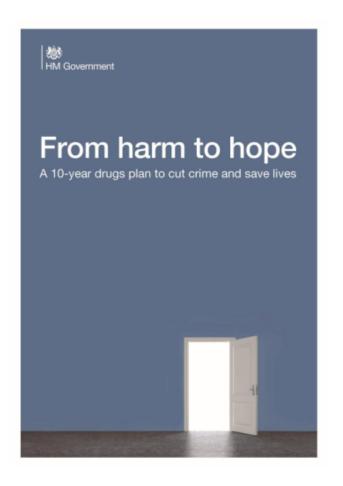
# **Combatting Drugs Partnership**

Health and Wellbeing Board Update 29/03/23



# **National 10 Year Drug Strategy**



- Break drug supply chains
- Deliver a world class treatment and recovery system
- Achieve a shift in the demand for drugs

## **Timeline**

Dec 2021

National Drug
Strategy - From
harm to hope: A 10year plan to cut
crime and save lives

April 2022

Supplemental
Substance Misuse
Treatment and
Recovery Grant
2022-25

Sept 2022

Rotherham
Combatting Drugs
Partnership
established

## **National Outcomes**

By the end of 2024/25 we expect this whole-of-government mission to have:

- prevented nearly 1,000 deaths
- delivered expansion of treatment capacity
- contributed to the prevention of 750,000 crimes
- closed over 2,000 more county
- delivered 6,400 major and moderate disruptions of activities of organised criminals,
- significantly increased removal of criminal assets,

# National Combatting Drugs Outcomes Framework

National Combating Drugs Outcomes Framework Our ambition: a safer, healthier and more productive society by combating illicit drugs			
What we will deliver for citizens (strategic outcomes)	Measured by:		
Reducing drug use	<ul> <li>the proportion of the population reporting drug use in the last year (reported by age)</li> <li>prevalence of opiate and/or crack cocaine use</li> </ul>		
Reducing drug-related crime	<ul> <li>the number of drug-related homicides</li> <li>the number of neighbourhood crimes</li> </ul>		
Reducing drug-related deaths and harm	<ul> <li>deaths related to drug misuse</li> <li>hospital admissions for drug poisoning and drug-related mental health and behavioural disorders (primary diagnosis of selected drugs)</li> </ul>		
What will help us deliver this (intermediate outcomes)	Measured by:		
Reducing drug supply	the number of county lines closed     the number of moderate and major disruptions against organised criminals		
Increasing engagement in drug treatment	<ul> <li>the numbers in treatment (both adults and young people, reported by opiate and crack users, other drugs, and alcohol)</li> <li>continuity of care – engagement with treatment within three weeks of leaving prison</li> </ul>		
Improving drug recovery outcomes	<ul> <li>the proportion who are in stable accommodation and who have completed treatment, are drug-free in treatment, or have sustained reduction in drug use</li> <li>Key additional components integral to recovery include housing, mental health, and employment</li> </ul>		

# Rotherham Outcomes by end of 2024/25

- 440 additional adults in treatment, 25 young people in treatment
- Increase continuity of care between prison discharge and engagement in treatment to 75%
- 38 additional people to attend residential rehab in 2024/25

## **National Governance**

Prime Minister government Central Secretaries of State and Combating Drugs Minister Drugs strategy departments\* and the Joint Combating Drugs Unit Senior Responsible Owner Combating Drugs Partnership recommended core members People affected National Substance by drug harm Probation misuse Service treatment providers Elected Local Jobcentre members authority Police Secure Plus (e.g. councillors, officials estate mayors) (prisons, NHS ŸOls) **PCCs** MoJ sector Home Office sector DLUHC sector DHSC sector DWP sector External

Working together for delivery of the National Combating Drugs Outcomes Framework

## The Ask of Local Places

Work with central government support to update and improve

Review progress against plan and local outcomes by end of April 2023

Partnership geography, membership and local SRO agreed by partners by 1 August 2022

Delivery plan

and performance framework developed

across supply, demand, treatment and recovery by end of December

2022

New local multi-agency partnership terms of reference and governance agreed by end of September 2022

**Partners** carry out joint assessment of local evidence, data and need by end of November

2022

- ✓ Established CDP including geography, core membership, SRO and additional roles
- ✓ Agreed Terms of Reference
- ✓ Needs Assessment
- ✓ Draft Action Plan created/in development

## **Combatting Drugs Partnerships**

Guidance for Local Delivery Partners document set out how local partners in England should work together to reduce drug-related harm and join up across sectors and a framework for local drugs strategy partnerships referred to as Combatting Drugs Partnerships



# Rotherham Combatting Drugs Partnership

#### **Aims**

- Work together to understand the local population and how drugs and alcohol are causing harm in your area
- Identify challenges in the system and the changes needed to address them
- Identify, consider and/or support external funding opportunities to enhance or increase the partnership's ability to deliver its responsibilities and objectives.
- Complete the key tasks below as set out by the Joint Combatting Drugs Unit

## **CDP Needs Assessment**

- Drug and Alcohol Health Needs Assessment (HNA), 2022
- Drug and alcohol covid impact assessment (in progress)
- Rotherham Drug Market Profile, 2022
- SRP updates
- Management of Risk in Law Enforcement Documents
  - Drug markets and drug misuse MoRiLE rationale document
  - Country lines non scored document
  - OCG MoRilE Rationale Document
  - Vulnerable adults non scored document
  - Alcohol misuse non scored document
- Family Hub Needs Assessment (in progress)
- National Programme on Substance Abuse Deaths (NPSAD) data (awaiting)
- Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment 2022
- Existing inspection reports
  - CGL 2022 CQC report

## **Needs Assessment Highlights**

- Successful completion of drug treatment is lower than national average
- Within Rotherham there are 4 Organised Crime Groups (OCGs) that are believed to be actively involved in County Lines activity.
- There were 708 recorded drug offences in Rotherham for 2020-2021
- Community engagement told us that families are concerned about young people being drawn into drug taking
- Feelings of safety surveys identify drug and alcohol misuse as reasons people feel unsafe in public spaces
- The majority of service users also have a mental health need
- Alcohol/Substance Misuse is one of ten top presenting needs for early help
- The majority of service users were not in employment at the time of presentation
- There is a high unmet need for services, particularly alcohol misuse

## **Action Plan Development**

#### Dec 2022

#### World Café style Action Planning Workshop:

- 1. What actions contributing to the outcomes are already being delivered and how they are funded,
- 2. What additional actions are required to enhance delivery in Rotherham



#### Jan 2023

Workshop write up and draft plan circulated to partners for further input and comment



#### Feb 2023

Updated plan reviewed by CDP board

#### Partners consulted included:

SYP		
TRFT		
ICB		
RDASH		
Probation		
PCC		
CGL		
We Are With You		
Community Safety		
Youth Justice		
Regulatory Services		
Public Health		
Commissioning		

## **Action Plan Structure**



pursue to reduce drug supply and related crime and bring perpetrators to justice

Protect

to protect those in treatment and recovery, their families and the wider community

Prevent

to stop individuals becoming involved in drugs and support recovery and reduce harm when they do

to build community resilience to reduce the Prepare impact of drug harm

## **Action Plan Summary**

#### Prepare

- Facilitate improved information sharing including with IT systems
- Equip workers by providing education for professionals
- Develop Combatting Drugs Communications and Engagement Strategy

#### Prevent

- Develop continuity of care in criminal justice pathway
- Develop whole family approach
- Develop wider support offer and capacity for increased numbers for alcohol and drugs treatment/support

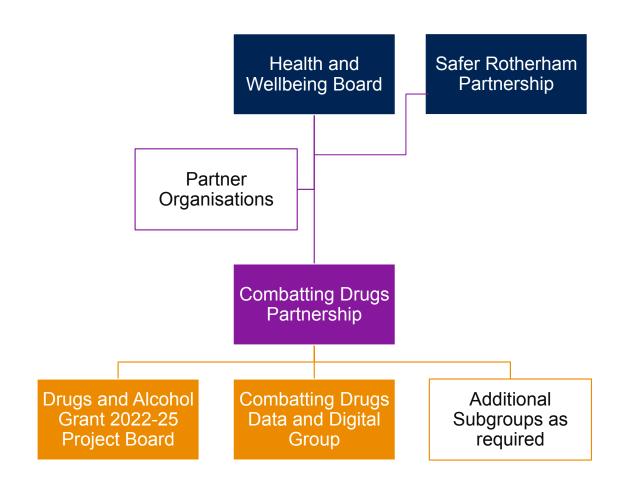
#### Protect

- Develop and deliver Harm Reduction offer and Recovery pathway
- Reduce drug related deaths
- Implement dual diagnosis pathways and improved psychological support.

#### Pursue

- Continue effective pursue response working with partners
- Develop focus on county lines/ exploitation of children in line with child exploitation strategy
- Disrupt organised crime

### Rotherham CDP Governance



# Ask of the Health and Wellbeing Board

- Note the progress on establishing the CDP and developing the action plan
- Receive an annual progress report against the action plan
- Note the CDP Governance structure and support the CDP to overcome barriers, blockers and risks as necessary in conjunction with the Safer Rotherham Partnership

# **Appendices**

# Rotherham CDP Core membership

Rotherham Borough Elected	Councillor David Roche	Cabinet member for Adult Social Care and Health
Members	Councillor Saghir Alam	Cabinet member for Corporate Services, Community Safety and
		Finance
Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council	Ben Anderson	Director of Public Health
	Anne Charlesworth	Head of Commissioning
	Jessica Brooks	Public Health Specialist
	Sam Barstow	Assistant Director Community Safety and Streetscene
	Helen Sweaton	Assistant Director Commissioning, Quality and Performance, CYPS
	Andrew Wells	Head of service, safeguarding and mental health
	Laura Gough	Head of safeguarding, CYPS
Substance Misuse Treatment	Lucy Harrison	CGL Director
Providers	Raj Ubhi	CGL Director
	Lisa Pidd	WithYou Contract Manager
South Yorkshire police	Laura Koscikiewicz	Chief Superintendent/District Commander
Police and Crime Commissioner	Marie Carroll	Partnerships & Commissioning Manager
Probation service Yorkshire and Humber	Julie Odusanya	Head of Service (R&BPDU)
	Steven Brookes	Health and Justice Partnership Co-ordinator
NHS Strategic leads	Chris Edwards	Deputy Chief Executive ICB & Executive Place Director Rotherham
	Ray Hennessy	Head of Strategy RDASH
	Osman Cohan	Chief Pharmacist TRFT
	Andy Davies	GP representative, LMC
Jobcentre Plus	Kim Richardson	Partnerships Manager DWP
	Amanda Bush	Customer service lead for Rotherham Centre