

Community Policing Model and Control Strategy

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Community Policing Model

Panel

- Nick Mawson, Inspector local Neighbourhood Policing Team
- James Brain, Inspector Community Policing Team
- Mark Hough, Community Manager
- Michael Roberts, Town Councillor, Bradford On Avon

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Background

- Austerity. Diminishing Police budgets
- Service to the public under pressure
- A requirement to do things differently

- A systems thinking review
- Highlighted better ways of working

- A “One team” approach
- Local resources retained / enhanced
- More effective briefing / tasking / deployment

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Key benefits:

- One team approach – Neighbourhood Policing Teams, Response Teams, Local Crime Investigators, Call takers
- Better demand management
- Less tasking to other departments – greater “ownership”
- Start to finish investigation utilising multi skilled team
- Individual point of contact for victims / witnesses
- Upskill Police Officers and staff
- Local Policing coverage 24/7
- More Police units locally based to respond to immediate calls
- Preservation of local officer knowledge
- Retention of local Community/Police contacts

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Key risks:

- We don't get it right
- “Problem solving” and partnership working aspects of Policing not prioritised
- Lack of communication
- Remote working functionality and availability
- Key principles of the model not followed:
 - Deploy to operational areas immediately
 - Effective briefing and tasking
 - Effective Supervision

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Current situation:

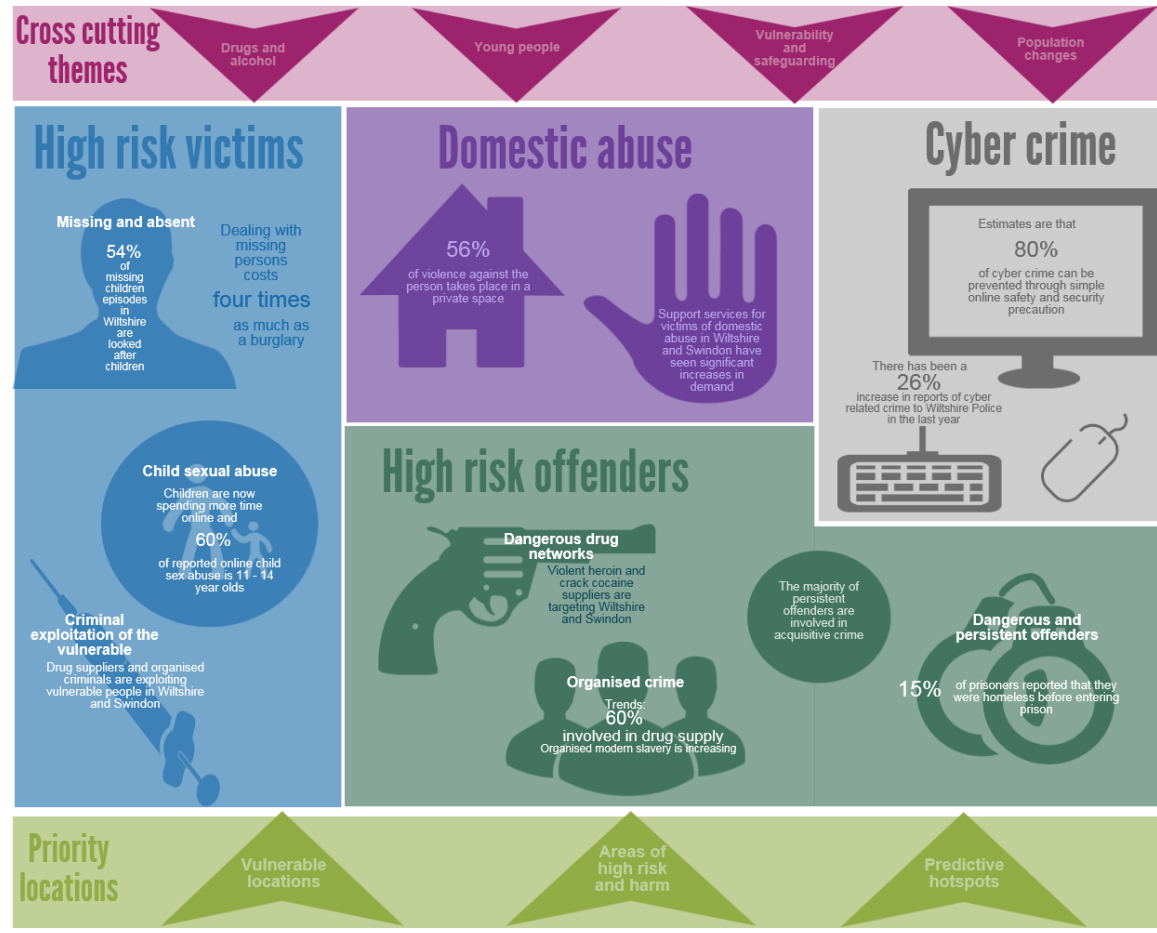
- Trialled in Trowbridge/Warminster area
- Pilot area review
- Demand profiling being completed
- Consultation yet to commence
- Planned delivery Forcewide summer/autumn 2016

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Control Strategy

Key points:

- Control Strategy agreed in consultation with Wiltshire Council
- Focuses on areas of greatest threat, risk and harm
- Allows better tasking of resources across the Force
- Control Strategy activity does not require 100% of Police focus
- Local Priorities still to be actioned

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Questions?

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