

DRAFT Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Violence Reduction Unit Strategic Framework 2022-25

Police and Crime Plan 2021 – 25 Priority: Preventing. Preventing crime and protecting people from harm

<p>Vision: Cohesive communities free from violence and the fear of violence</p> <p>Mission: We will work with communities to prevent violence and reduce its harmful impacts through developing a detailed understanding of its causes and investment in evidence based interventions that make a lasting difference</p>	<p>Principles:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Focus on what will make a difference to whole populations• Work as a whole system• Intervene early to prevent issues emerging• Consider the ‘causes of the causes’• Ensure our work is evidence-informed	<p>Community consensus approach:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Collaboration• Co-production• Cooperation in data sharing• Counter-narrative
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Strategic priorities	<p>Provide inclusive system leadership – lead and collaborate with partners in the local safeguarding and community safety partnerships, including third sector, to drive system change required to prevent serious violence in the long term</p>	<p>Make best use of data sharing, insight and evidence – use multi-agency data, insight and evidence to improve our understanding of the nature and causes of violence locally to shape our system wide response</p>	<p>Deliver and evaluate early intervention and prevention activity – co-design, implement and evaluate evidence informed interventions that address causes of serious violence and strengthen protective factors whilst contributing to the local and national evidence base</p>
Objectives	<p>Develop and implement a Trauma Strategy to embed trauma informed approaches within all services</p> <p>Co-design and deliver a Youth Work Strategy to ensure consistently high quality youth services, including the implementation of the Youth Charter, Tailored Quality Mark and training pathways</p> <p>Co-design and deliver a strength based youth and community participation model to empower communities and achieve community consensus in our system wide approach</p> <p>Support system change opportunities in collaboration with the education sector to enable early identification of young people at risk of being impacted by serious violence, either as a victim or perpetrator</p> <p>Develop and implement a sustainability plan to guide economic and cultural sustainability of VRU approaches</p>	<p>Develop and implement a three year plan to improve the quality and accessibility of data across the partnership to improve our understanding of the nature of violence</p> <p>Identify evidence gaps and commission research that strengthens the voice of communities, young people and those with lived experience to shape our response</p> <p>Design and implement a performance monitoring framework consistent with our theory of change to assess outcomes and impact of VRU approaches and interventions</p>	<div><div>Known risk factors</div><p>Co-design, implement and evaluate:</p><ul style="list-style-type: none">standardised educational interventions which are available universally to primary, secondary and alternative provisionsplace based interventions including mentoring, outreach and diversion programmes and contextual safeguarding approachestrauma informed interventions for children and young people impacted by domestic violence and serious violence more broadlya custody based intervention to support children aged 10-17 to achieve positive outcomesa focussed deterrence intervention which supports children and young people most at risk of being impacted by serious violencedomestic violence perpetrator programme to provide access to tailored support</div>
Outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Partner organisations and practitioners’ are trauma informed, and able to recognise and respond to trauma• Practitioners in the VCS have equitable access to training and development framework to ensure high quality youth provision• Risk factors are identified earlier on in the system and support put in place to reduce school exclusions• CYP and communities are positively engaged with and included in co-production / collaborative approaches• Shared partnership objectives to guide economic and cultural sustainability of VRU approaches	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Trends in SV are monitored• Vulnerable CYP and SV hotspot areas are described• Partners have access to relevant data sets to inform operational and strategic response to serious violence• Improved understanding of the difference in experiences of violence	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Increased CYP/community resilience towards violence/crime• Increased evidence base around what works to reduce the causes of serious violence• Underlying risk factors are supported/addressed, including<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reduced offending and victimisation• Reduced involvement with statutory services• Improved attendance at schools / college including better behaviour and attainment• Improved employability• Improved mental health and wellbeing• Improved physical health• Improved attitudes and beliefs about healthy relationships

Long term outcomes: Achieve positive outcomes for children and young people / Communities feel safer / Serious Violence is reduced / Increased equal opportunity