



**NOTIFICATION TO ATTEND MEETING OF THE SOUTH EAST AREA JPC
TO BE HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, DAME STREET, DUBLIN 2.
ON THURSDAY 26 OCTOBER 2017 AT 9.30 AM**

AGENDA

THURSDAY 26 OCTOBER 2017

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1	Minutes from previous meeting	
2	Matters Arising	
3	Presentation on the National Drug Strategy	3 - 20
	A presentation on the new National Drug Strategy ' Reducing Harm, Supporting Recovery 2017 – 2025 ', with a focus on the Local Government Drugs and Alcohol Task Force, will be made by Dr. Sarah Waters of the Drugs Policy Unit of the Department of Health.	
4	Crime Statistics Presentation	21 - 32
	Crime Statistics for the DMR South Central Division will be presented by Chief Superintendent Francis Clerkin.	
	Crime Statistics for the DMR South Division will be presented by Superintendent Colm Murphy.	
5	Work Plan Quarter 3 and General Updates Quarter 3	33 - 54
	The Work Plan and General Updates for Quarter 3 have been circulated will not be presented at the Meeting	
6	Promotion of the JPC	
7	A.O.B.	

Reducing Harm, Supporting Recovery

A health-led response to drug
and alcohol use in Ireland 2017-2025

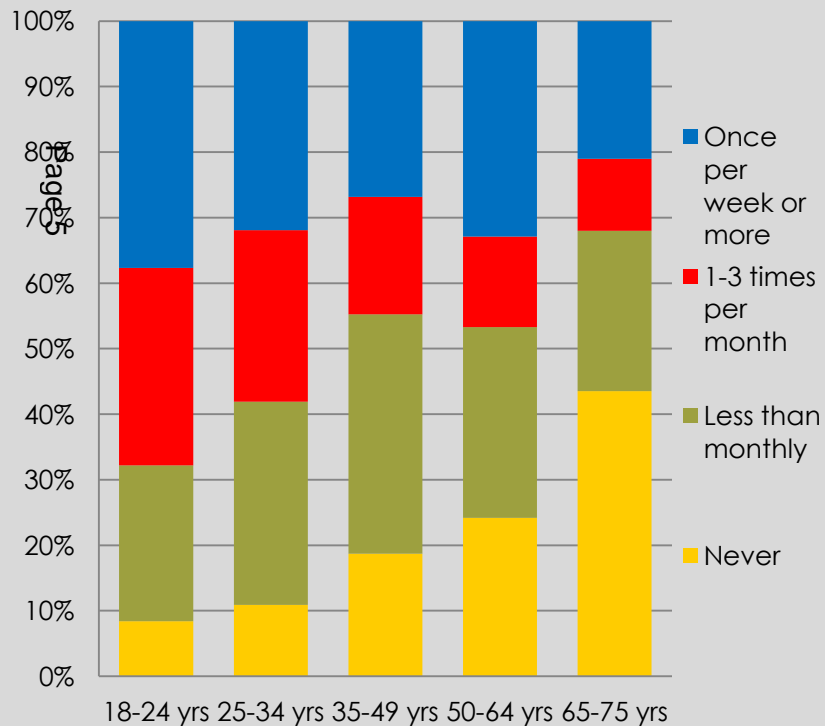


OVERVIEW OF PRESENTATION

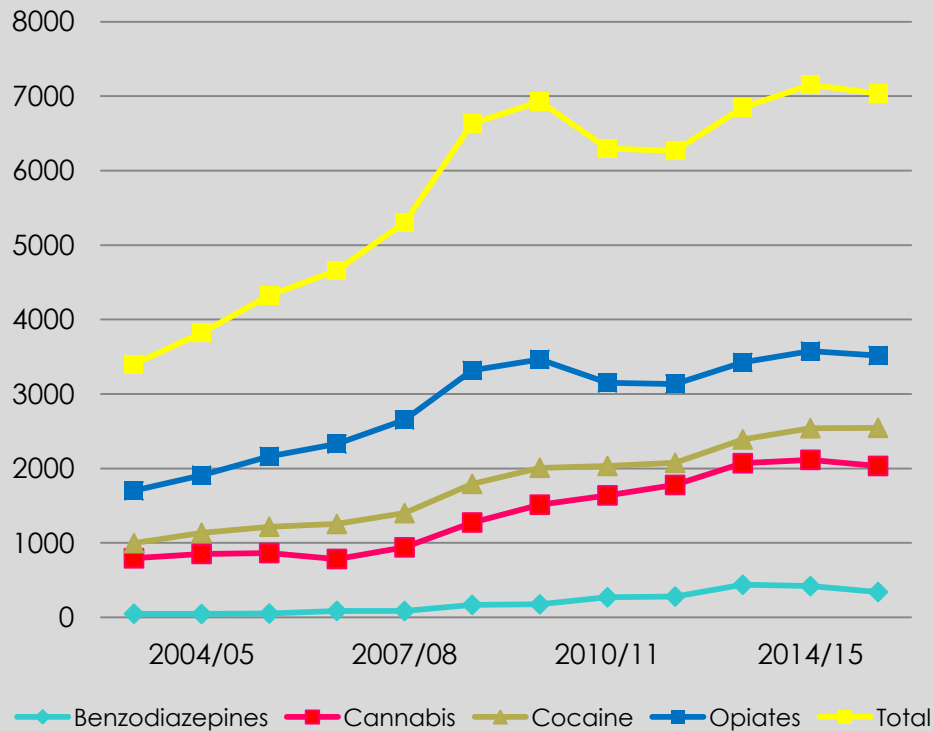
- Trends
- Methodology
- Key messages from public consultation
- Vision
- Values, Goals, Objectives
- Performance Measurement System
- Health-led actions
- Structures supporting delivery

DRUG AND ALCOHOL TRENDS

Frequency of Binge Drinking in the Last Year (males)



New Treatment Cases by Drug Type 2010-2015



METHODOLOGY

Minister of State for the National Drugs Strategy

Steering Committee

Rapid Expert Review
of 2009-2016 Strategy

Trends Analysis

Public Consultation

The effectiveness of interventions related to the use of illicit drugs: prevention, harm reduction, treatment and recovery. A 'review of reviews'

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Focus Groups on:

1. Supply Reduction
2. Continuum of Care
3. Education and Prevention
4. Evidence and Best Practice

A HEALTH-LED APPROACH TO DRUGS USE

- Programme for a Partnership Government commits to supporting a health-led rather than criminal justice approach to drugs use including legislating for injection rooms
- Recognise the need for a more humane and compassionate approach to drug use with a focus on harm reduction which recognises that addiction and substance misuse is a public health issue

KEY FINDINGS OF PUBLIC CONSULTATION

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Curb access to harmful drugs

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VISION

*A healthier and safer Ireland,
where public health and safety is protected,
and the harms caused to individuals, families
and communities by substance misuse are
reduced and every person affected by
substance misuse is empowered to improve
their health, wellbeing and
quality of life*

STRUCTURE OF STRATEGY

Vision

- A healthier and safer Ireland

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Values

- Compassion, Respect, Equity,
- Inclusion, Partnership, Evidence-Informed

Goals

- 5 Goals and related objectives
- 50 point Strategic Action Plan

GOAL ONE: PROMOTE AND PROTECT HEALTH AND WELLBEING

Objective 1.1

- Promote healthier lifestyles within society

Objective 1.2

- Prevent use of drugs and alcohol at a young age

Objective 1.3

- Develop harm reduction interventions targeting at risk groups

GOAL TWO: MINIMISE THE HARMS CAUSED BY THE USE AND MISUSE OF SUBSTANCES AND PROMOTE REHABILITATION & RECOVERY

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Objective 2.1

- Attain better health & social outcomes for people who misuse drugs and meet their recovery & rehabilitation needs

Objective 2.2

- Reduce harm among high risk drug users

GOAL THREE: ADDRESS THE HARMS OF DRUG MARKETS AND REDUCE ACCESS TO DRUGS FOR HARMFUL USE

Objective 3.1

- Provide a comprehensive and responsive misuse of drugs control framework which ensures the proper control, management and regulation of the supply of drugs

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Objective 3.2

- Implement effective law enforcement and supply reduction strategies and actions to prevent, disrupt or otherwise reduce the availability of illicit drugs

Objective 3.3

- Develop effective monitoring and responses to evolving trends, public health threats and the emergence of new drug markets

GOAL FOUR: SUPPORT PARTICIPATION OF INDIVIDUALS, FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES

Objective 4.1

- Strengthen the resilience of communities and build their capacity to respond

Objective 4.2

- Enable participation of both users of services and their families

GOAL FIVE: DEVELOP SOUND AND COMPREHENSIVE EVIDENCE-INFORMED POLICIES AND ACTIONS

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Objective 5.1

- Support high quality monitoring, evaluation and research to ensure evidence-informed policies and practice

PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT SYSTEM

Developed by Trutz Haase, social and economic consultants

Measures the collective response to the drug problem

Predicted problem drug use (based on social indicators)

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Resource allocation model enables funding to be based on underlying need in DATF areas and targets those communities which face a higher risk of drug problems

Net effects of the strategy at the population level, in particular, the effects on the health, wellbeing and quality of life of people living in local and regional DATF areas



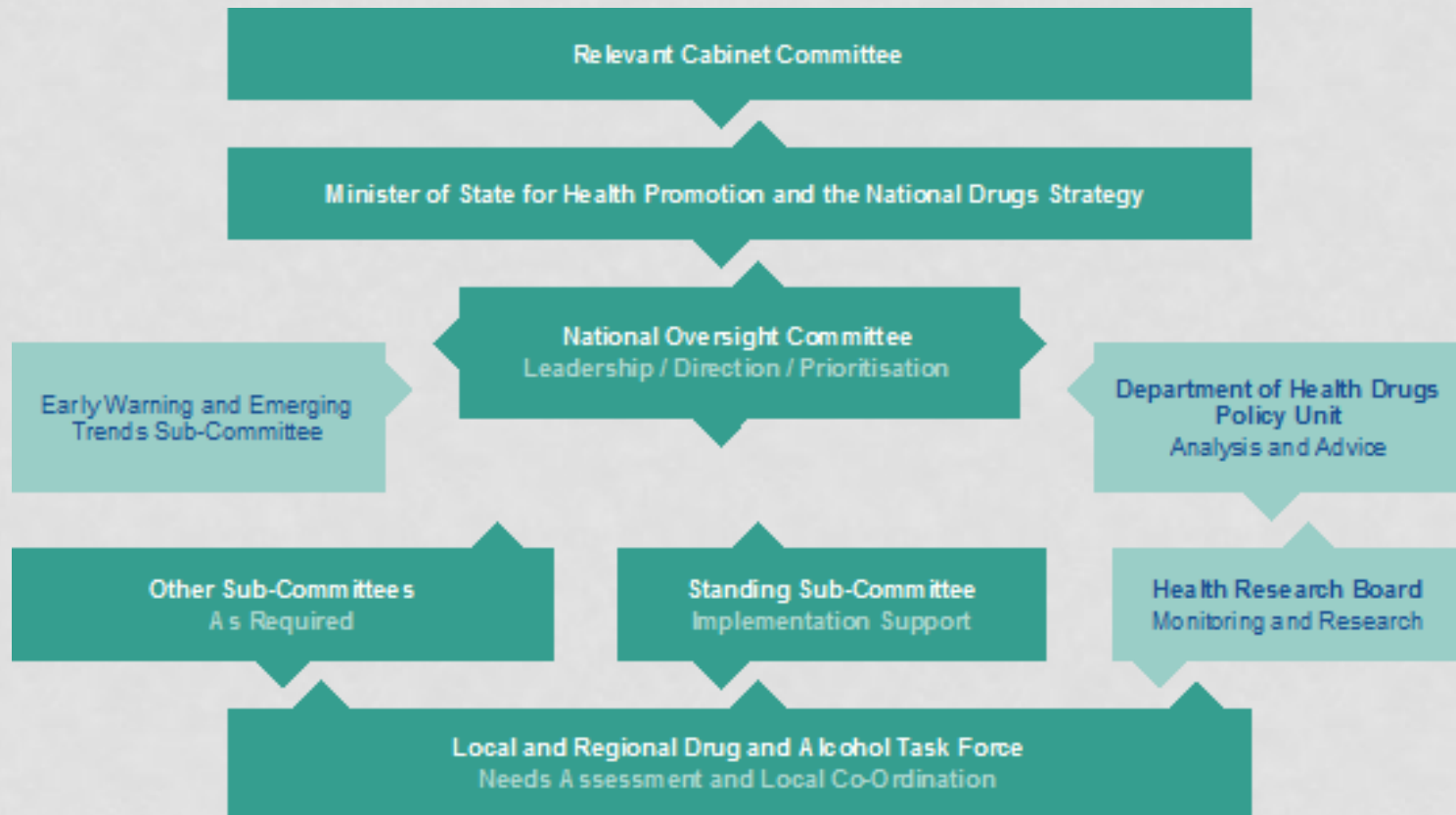
Actual problem drug use (based on routine monitoring systems)

KEY HEALTH-LED STRATEGIC ACTIONS

- Establish a pilot supervised injecting facility
- Expand drug and alcohol treatment services
- Develop a new programme to promote community awareness of alcohol-related harm
- Establish a Working Group to consider the approaches taken in other jurisdictions to the possession of small quantities of drugs for personal use
- Develop a targeted new youth services scheme for young people at risk of substance misuse, focused on socially and economically disadvantaged communities

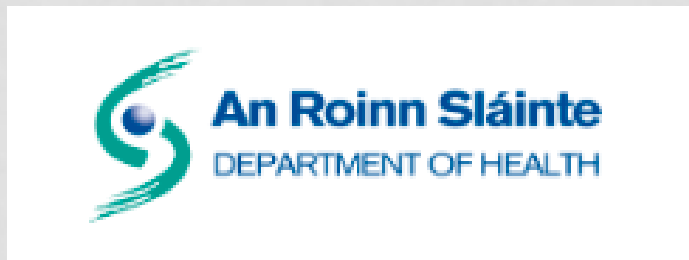
IMPLEMENTATION OF REDUCING HARM, SUPPORTING RECOVERY

Structures supporting implementation of *Reducing Harm, Supporting Recovery*



*Thank you for
your attention*

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Link to Strategy :

<http://health.gov.ie/wp-content/uploads/2017/07/Reducing-Harm-Supporting-Recovery-2017-2025.pdf>



South East Area JPC 26th October 2017

**Report from Chief Superintendent Francis Clerkin
DMR South Central Division
for Pearse Street and Donnybrook Stations**

Crime Statistics as of Week 40, 08/10/2017

Crime Statistics

Pearse Street & Donnybrook Stations		2016	2017	% Change
Burglary		533	589	+11%
Robbery				
	Robbery from the person	102	94	-8%
	Robbery from Establishment	25	32	+28%
Theft				
	Theft from Person	1257	1361	+8%
	Theft from MPV	305	363	+19%
	Theft from Shop	853	1005	+18%
	Theft (Other)	1315	1433	+9%
	Theft of Pedal Cycle	584	683	+17%
Property Crime		5091	5646	+11%

Crime Statistics

Pearse Street & Donnybrook Stations		2016	2017	% Change
Domestic	Breach of Barring Order	2	1	-50%
	Breach of Protection Order	10	5	-50%
	Breach of Safety Order	5	19	+280%
	Child Neglect & Cruelty	3	7	+133%
	Domestic Violence – No Offence Disclosed	67	80	+19%

- There have been 223 detections for the Sale/Supply of Drugs in 2017 as opposed to 170 for the same period last year, representing a increase of 31%
- There have been 64 arrests for Driving whilst intoxicated in 2017 in comparison to 56 for the same period last year an increase of 14%
- there has been 1 Fatal Road Traffic Accident recorded in 2017.

1302 Public Order Incidents are recorded in 2017 as opposed to 1100 incidents in 2016, showing a increase of 18%

- 210 Incidents of Drunkenness are recorded in 2017 as opposed to 171 in 2016, an increase of 23%
- 138 Incidents of Assault Causing Harm are recorded in 2017, as opposed to 157 in 2016, a decrease of 12%
- 406 incidents of Minor Assault are recorded in 2017 as opposed to 328 in the same period last year showing a increase of 24%



South East Area JPC

Thursday 26th October, 2017

Report from Superintendent Colm Murphy

DMR South Division

for Terenure District & Sundrive Road Sub-District

Crime Statistics week ending 15/10/2017

in comparison with week ending 16/10/2016

Crime Statistics

Terenure District		2016	2017	% Change
Burglary		271	254	-6%
Robbery	Robbery from the person	8	9	+13%
	Robbery from Establishment	8	12	+50%
Theft	Theft from Person	17	39	+129%
	Theft from MPV	140	196	+40%
	Theft from Shop	227	206	-9%
	Theft (Other)	161	183	+14%
Property Crime		1121	1135	+1%

Terenure District		2016	2017
Domestic Incidents			
	Breach of Barring Order	0	0
	Breach of Protection Order	2	4
	Breach of Safety Order	4	10
	Child Neglect & Cruelty	0	1
	Domestic Violence (No Offence Disclosed)	94	88

Crime Statistics

Sundrive Road Sub-District		2016	2017	% Change
Burglary		165	108	-35%
Robbery	Robbery from the person	14	6	-57%
	Robbery from Establishment	20	6	-70%
Theft	Theft from Person	7	9	+29%
	Theft from MPV	57	61	+7%
	Theft from Shop	48	61	+27%
	Theft (Other)	37	35	-5%
Property Crime		482	353	-27%

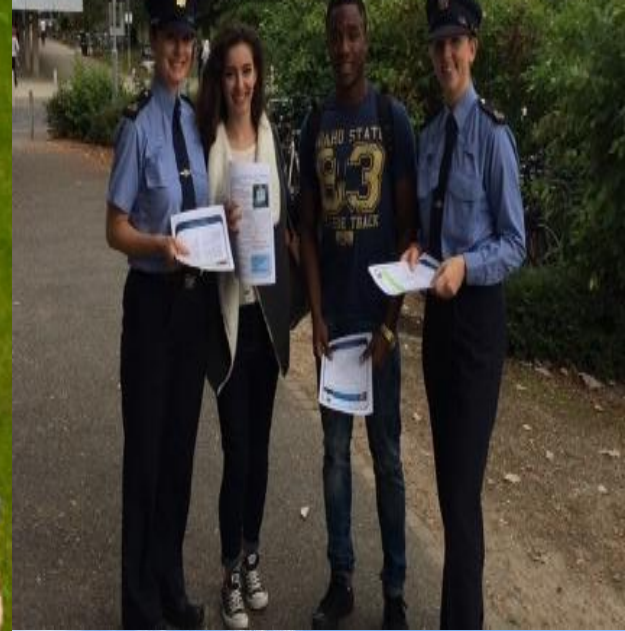
Sundrive Road Sub District		2016	2017
Domestic Incidents			
	Breach of Barring Order	3	2
	Breach of Protection Order	7	13
	Breach of Safety Order	3	3
	Child Neglect & Cruelty	1	2
	Domestic Violence (No Offence Disclosed)	94	110

TERENURE DISTRICT

- There has been 19 detections for the Sale/Supply of Drugs to date this year (20 for the same period in 2016).
 - There have been 35 arrests for Driving whilst intoxicated in 2017 as opposed to 42 for the same period last year, a decrease of 17%.
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- There has been 2 Fatal Road Traffic Accidents recorded in 2017 (0 in 2016).
- 96 Public Order incidents are recorded in 2017 as opposed to 59 in 2016, an increase of 63%.
 - 18 Incidents of Assault Causing Harm are recorded in 2017 (16 in 2016).
 - 73 incidents of Minor Assault are recorded in 2017 (85 in 2016, a decrease of 14%).

SUNDRIVE SUB-DISTRICT

- There have been 18 detections for the Sale/Supply of Drugs to date this year (21 in 2016).
- There has been 22 arrests for Driving whilst intoxicated in 2017 (15 in 2016)
- There are no Fatal Road Traffic Accidents recorded in 2017 (0 in 2016).
- 58 Public Order incidents are recorded in 2017 as opposed to 54 in 2016, an increase of 7%.
- 22 Incidents of Assault Causing Harm are recorded in 2017 (17 in 2016).
- 41 incidents of Minor Assault are recorded in 2017 (41 in 2016).



SOUTH EAST AREA JOINT POLICING SUB-COMMITTEE Quarter 3 Update 2017



Comhairle Cathrach
Bhaile Átha Cliath
Dublin City Council

Breviate of South East Area JPC Steering Committee -

In accordance with Joint Policing Committee Guidelines, the breviat of the South East Area Joint Policing Steering Committee meeting, held 12th October, is set out hereunder.

Order

Actions from June meeting

- The issue of anti social behaviour at the following locations was discussed -**
The Cabbage Patch; Portobello/Arnott Street ; Glovers Court /Bow Lane and environs
Update : An Garda Síochána to report at October JPC meeting.

- The issue of clamping and traffic enforcement at Harolds Cross and Terenure.**
Update : TAG report to follow.

- The issue of Rickshaws discussed**
Update : An Garda Síochána to report at October JPC meeting.

Crime Statistic Presentation - Crime Statistics will be presented at the October meeting.

Presentation on the new **National Drug Strategy 'Reducing Harm, Supporting Recovery, 2017 - 2025'**, with particular regard to the Local Drugs and Alcohol Task Force, will be made at the October meeting.

*** The Criminal Assets Bureau will make presentation at the December meeting to give an understanding how CAB links with the local Gardaí through the use of trained Asset Profilers.

*** A presentation/information session on the City's overall contingency plan in the event of an Emergency was suggested.

- The effectiveness and impact of the '**Graffiti is a Crime/Think Don't Tag**' video was discussed
- The issue of the need for a public statement on the co-ordinated plan for Rough Sleepers, with particular regard to the ad-hoc volunteer groups/ agencies involved on the streets of the City was discussed.
- Presentations proposed for 2018-** DCC & AGS – Sport as an effective tool to engage young people at risk of drug misuse into more structured and positive activities; Crime Prevention; Care After Prison ; DCC – South East Area Community Development



Breviate of Ringsend Irishtown Community Safety Forum

To the South East Area Joint Policing Subcommittee

In accordance with the Local Policing Fora in Local Drugs Task Force Areas Guidelines, the Breviate of the meeting of the Ringsend / Irishtown Community Safety Forum, held **Thursday 28th September 2017**, is set out hereunder.

Order:

- Minutes of previous meeting agreed.
- Issues discussed included:**
 - Increase in intimidation, especially by younger people. **Action:** Confidential hotline available to notify intimidation.
 - Seasonal theft . **Action:** Awareness poster to be circulated & public safety meeting to be organised.
 - SWICN running a Suicide or Survive Wellness Programme 14th October 2017 .
 - Outreach Diversion Programme going well. An Gaisce award received. Garda Vetting training finished and CAD drug awareness training course twice weekly .
 - Local Environmental Improvement Plan approved in June. More community consultations upcoming. Part 8 first at Library & Cambridge Rd.
 - Halloween Festival
- Follow ups:**
 - Request funding for schoolboys pitch from Dublin City Council.
 - South Inner City Drugs & Alcohol Task Force require a representative from An Garda Síochána.

Attendance:

An Garda Síochána

Superintendent Gerry Delmar, Garda Anthony Kelly, Garda Derek Dempsey

Community Representatives

Sueann Moore (RCSF), Mary Doolin (Community Rep); Catherine Kelly

Dublin City Council

Brian Kirk, Councillor Dermot Lacey

Apologies

Teresa Weafer (RDRD) , Robbie Maguire



HIGH PRIORITY OBJECTIVE 1 – COMMUNITY SAFETY

(An Garda Síochána Policing Plan – Goal 3)

Work together to ensure that people feel safe in their homes and their communities by reducing crime and the fear of crime

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Create an awareness amongst the citizens of the South East Area of Crime Prevention and Community Safety Initiatives</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 36</p>	<p>Crime Prevention advice tweeted after quarterly meetings (where relevant)</p> <p>Safety information leaflets circulated to members</p> <p>Safety information leaflets circulated to all Community/Business Groups in the Area.</p> <p>Safety initiatives promoted by South East Area Councillors in clinics & newsletters.</p> <p>List of "Victim Help Groups" promoted by South East Area JPC</p>	<p>South East Area JPC</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>Crime prevention advice has been given to elderly residents.</p> <p>19th -26th September : Supporting Safer Communities with the focus on Burglary Prevention .</p> <p>Crime prevention advice leaflets circulated at transport hubs/neighbourhood AGM.</p> <p>5 information days and 2 Garda clinics were held.</p>

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<p>Support the Neighbourhood Watch Schemes in the area.</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Page 37</p>	<p>Neighbourhood Watch Stickers, crime prevention advice and booklets distributed through local Neighbourhood Watch meetings</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>Community Gardaí continue to interact with their communities and use every opportunity to promote safety awareness.</p> <p>4 Community Policing Gardai were appointed to Rathmines Station in August, 2017.</p> <p>Neighbourhood Watch Schemes remain active and supported by An Garda Síochána.</p> <p>A Garda Information Stand was erected at the Terenure Vintage Car Show on the 2.7.17 and attracted notable public interest.</p> <p>Crime Prevention Literature is distributed in communities and also made available to the public at Garda Stations.</p> <p>The availability of crime prevention tips on the Garda Web Site continues to be promoted.</p> <p>The services of the Divisional Crime Prevention Officer is made readily available to victims of crime / or upon request by any individual / commercial interest.</p> <p>Property Register booklets & Neighbourhood Watch Stickers have been circulated at all clinics.</p>

Continue to recognise and respond to the needs of victims of crime and to ensure protection of vulnerable persons and groups

Continued implementation of the Garda Diversity Strategy, the Garda Older People Strategy & the Safer Communities Campaign
Continued engagement with individuals and victim groups.
Continued liaison with Family Liaison Groups.

An Garda Síochána

On going

Garda Victim Service Office, Crumlin Station, liaise directly with victims of crime, providing follow up support and advice and keeping victims of crime fully informed.

Community Policing Gardai visit the elderly in their homes, at social gatherings and make telephone contact also. Visits to vulnerable victims of crime also takes place.

Five information days and two Garda clinics performed in Division SC focussing on elderly and vulnerable residents.

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Work together to promote safe cycling & traffic safety in the city

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Ensure that major events proceed with minimum disruption to business and movement in the city</p>	<p>Continue to work in partnership in relation to the management of planned and unplanned events in the South East Area</p>	<p>Dublin City Council & An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>Garda planning of major events takes place in partnership with relevant agencies aimed at minimising disruption for communities, commercial interests and the motoring public.</p> <p>High Profile International Sporting Events take place at AVIVA Stadium and also the RDS. All events are risk assessed and collaboration with all stakeholders ensured that all events completed without incident. Events Offices continually liaise with DCC Events Unit to manage all planned events.</p>
<p>Work together to promote safe cycling in the city</p>	<p>Road Safety Awareness Programmes held in schools</p>	<p>Dublin City Council & An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>The Fixed Charge Penalty Notice System for dealing with offending cyclists is being utilised.</p> <p>Locations where errant cyclists cause hazards for motorists / pedestrians continues to be targeted by Gardai so as to ensure high visibility enforcement of the Road Traffic Legislation applicable to cyclists.</p> <p>"Safe Cycling" is promoted during Garda school visits and reflective yellow jackets / lighting are issued to cyclists to enhance awareness of "safe cycling".</p> <p>Road safety advice, with particular regard to promoting safe cycling, is promoted at Garda clinics and schools including the distribution of 100 high-viz vests to school children.</p>

Create safer and more peaceful local communities by working together to promote public order and reduce anti-social behaviour in the South East Area

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
Dublin City Council and An Garda Síochána to continue to work in partnership in relation to the management of Events in the South East Area	An Garda Síochána and South East Area staff involved in the consultation process of all events in the area.	Dublin City Council & An Garda Síochána	On going	An Garda Síochána work in partnership with Dublin City Council and other relevant agencies when planning for events affecting the South East Area so as to ensure minimal inconvenience for residential communities, commercial interests, public service vehicle operators and motorists generally to ensure all events are well managed and without negative incident.
Continue to implement bye-laws and existing legislation to combat drinking on open spaces and in public places throughout the area	<p>Stringent application by An Garda Síochána is applied where large crowds gather particularly on event days (concerts, matches etc).</p> <p>Continued liaison with the licensed trade and those involved in the management of the night time economy</p>	An Garda Síochána	On going	<p>Relevant legislation is vigorously enforced to combat the consumption of alcohol in public places and also at events attracting large crowds.</p> <p>Local On/Off Liquor Licensing Premises inspected frequently to ensure compliance with legislation; Licensees are reminded of their obligations to ensure the responsible sale of alcohol.</p> <p>Late night extension applications are thoroughly vetted by a Garda Sergeant in advance of court hearings to ensure justification of applications. Garda event plans include provisions to mitigate this.</p>

HIGH PRIORITY OBJECTIVE 2 – CRIME PREVENTION

(An Garda Síochána Policing Plan – Goal 3)

To keep under review the levels and patterns of crime, disorder and antisocial behaviour and the factors underlying and contributing to the levels of crime, disorder and anti-social behaviour in the South East Area

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Reduce property crimes such as burglaries, thefts and robberies</p> <p>Page 42</p>	<p>Crime "hotspots" targeted</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>"Operation Crossover" continues to be implemented and is designed to provide high visibility operational policing in targeting and disrupting criminals.</p> <p>"Operation Thor" continues to be implemented and is designed to target and disrupt criminals involved in committing burglaries and other forms of criminality.</p> <p>"Garda Days of Action" continue to be implemented and are designed to arrest wanted criminals, conduct searches of properties and provide high visibility operational policing / traffic policing in communities.</p> <p>The Divisional "Burglary Response Unit" is performing intensive patrolling of residential communities daily aimed at preventing burglaries and other forms of criminality.</p> <p>The services of An Garda Síochána Analysts are utilised to assist in identifying "crime hot spots" and highlight unfavourable crime trends emerging so as to facilitate the implementation of an appropriate tactical Garda response.</p> <p>19-26 September Supporting Safer Communities, with the focus on Burglary Prevention.</p>

<p>Identify individual “hot spots” including laneways in the area in the context of anti- social behaviour.</p>	<p>Regular monitoring of “hotspots” including laneways is carried out by the Gardaí and Dublin City Council on an ongoing basis.</p>	<p>Dublin City Council & An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>Gardai deal sternly with offenders who engage in anti -social behaviour by way of Prosecution / Adult Caution Scheme or the Juvenile Diversion Programme.</p> <p>Garda Mountain Bike patrolling takes place in parks, laneways etc. to prevent anti-social behaviour/consumption of alcohol. 4 Gardaí to be trained for Mountain Bike patrols, October 2017.</p> <p>Operation Irene continues to target public order hot-spot including Ringsend Park /South Docks to reduce public order incidents and street drinking. The use of the City Centre Public Order Unit at weekends will continue.</p>
<p>The Local Authority & An Garda Síochána to develop ways of local collaboration to reduce incidents of particular crime</p>	<p>Promote the pilot pedal cycle registration scheme which is in operation in the E & D districts in an effort to thwart stolen bikes being circulated and to facilitate the return of “found” bikes to owners by the Gardaí.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>The pilot pedal cycle registration scheme is still being evaluated in the “E” District to determine its effectiveness.</p> <p>Thefts of pedal cycles in Division stand at 395 so far this year, representing a decrease of 12% in comparison to 2016.</p> <p>Thefts of pedal cycles in Rathmines decreased from 113 in 2016 to 80 in 2017 – a 29% reduction.</p> <p>Thefts of pedal cycles in Sundrive decreased from 66 in 2016 to 40 in 2017 – a 39% reduction.</p> <p>Operation Chain is focussed on bike thefts, with 27 bait bikes deployed in hot-spot areas. 16 arrests made under this operation during the quarter.</p> <p>Bike registration cards circulated at Garda Clinics to promote accurate details of pedal cycles.</p>

<p>To utilise a partnership approach to the removal of graffiti in the South East Area.</p>	<p>Ongoing liaison between Dublin City Council and the Gardaí.</p> <p>Evidence provided by Dublin City Council to An Garda Síochána in relation to graffiti incidents where relevant.</p>	<p>Dublin City Council & An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>There was a total of 2800 sq. metres of graffiti removed throughout the South East area by the DCC appointed contractor in the year to the end of September 2017 .</p> <p>Graffiti continues to be removed by individual traders and residents, traders groups and community / resident groups throughout the area and also by DCC Waste Management and other DCC departments .</p> <p>This issue continues to be given priority and all Gardai remain alert for this form of criminality while patrolling and liaise with relevant councils in having graffiti removed from public buildings.</p> <p>1 report of graffiti painting on a vehicle made to Rathmines Station in 2017 and 2 reports of graffiti painting (2 vehicles and 1 business premises) were made to Sundrive Road Station in 2017.</p>
<p>Elimination of incidents of illegal dumping in the South East Area</p>	<p>Monitoring of litter black spots</p> <p>Enforcement of relevant legislation</p>	<p>Dublin City Council</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>From 15/6/17 to 30/9/17, the South East Area Office received 506 complaints in relation to illegal dumping in the area.</p> <p>500 complaints have been closed with 6 left open for investigation.</p>

<p>Continue to enforce the Criminal Justice Public Order Act 2011 (Begging Legislation) to combat begging in the area.</p>	<p>Continued Garda Enforcement.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>All patrolling Gardai are mindful of the public nuisance caused by people engaged in street begging and are constantly targeting, disrupting and discouraging those who engage in this practice especially in the vicinity of financial institutions and shopping outlets where the practice is most acute.</p> <p>Operation Pier has been strengthened recently in the Pearse Street District with the allocation of additional Gardaí. This dedicated unit will continue to focus on the application of Begging Legislation.</p>
<p>Provide Estate Management Statistics in relation to anti-social behaviour complaints in Dublin City Council complexes</p>	<p>Statistics provided for Quarterly meetings</p>	<p>Dublin City Council</p>	<p>Quarterly</p>	<p>From the period 8th June 2017, to October 2017, 227 complaints were received.</p> <p>These are broken down as follows:</p> <p>No. Anti-Social Complaints per 1997 Act - drug related was 30.</p> <p>No. Anti-Social Complaints per 1997 Act - not drug related was 47.</p> <p>No. Other Complaints (nuisance) was 150.</p> <p>No. of Interviews was 21.</p> <p>No. of Complaints dealt with by Housing Managers & Project Estate Officers in person or by phone was 38.</p>

To reduce the levels of anti-social behaviour in public parks, open spaces and on beaches by improving co-ordination between An Garda Síochána, Dublin City Council and community representatives

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Establish regular liaison between An Garda Síochána and Dublin City Council to address factors contributing to anti- social behaviour in public parks and open spaces</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 46</p>	<p>Regular meetings held between Dublin City Council & An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>Dublin City Council & An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>Ongoing liaison with DCC, An Garda Síochána and all stakeholders in an effort to reduce anti-social behaviour in parks.</p> <p>High visibility Garda Mountain Bike Patrols and uniform foot patrols are performed in communities, public parks and open spaces aimed at ensuring that anti social behaviour / loitering does not occur.</p> <p>Complaints of anti social behaviour occurring in communities, parks and open spaces are promptly responded to by patrolling Gardai and offenders are sternly dealt with – a “No Nonsense Approach” is adopted at all times.</p> <p>Divisional Crime Prevention Office visited Ringsend Park and carried out an assessment which has been submitted to DCC and discussed at the Ringsend Safety Forum.</p> <p>Furthermore, as issues arise focussed Garda operations are implemented, as was the case in St Stephens Green and Merrion Square recently.</p>

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>To support the use of sport as an effective tool in engaging young people at risk of drug misuse into more structured and positive activities</p>	<p>Co-ordinate and implement sustainable sporting programmes for young people of the South East Area</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána & Dublin City Council</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>The Community Policing Unit and the Juvenile Liaison Officer frequently interact with schools / clubs / parents in an effort to encourage the youth to participate in sporting activities to divert them from straying into a criminal path.</p> <p>This work continues throughout the Pearse Street & Donnybrook District.</p> <p>A number of participants from the Spellman Centre (Ringsend & District Response to Drugs) visited Larch Hill Scout Camp throughout the Summer. They completed a number of activities & challenges with the overall aim of achieving the Gaisce Award.</p>
<p>To continue to work in partnership with schools, community groups and centres to increase access for young people to sports and recreational facilities in the South East Area.</p>	<p>To provide sports programmes using city council facilities and facilities provided by other organisations. This is achieved by the continuing co-ordination of partnership programmes in the South East Area.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána & Dublin City Council</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>The Community Policing Gardai/Juvenile Liaison Officers interact with schools / clubs / parents in an effort to encourage the youth into participating in meaningful recreational and educational / activities. The Juvenile Diversion Programme emphasises to juveniles and parents the benefits of participating in educational / and recreational activities.</p> <p>Get Going Get Rowing This is a 4/6 week school's programme for girls (second level). Rowing Ireland provide rowing machines and a community coach to the schools also supported by Healthy Ireland, Active School Flag & Trinity College.</p> <p>Tag Rugby Sessions The Secondary Programmes will commence with tag sessions for TY students, eventually leading to full contact 7 or 10-a-side matches. This transition will occur once participants have familiarised themselves with the rules, skills & tackling technique etc required to be able to play the game in a safe manner.</p>

<p>Support the work of the Garda Juvenile Diversion Programme, the City of Dublin Youth Services Board, the South East Area Sports Development Officer, National Governing Bodies, School Completion Coordinator, Local Drugs Task Force and Local Community Groups .</p>	<p>Identify priority groups through effective communication with the relevant organisations. Implement partnership programmes between the Sports Development Officer and the relevant groups.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána & Dublin City Council.</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>This work continues throughout the Districts.</p> <p>The Juvenile Liaison Officer implements the Garda Juvenile Diversion Programme aimed at supporting juveniles who misbehave and thus minimise risks of repeat offending and supports them in deviating from a criminal path into law abiding citizens.</p> <p>The Garda Schools Programme continues to be implemented by the Community Policing Gardai, to support the youth from straying into a criminal path and highlighting the importance of remaining law abiding citizens.</p> <p>Provincial Cricket Sessions - A number of players aged (9-18) from the Sandymount/Ringsend area have participated with the provincial teams who have training sessions and cricket tours during the summer months. These sessions take place on a weekly basis at different venues in the Dublin City area.</p>
<p>To liaise with National Government Bodies in coordinating sports programmes .</p>	<p>Regular communication with National Government Bodies</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána & Dublin City Council</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>This work is continuing throughout the Districts.</p> <p>The Boxing Development Officer for the area has now commenced the rollout of a five week 'Startbox Bronze' programme in various Primary and Secondary schools in the SE area.</p> <p>The Boxing Development Officer will also be working with Roslyn Park College (for people with learning difficulties) and the Spellman Centre (for people with addiction issues) between September and Christmas.</p>

HIGH PRIORITY OBJECTIVE 3 –PROMOTING THE BENEFITS OF DIVERSITY WITHIN THE COMMUNITY

(Lord Mayors Commission on Anti-Social Behaviour & South East Area JPC)

To work together to promote the positive benefits of diversity within the community

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Promote Garda Services and the role of the Garda Ethnic Liaison Officers to make migrant communities aware of the Garda Intercultural and Diversity Office to encourage them to report crimes including racist incidents</p>	<p>Support community organisations to help promote good relationships between different communities and to establish links between immigrant communities and the Gardaí and facilitate and promote the appropriate reporting of racist incidents.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>All Gardai, especially Community Policing Gardai, randomly interact with immigrant communities and reassure them of our commitment to ensure their wellbeing.</p> <p>Complaints made to the Gardai from members of immigrant communities who allege wrongdoing are thoroughly vetted so as to ensure racism was not a motivating factor in the cause of complaint.</p> <p>The services available at the Garda Racial, Intercultural and Diversity Office are at our disposal and readily available whenever required for the benefit immigrant communities.</p> <p>District Ethnic Liaison Officers are appointed and readily available to assist immigrant communities and continue to support them and encourage them to report any such crime.</p> <p>Garda clinics continue to operate in Hatch Hall and RCSI promoting Garda ELO officers.</p>

HIGH PRIORITY OBJECTIVE 4 - WORK TOGETHER TO IMPROVE THE PERFORMANCE OF THE SOUTH EAST AREA JPC

(South East Area JPC)

To enhance the structure and relationship between the Joint Policing Subcommittee and the Community Safety Fora

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Enhance the structure and relationship between the Joint Policing Subcommittee and the Community Safety Fora</p> <p>Review & evaluate the effectiveness of JPC and CSF structures with the objective of improving performance.</p>	<p>Quarterly meetings of South East Area JPC Steering Committee to review and evaluate performance of JPC</p> <p>Bi- annual meetings with the Steering Committee and CSF representatives</p>	<p>JPC Steering Committee</p>	<p>Quarterly</p>	<p>No issues formally referred to JPC in Quarter 3.</p> <p>Ringsend/Irishtown CSF met on Thursday 28th September 2017.</p>



South East Area Joint Policing Subcommittee Annual Work Plan Quarter 3 - General Updates



Comhairle Cathrach
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Dublin City Council

Halloween

❑ Dublin City Council has adopted a co-ordinated approach to promote a safe and enjoyable Halloween and to minimise the impact of Halloween activities specifically with regard to the environmental and social consequences of illegal bonfires and fireworks.

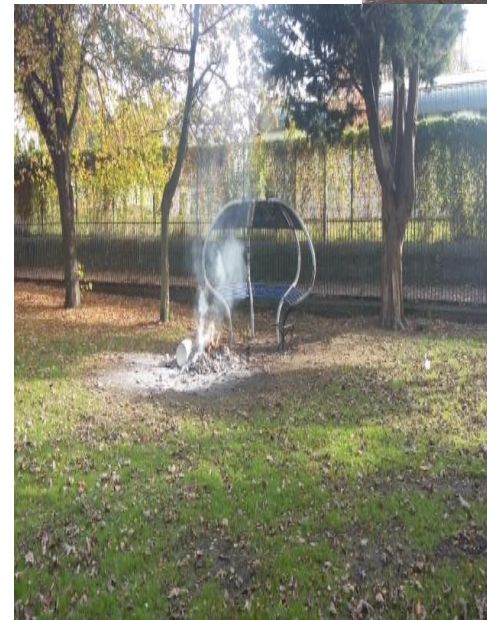
❑ Key elements of the **Halloween Action Plan 2017** include:

- Safety Campaigns run by the Gardaí and Dublin Fire Brigade in schools.
- Enforcement Activities including waste audits of tyre retail businesses
- Cooperation with An Garda Síochána
- Liaison with local community organisations and representatives
- Out of hours Rapid Response callout service
- 24 hour customer service facility.

❑ Teams made up of Area staff, Housing, Parks and Waste Management staff will work in conjunction with the local community representatives together with An Garda Síochána across flat and housing complexes, open green spaces, parks and derelict sites to ensure that stockpiles of bonfire materials are removed in the lead up to Halloween to avoid the risk of serious injury or damage to our environment.

❑ A new Halloween festival for Ringsend, Irishtown and the Docklands, has lots of fun workshops, entertainment, walkabouts and historical tours right across the villages with a Dockers and Demons Parade starting at 6.30pm followed by a party. Dublin City Council and all our partners and associates are proud to bring this new artistic and cultural celebration of Oíche Samhna for all ages and all the family for 2017.

❑ Other events include Halloween Market in Terenure, Sandymount Scarecrow and Pumpkin Festival and Souls of Donnybrook as well as the Bram Stoker Festival.



Community Development and the Probation Services

❑ Dublin City Council South East Area's Community Development and Public Domain sections worked with the Department of Justice and Probation Services to engage young men in the probation system in community cleaning-work in the area.

❑ A number of trouble and black spots where litter, weeds and overgrowth have been ongoing problems were identified, and a number of local groups and Tidy Town Associations were approached.

❑ Over the summer months, teams worked on a number of projects along the coast line, along Sandymount promenade and the car parking areas, in Ringsend Park, Cleann na Gael and Sean Moore Park and also along Sean Moore Road and Strand Road.

❑ The work carried out has been an important assistance to the environmental improvement of these areas while assisting in the rehabilitation of the men involved.

❑ Attached are some before and after shots from work carried out at Sean Moore Park.



