paul Sullivan</p> | <p>partners. Detailed report on actions taken still to be produced.</p> <p>Funding approved (Dec 12) programme to be rolled out from Jan 12. No update received for delivery of project.</p> | <p>A</p> |
| <p>Improve and direct crime reduction services (a, b, c, e)</p> | <p>§ Maximise use of tracking applications and report success ~ during 2012</p> <p>§ Work with the safer schools network to deliver a rolling crime prevention programme ~ during 2012</p> | <p>NPTs</p> <p>SSP</p> | <p>Funding secured from Burglary Reduction Programme to purchase a trackable asset for use by Holbeck NPT primarily. Negotiations ongoing with current supplier.</p> <p>Safer Schools have agreed to deliver a programme of work in schools. Details to be finalised and brought to the next meeting.</p> | |

Strand: Communication

Key Issues:

- a. Promoting awareness
- b. Community engagement
- c. Identifying risks and responsibilities
- d. Addressing fear of victimisation
- e. Media involvement

Priority Outcomes:

- § Value for Money
- § Improved public perception
- § Co-ordinated communication
- § Community-Based Delivery

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| Deliver a localised seasonal communication plan (a, b, c, d, e) | § Develop a forward plan for intelligence led seasonal communication/marketing campaigns linking in with proposed city-wide initiatives ~ implement during 2012 | Gerry Shevlin | Lighter nights campaign being developed and communication channels being developed. | G |
| Where vulnerable groups or communities are highlighted, identify existing and potential routes for engagement and involvement (a, b, d) | § At a cluster level identify with schools/ GP's and similar providers language needs for support/ crime prevention initiatives ~ during 2012 § Develop and share key contacts with individuals and at community meeting points to promote crime prevention awareness and information sharing ~ during 2012 (including all individuals that have direct contact with communities; such as youth workers, GP's, shop owners, cafes, victims of crime etc.) | Gerry Shevlin Gary Blezard | Ensure regular information feed into Safer Leeds community mapping and tensions monitoring work to assist in intelligence analysis to identify new, developing and vulnerable communities. | A |
| Communicate partnership performance and intelligence | § Produce monthly 'turning the curve' report to track progress of performance ~ product to be disseminated ~ From Jan 12 onwards | Simon Hodgson | Reports received and circulated to members of the burglary group and Area Committee Community Safety Champions. | G |

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