**FOI Ref: OPCC 34-20**

**Request:**

Dear OPCC for Dyfed-Powys,

I am writing to ask for information on joint projects with health partners that you have been involved in during the last two years. Specifically, I would be grateful if you could provide the following information:

* A list of all joint projects with health partners in the last two years;
* For each project, a clear indication of the health partner involved;
* For each project, a description of the aims, priorities and features of the intervention.

For the purpose of this request, ‘health partners’ refers to: NHS provider organisations, private and third sector healthcare organisations commissioned by the NHS or local authorities, NHS England, Public Health England, and local authority public health teams.

**Response:**

I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) does hold the information requested, as outlined below:

1. **Joint Project**

Youth Engagement Project Work

**Health Partner**

Hywel Dda Health Board and Hafan Cymru

**Aims, priorities and features**

**Aim**: to gather the views of young people in the Dyfed-Powys Police Force area on Policing and Wellbeing.

**Priorities**: To conduct a survey with young people and to work with the PCC’s Youth Ambassadors to allow us to identify ways of growing the Youth forum in future to maximise opportunities to engage with young people.

**Features**:

* 809 young people from the Force area participated in the research through a combination of online survey and focus groups between December 2019 and February 2020
* Youth Conference held in March 2020 to discuss some of the survey findings with young people and youth organisations in the area
* Report prepared by Hafan Cymru on findings
* Findings have influenced key activities for PCC Youth Forum and Youth Engagement work

1. **Joint Project**

Policy and Engagement Advisor role

**Health Partner**

Hywel Dda Health Board

**Aims, priorities and features**

Role partially funded by Health Board with the aim of streamlining engagement activities through collaborative engagement work between the OPCC and the Health Board.

**Features**

* Collaboration on youth engagement project
* Collaboration work on engagement stakeholder management system and engagement platform.

1. **Joint Project**

To reduce Substance misuse

**Health Partner**

Dyfed Drug and Alcohol Service (DDAS) - Barod in Consortium with G4S and Kaleidoscope

**Aims, priorities and features**

Operating in Carmarthenshire, Ceredigion and Pembrokeshire, DDAS aims to reduce substance misuse-related harm to service users, significant others and the wider community. DDAS also works to identify and engage offenders from the point of arrest through to sentence and to maximise the proportion of individuals reducing their substance use and offending behaviour

1. **Joint Project**

To reduce substance misuse.

**Health Partner**

Kaleidoscope

**Aims, priorities and features**

Kaleidoscope Powys aims to reduce substance misuse-related harm to service users, significant others and the wider community. Kaleidoscope also works to identify and engage offenders from the point of arrest through to sentence and to maximise the proportion of individuals reducing their offending and substance misuse.

Both 3 and 4 are jointly commissioned via the Area Planning Board and funding is provided by PCC, National Probation Service, Health, Local Authorities and the Welsh Government SMAPF grant.

The following two grants have also been granted in the last 2 years and the beneficiary organisations work with local health partners to provide their services.

DYFODOL POWYS FUTURES

County: Powys

Reaching Out/Estyn Allan £9732.00

Helping to build positive futures with vulnerable young men 16 – 25years, for whom other sources of support have failed. They are at a critical point in their lives, moving into adulthood.

PEMBROKESHIRE ASSOCIATION OF VOLUNTARY SERVICES

County: Pembrokeshire

Connecting Generations £2000.00

Community Connectors improve connections for people in Pembrokeshire. Connectors can support people to take positive steps to improve their health and wellbeing, increase social interaction and help people to live independently and safely in their communities. This project will take advantage of the knowledge six Community Connectors and their links and partnerships in communities.

Please also find below some links to our website that may provide additional information you may find or benefit in relation to our Commissioned Services and Grants provided to various organisations.

<http://www.dyfedpowys-pcc.org.uk/en/your-neighbourhood/services-available-to-you/>

<http://www.dyfedpowys-pcc.org.uk/en/the-commissioner/commissioners-community-funding/>