CUSTODY EXPERIENCE

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Introduction

Preston, Lancashire, UK
2009 Preston Crime & Disorder Assessment

Priority Public concern

Impending 20% budget reduction

Limited existing process
Lack of Opportunities
2008/09

3319 young people aged 10-17 arrested in Preston

Disproportionate number from CGA tenants

Recorded youth crime in England & Wales—244,583

37.30% of re-offenders aged 10-17
Additional concerns
Further analysis required!
Summary

The future without Intervention
## Analysis

### 2009

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Analysis

Young Criminals

ENGLAND V EUROPE
Analysis

Features of the Offender
Male white, 10-17 yrs.
Truant/Missing person
Dysfunctional family, drugs, alcohol
Family offending history
No understanding of future consequences
Analysis

RISK FACTORS

- Poverty
- Family Neglect
- Role Models
- Under Achievement

X 20
Analysis

Features of the Location
Lancashire Constabulary - 8 custody offices
Analysis

Features of Victim

• No specific trends, groups or categories

However........
Analysis

COST’s

Arrest process, $3,200

184 Preston arrests in 2009 : $597,000

Crime Costs

Burglary: $3,730
Analysis

Priority Prolific Offender

$1.6 million
Resources & budgets focus on top end offenders

Successes could lead to cost saving / improved life chances

Little academic data, similar ‘Scared Straight’

Custody Office underused potential cost effective resource
Response

Objective

To develop a Police led early intervention which would utilise existing resources, be cheap, quick and easy to use

Aim

• Reduce 1st time entrants in CJS/reduce reprimands

• 20% reduction target set
Response

What we did – our journey
ASSET Scoring System

• 10+ red

• 5-9 amber

• 1–4 green
Custody Experience
Tailored response
Response

Publicity

The Custody Experience is here

Please ask in custody, or speak to your Georigic Co-ordinator to find out more about Lancashire Constabulary’s first Custody/Community Safety/Neighbourhood Policing POL

www.lancashire.police.uk

Central Division

Lancashire Evening Post

PACT Police and Communities Together

Community Gateway Association

Developing neighbourhoods in Preston
Response

Partners

Referrals

Lancashire Constabulary
Lancashire County Council
GATEWAY
Community Gateway Association
YPs
Preston City Council
Group Intervention Panel
Child Action Northwest
Assessment

Objective was...

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Assessment

Aim was...

To reduce reprimands by 20% (2009 baseline)

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- From 184 to 123 = **33% reduction**
### Assessment

**2012 (up to 31/05/12)**

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- On target to achieve bigger reduction than 2011
- Justifies CGAs resource investment
Assessment

Qualitative

• All 120 completed questionnaire
• 45% stated they felt ‘scared’ or ‘terrible’
• 20% stated they ‘didn’t like it’
• 10% answered ‘not bothered’
• Four percent did not answer the questions

Most importantly
• 88% stated the Custody Experience had:
  ‘definitely made them think about their behaviour’
Assessment

Cost saving

• 2009 – 184 reprimands = $597,000

• 2011 – 123 reprimands = $398,000

Savings = $199,000
Assessment

Control areas
Chosen due to geography/finance similarity

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Any Questions
Contact Details

The three Amigos...

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