Safer Stockton Partnership

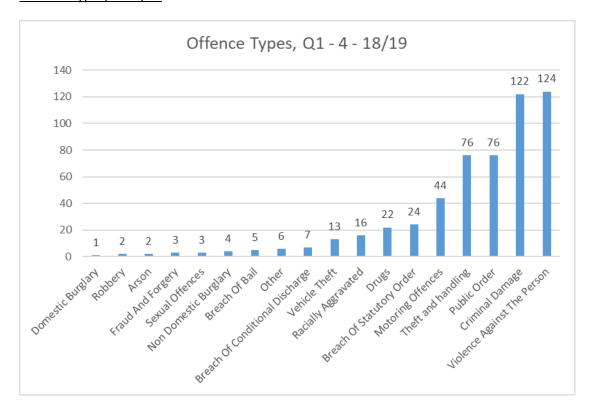
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# **YOT Partnership Performance 2018/19**

#### **Local Youth Crime**

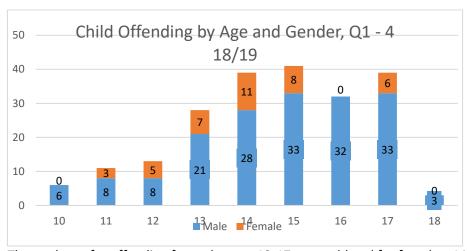
1. In 2018/19, there have been outcomes for 550 offences committed by 212 10-17-year olds; 2.6 offences per child.

### 2. <u>Offence Types, 2018/19</u>:



- 3. The majority of offences were Violence (22.5%), Criminal Damage (22%), Public Order (14%) and Theft & Handling (14%). This has been the trend for several years, although there have been some reductions in Violence offences and a reduction in motoring, sexual and drugs offences.
- 4. Of the 212 children committing an offence, in 2018/19, 172 were male and 40 female (81% and 19%). 6% of offences were committed by BME children and those with an Unknown Category.

### 5. Ages:



The peak age for offending for males was 13-17 years old and for females, 14 and 17 years old

# Youth Justice Throughput:

roughput Data Apr - Mar 18			18	Apr - Mar 19		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Community Resolution	52	23	75	57	21	78
1st Youth Caution, Youth Caution and any 2nd/Subsequent Youth Caution	18	10	28	23	4	27
Diversionary Intervention/Triage	36	7	43	41	17	58
Youth Conditional Caution	20	2	22	13	1	14
Bail Supervision and Support	0	0	0	1	0	1
ISS Bail	2	0	2	0	0	0
PSR's	9	1	10	9	2	11
Youth Detention Accommodation	5	0	5	1	0	1
Individual Support Order	0	0	0	0	0	0
Referral Order	44	7	51	30	3	33
Reparation Order	0	0	0	0	0	0
YRO	17	0	17	23	3	26
YRO-ISS	3	0	3	5	1	6
Detention Training Order	4	0	4	3	1	4
Section 90-92 Detention	2	0	2	0	0	0
Section 226 (Public Protection)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Appropriate Adult Services	24	4	28	22	3	25
Bail/Remand Court	17	0	17	7	3	10
Total YOT Interventions	201	31	232	178	38	216
Total interventions	253	54	307	235	59	294
Youth Court			339			248
Crown Court			23			33
Total Services			362			281
Total Throughput			594			497

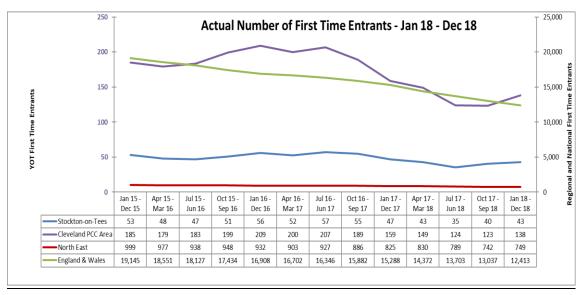
6. YOT throughput has reduced slightly. There has been a small increase of out of court disposals, especially in the number of triage cases. There has been a decrease in the number of Referral Orders imposed and an increase in Youth Rehabilitation Orders; with the number of intensive ISS Orders doubling. The number of Police interviews attended as an Appropriate Adult has slightly reduced, as has the number of remand court hearings attended. There has been a substantial decrease in the number of Youth Courts covered and an increase in Crown Court hearings covered.

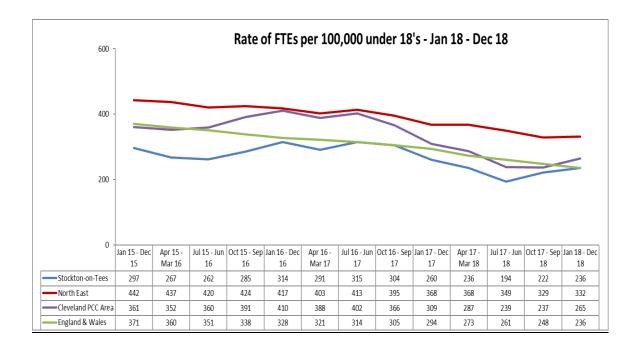
### PERFORMANCE OUTCOMES -The Youth justice indicators:

- 7. Overall, there has been strong partnership performance relating to reducing first time entrants to the youth justice system and minimising the inappropriate use of custody.
- 8. However, reoffending remains as a mixed area of performance; whilst reoffending rates are on a downward trajectory and below all the benchmarks, the reoffender rate remains higher than our comparator benchmarks, although is coming down.

RAG Rating	
$\odot$	Reduce first time entrants to the youth justice system
•••	Reduce reoffending
$\odot$	Reduce use of custody

### **First Time Entrants:**





As can be seen, local FTE performance is very strong. The numbers and rates of FTEs are lower than most of the benchmarks.

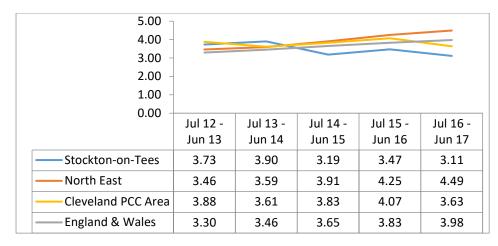
### Reoffending:

Reoffender Rates: % of reoffenders in the overall offending cohort (Binary Rate)

60.0%   50.0%   40.0%   30.0%   10.0%	60.0% 50.0% 40.0% 30.0% 10.0%				
0.0%	Jul 12 -	Jul 13 -	Jul 14 -	Jul 15 -	Jul 16 -
	Jun 13	Jun 14	Jun 15	Jun 16	Jun 17
Stockton-on-Tees	34.3%	45.1%	56.6%	50.7%	44.5%
North East	45.4%	48.2%	49.8%	47.6%	41.8%
——Cleveland PCC Area	39.7%	46.4%	49.6%	52.4%	41.9%
——England & Wales	41.7%	42.9%	42.6%	41.9%	40.1%

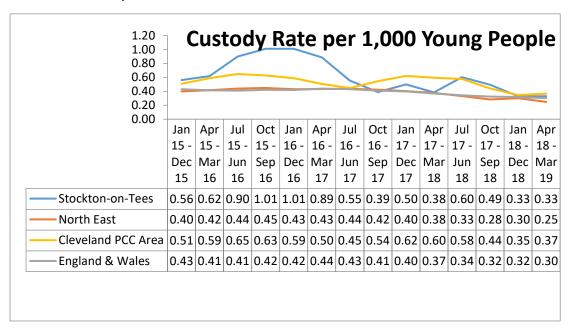
10. Here in Stockton, we have had higher levels of reoffenders amongst the overall cohort, although this is decreasing. A likely explanation for this is the introduction of triage and other out of court disposals in 2013 which significantly increased the numbers of children diverted away from the youth justice system, meaning that those children who couldn't be diverted and were therefore left 'in the system' were those most likely to reoffend; the thickening of the soup analogy. This is a phenomenon that was experienced by many areas.

#### Reoffending Rates: Reoffences per Reoffender



11. When exploring the reoffending rate, which is the reoffences per reoffender, the local picture is more positive. Even though Stockton has a higher proportion of reoffenders, the number of reoffences being committed by them is lower than all the other comparators.

#### The Use of Custody:



- 12. Custody rates in Stockton have substantially decreased over the last few years. Local tracking shows that 4 young people have been sentenced to custody during 2018/19 and there have been 1 custodial remands. This is the lowest on record for Stockton.
- 13. Where young people are in custody, their safety is a key priority. To this end, it is essential that relevant information is shared. Of the 5 entries into custody, information was securely transferred by the YOT on the same day for 4 out of 5 children.

# **ETE Data:** (Local Priority)

ETE	E: Engagement in Education, Training and Employment	Apr - Mar 18	Apr - Mar 19
		Total	Total
А	Percentage of Statutory School Age Young People in ETE at End of Order (Target 95%) (Excludes Triage and Community Resolution)	100.0%	97.0%
В	Percentage of Above School Age Young People in ETE at End of Order (Target 75%) (Excludes Triage and Community Resolution)	60.7%	69.0%
	Overall Percentage (Overall Target 85%)	83.3%	84.0%

14. We are close to achieving the local target of 85% of children and young people participating in education and learning, and have worked hard particularly in improving participation of young people at 16+.