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Lambeth Crime End of Year Crime Data

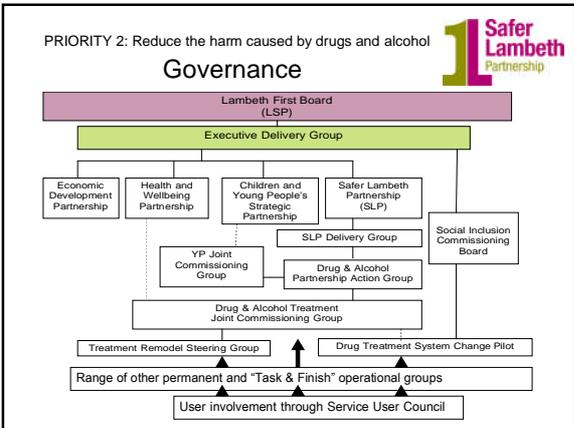
| Compared to previous year | | |
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| Most Serious Violence | 28 fewer offences | (624) |
| Robbery | 230 more offences | (2411) |
| Burglary (residential) | 265 more offences | (2869) |
| Motor vehicle crime | 114 fewer offences | (3317) |
| Knife crime | 29 more offences | (691) |
| Gun crime | 69 more offences | (278) |
| Serious Youth Violence | 30 more offences | (351) |
| Domestic Violence | 173 fewer offences | (1901) |
| Racist & Religious Hate offences | 24 fewer offences | (304) |
| Homophobic crime | 31 more offences | (98) |



Community Police Consultative Group
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Drugs & Alcohol Overview

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D&A PAG
2010-11 Action Plan
 Headlines



1. Re-commission drug and alcohol treatment services with a renewed focus on improved recovery and social integration
2. Reduce drug-related re-offending
3. Continue to develop services that prevent harm to children, young people and families affected by drug misuse
4. Reduce street-based prostitution
5. Reduce alcohol-related antisocial behaviour
6. Contribute to the development of an Integrated Offender Management scheme (DIP/SCP; PPO & Diamond Schemes)
7. Improve public perceptions, complementing the work on Building Public Confidence across the Safer Lambeth Partnership
 - includes disruption of drugs markets, reducing drug-related anti-social behaviour, aligning enforcement and communications accordingly



Remodelling Lambeth's Drug and Alcohol Treatment System

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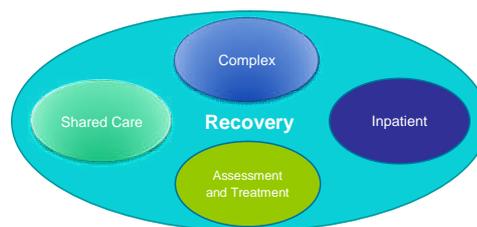
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What is the Remodel?



- Integration all specialist drug and alcohol treatment services into a single system of care
- Making achievable cost savings
- Putting service users, carers and families at the heart of the change
- Negotiating the change with our existing services
- Building on what works and creating new opportunities for improvement eg: Brighton Terrace

The New Drug and Alcohol Treatment System



- Single Assessment
- All Drugs and Alcohol
- Increased options
- Focused on psychosocial
- No organisational boundaries

Added benefits



- 25% Increase in treatment slots
- Easier access to treatment via a single assessment process
- More 'out of hours' support available
- More personalised care
- Increased access to support for Legal, Housing, Employment, Training and Educational advice
- Better access to primary health care

The Service User experience

- We have a history of being at the heart of service change – LHH, service user involvement.
- Drug users often seen in a negative way
- Treatment is our priority
- Service users are central to this new development
- The future is bright



How will we measure success

- Success at an individual level – Improved health, wellbeing, reduced offending
- Success at a service level – Higher quality, same standards of care for all, better value for Money, New ways of working
- Success at a community level – contribution to reduce offending and ASB, improving community health & wellbeing, unlocking unrecognised potential

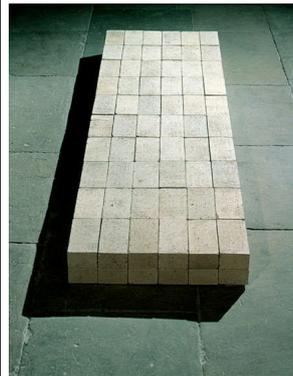


Recovery and Reintegration

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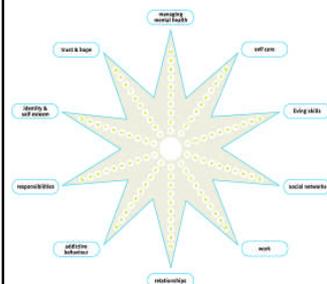


“Substance dependence is a complex disorder with biological mechanisms affecting the brain and it’s capacity to control substance use. It is not only determined by biological and genetic factors, but psychological, social, cultural and environmental factors as well. Currently, there are no means of identifying those who will become dependant – either before or after they start using substances. Substance dependence is *not* a failure of will or of strength of character but a medical disorder that could affect any human being. Dependence is a chronic and relapsing disorder, often co-occurring with other physical and mental conditions.”
World Health Organisation

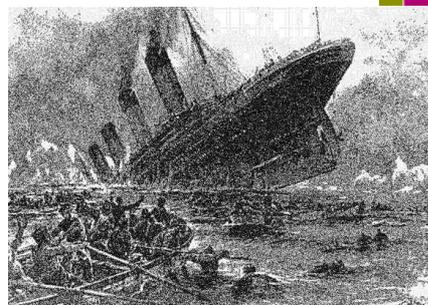


- Early recovery focus – strengths based assessments
- Professionals on tap – not on top
- Peer support networks
- Housing
- Family engagement and support
- Interventions to foster life purpose and meaning; vocational and education opportunities and address issues that undermine this potential
- Assertive approaches to continuing care (5 years + recovery checkups)

Recovery Star



MENTAL HEALTH FORUM
VOLUNTARY AGENCIES WORKING TOGETHER TO IMPROVE MENTAL HEALTH



Alcohol in Lambeth

CPCG 11th May

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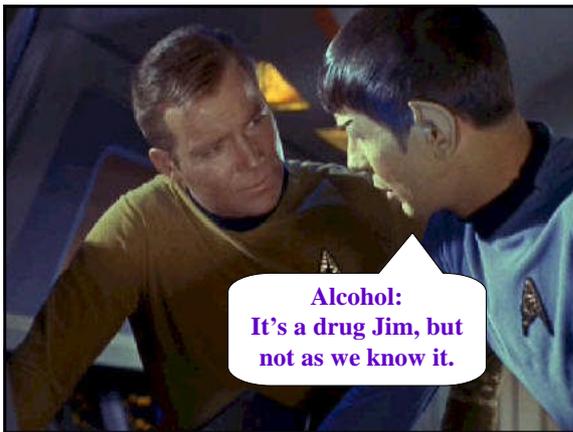
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Drug & Alcohol PAG - Alcohol

- Work with partners to deliver *Lambeth local alcohol harm reduction strategy*.

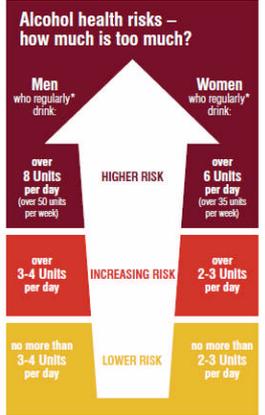
Key themes are:

- Crime and disorder
- Licensing
- Health and treatment
- Children and young people



Recommended guidelines

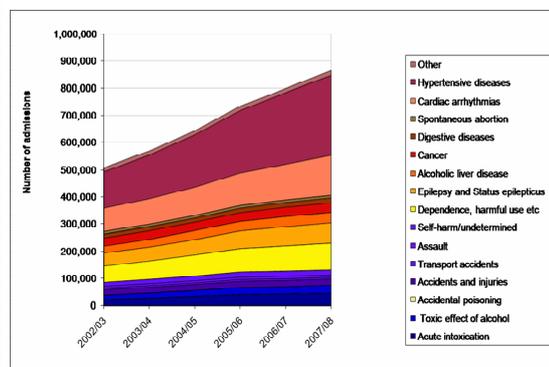
- MEN**
Should not regularly drink more than 3-4 units a day
- WOMEN**
Should not regularly drink more than 2-3 units a day
- PREGNANT WOMEN**
Avoid alcohol altogether
Never more than 1-2 units once or twice a week



Alcohol is a toxic and dependence producing drug

- Acute effects
 - Highly variable
 - Pleasure, relaxation
 - Impaired judgement, coordination, balance
 - Mood effects
 - Argumentativeness and aggression
 - Drowsiness
 - Impaired consciousness
 - Coma, respiratory depression and death
- Chronic effects
 - Toxic effects on organs
 - Over 60 diseases
 - Psychiatric disorders
 - Foetal alcohol effects
 - Psychoactive effects: alcohol dependence
 - 3rd leading cause of disability after tobacco and hypertension
 - No universally “safe” level

Alcohol-related hospital admissions



What have we done?

- Controlled Drinking Zone to reduce anti-social street drinking
- Regular test purchasing operations
- Worked with Licensed premises to develop best practice
- Local campaigns and communications to raise awareness
- Development of treatment services

What next?

Improving alcohol prevention & treatment pathways



- Treatment re-modelling will better integrate substance misuse approaches
- Improve earlier identification and prevention



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Information and advice on alcohol

- www.nhs.uk/drinking
- Drinkline 0800 917 8282
- Foundation 66 (Lambeth)
0207 737 3363
- Or see your GP



Drug Treatment System Change Pilot

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George Porter

Overview



National Drug Strategy 2008: commitment to develop new approaches at strategic level

- Two year pilot (7 sites – Lambeth is only one in London)
- Funding freedoms and flexibilities
- Improved outcomes through enhanced case management
- Social re-integration prioritised

Lambeth's Vision



To improve outcomes for drug using offenders (community & prison)

- Be healthy
- Be safe (reducing offending)
- Enjoy, achieve and make a positive contribution
- Attain economic wellbeing

Drivers for change



- Better engagement in treatment & “recovery” for drug-driven offenders
- Streamlined performance management
- Personalisation of support services
- Service user voice:
 - Person-centred approach
 - Peer support and mentoring
 - Clearer client pathway

Key features of our pil



- Main elements:
 - Partnership Agreement
 - Client-centred outcomes-based commissioning
 - Enhanced case management supported by accredited peer mentoring (End2End)
 - Lead provider (RAPt)
 - Cross-borough partnership working

