

Adolescent safeguarding and serious youth violence

Appendix three: existing programme and projects addressing serious youth violence

There are a number of existing programmes and projects, some universal and others targeted at specific cohorts. The Youth Service and Children's Social Care provide support to cohorts at risk of (or involved in) anti-social behaviour and crime but the list below are the main projects aimed at either deterring youth crime or addressing it. (This list is not exhaustive and other projects will inevitably be running in the voluntary and statutory sectors, not reflected below).

Project	Universal or Targeted?	Brief	Commissioned by	Update
<i>Gangs mentoring programme - Spark2Life</i>	Targeted to nominals identified through the Serious Group Violence Panel	Commissioned to run a mentoring programme in Havering. 1-2-1 sessions for our highest risk individuals (including YOS)	MOPAC London Crime Reduction Fund. £45,000 per annum Currently funded to June 2019	Maximum caseload of 15 (This year worked with 47 different young people). Delivering a minimum of 400 per year (658 delivered last financial year).
<i>Street Doctors</i>	Universal (40) sessions to be made available to schools, Targeted the Youth Offending Service and other key groups	Training provided to young people specifically around knife crime, dealing with stab wounds	Safer Neighbourhood Board £8,000 Funded to March 2019 then reviewed	6 of 40 sessions delivered to date. 53 young people received emergency 1 st Aid Training.
<i>No Knives in School Project</i>	Targeted at pupils in year 9. Up to 20 sessions available to schools	Charity. Educational workshop around the dangers of knives	Safer Neighbourhood Board £4,400 Funded to deliver by end of March 2020	5 Sessions completed, a further 3 booked in to take place by July 2019.
<i>Junior citizens</i>	Targeted Year 6	Raising children's general safety awareness at transition from primary to secondary school	MOPAC London Crime Reduction Fund £10,000 Currently funded to March 2019	Last year +2,000 students attended. Due to take place 24 TH June -5 th July +2,000 children expected.
<i>Havering Young People's Mentor Service</i>	Targeted, 10-18yo	Provides support to Havering children and young people aged 10-18	Early Help	
<i>SGV / Gangs Training Junior Smart from the SOS+ project</i>	Training (not intervention)	Training for frontline workers coming into contact with	Via LSCB training programme	

		individuals who may be involved or at risk of being involved in gangs.		
<i>Safer Schools (Officers) & Presentation Team</i>	Universal primary and secondary schools (At present not AP due to resourcing)	Build positive engagement and trust, support school staff where some form of criminality has taken place. Also offer a range of workshops, which include awareness on gangs and knife crime	Metropolitan Police	Every Secondary School in the Borough is allocated a Safer Schools Officer (SSO) & Olive Academy PRU. Presentation Team covers whole EA. +7,000 students were given age appropriate safety advice.
<i>Chance programme</i>	Targeted 8-17yo involved in lower level anti-social behaviour	Multi-agency approach	Metropolitan Police	
<i>Advanced Minerva (based at Myplace)</i>	Targeted post 15, started in the summer	Young females, working around 18 months	MOPAC co-commissioned across 7 boroughs	Currently working with around 15 female clients. Capacity to work with up to 30.
<i>Home Office Early Intervention Fund (via MOPAC)</i>	Alternative Provision crime (preventative) pathway	Targeted at Y6 and 7, then targeted to vulnerable young people.	£461k over 15 months	Over 2000 children reached to date. Runs to March 2020.
<i>Rescue and Response</i>	Targeted 8- 25 year olds in London.	Tracking and supporting young people caught up in county lines (victim/ perpetrator)	MOPAC Co-Commissioned Pan-London (3 years)	26 individuals identified as being involved in county lines Havering.
<i>Go Girls project</i>	Target group: potential vulnerable to relationships of power, and/or CSE including children in care and care leavers. Referrals have come from CAMHS, YOS, Social Care and schools.	Exercises, group-work, games and helpful hints on supporting girls and young women's personal development.	Delivered over 8 weeks for 13 – 18 year olds. Funded via Mental Health Transformation Fund	20 young women completed since September 2018.

