



# Equality Impact Assessment

## EIA-616638527 - Consultation and Creation of a Community Safety Partnership Plan

### Details

<b>Title</b>	Consultation and Creation of a Community Safety Partnership Plan
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### Context and background

<b>EIA carried out on</b>	New policy or strategy
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Community Safety Partnerships (CSPs) are the statutory body that brings together local partners to solve shared issues around Crime and Disorder, Anti-Social Behaviour, Drug and Alcohol misuse, and Reoffending. The CSP in Coventry meets as the Police and Crime Board (PCB).

Every three years Community Safety Partnerships are required to develop an overarching Community Safety Partnership Plan under the Crime and Disorder Act 1998. The plan provides an overview of the work and priority areas that fall under the responsibility of the CSP.

**Background**

In advance of the plan, the CSP will be using information from the Strategic Assessment. The Strategic Assessment is created on behalf of the CSP, by West Midlands Police Partnership Intelligence Liaison Team. It provides an analysis of the level and patterns of crime and disorder in the City over the last 12 months.

A public consultation will also be undertaken to ask members of the public and key stakeholders on their views on community safety in the city, in its widest sense.

The information from the public consultation and stakeholders, together with the data from the Strategic Assessment will be reviewed in workshops by the sub-groups of the PCB. This will be used to generate the Strategic priorities of the PCB and a Community Partnership Plan will identify how these priorities will be delivered.

**Stakeholders**

- Coventry City Council ( Regulatory Services, Public Health, Youth offending Services)
- West Midlands Police
- West Midlands Fire and Rescue Authority
- West Midlands Probation Services
- Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board

- Other stakeholders include :-
- Citizen Housing
  - Community Representatives

The Community Safety Partnership will be responsible for implementing the findings of the EIA> In Coventry the CSP meets as the Police and Crime Board (PCB). The “Responsible Authorities” within the CSP are:-

**Responsibility**

- Coventry City Council ( Regulatory Services, Public Health, Youth offending Services)
- West Midlands Police
- West Midlands Fire and Rescue Authority
- West Midlands Probation Services
- Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board

Other stakeholders include :-

- Citizen Housing

## Consideration of impact

**Baseline data and information**

Draft - information from the Strategic Assessment will be added. This will include the crime and ASB data within Coventry.

## Protected groups

Positive impact - Under 18s are effected by crime as perpetrator and victim

The Community Safety Partnership Plan will also focus on key themes such as :

- Prevent offending
- Managing and changing the behaviour of offenders
- Reduce crime, the fear of crime and ASB
- Reduce the harm of illegal drugs and alcohol and support safer socialising
- Minimising the risk of harm to vulnerable people
- Supporting victims
- Protecting communities
- Protecting locations from crime and making public spaces safer.

**Age 0-18**

The Community Safety Survey will be targeted at Youth Services to capture the views of 0-18.

The data from the strategic assessment also provides information on Serious Youth Violence and the age profiles of victims and offenders. The created priorities will be focussed on the outcomes of the data and the public survey.

Draft - this will be updated with the priorities of the Community Safety Partnership Plan .

Positive impact - The consultation aims to capture the views of members of the public and their views of crime and fear of crime.

The Community Safety Partnership Plan will also focus on key themes such as :

**Age 19-64**

- Prevent offending
- Managing and changing the behaviour of offenders
- Reduce crime, the fear of crime and ASB
- Reduce the harm of illegal drugs and alcohol and support safer socialising
- Minimising the risk of harm to vulnerable people
- Supporting victims
- Protecting communities
- Protecting locations from crime and making public spaces safer

The Community Safety Survey will be targeted a residential groups and will be prompted through a range of social media and local publications to obtain the views of this age group.

The data from the strategic assessment also provides information on the age profiles of victims and offenders. The created priorities will be focussed on the outcomes of the data and the public survey.

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Positive impact - The consultation aims to capture the views of members of the public and their views of crime and fear of crime.

The Community Safety Partnership Plan will also focus on key themes such as :

**Age 65+**

- Prevent offending
- Managing and changing the behaviour of offenders
- Reduce crime, the fear of crime and ASB
- Reduce the harm of illegal drugs and alcohol and support safer socialising
- Minimising the risk of harm to vulnerable people
- Supporting victims
- Protecting communities
- Protecting locations from crime and making public spaces safer

The Community Safety Survey will be targeted to residential groups and will be prompted through a range of social media and local publications to obtain the views of this age group.

The data from the strategic assessment also provides information on the age profiles of victims and offenders. The created priorities will be focussed on the outcomes of the data and the public survey.

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Positive impact - The Community Safety Survey will be targeted disability group charities to obtain their views on crime in Coventry.

The Community Safety Partnership Plan will also focus on key themes such as :

**Disability**

- Reduce crime, the fear of crime and ASB
- Minimising the risk of harm to vulnerable people
- Supporting victims
- Protecting communities
- Protecting locations from crime and making public spaces safer

The Strategic Assessment will provide information on Hate Crime and will identify trends in relation to Hate Crime Disability.

Draft - this will be updated with the priorities of the Community Safety Partnership Plan .

Positive impact - The Community Safety Survey will be targeted to LBGQTQIA+ group charities to obtain their views on crime in Coventry.

The Community Safety Partnership Plan will also focus on key themes such as :

**Gender  
reassignment**

- Reduce crime, the fear of crime and ASB
- Minimising the risk of harm to vulnerable people
- Supporting victims
- Protecting communities
- Protecting locations from crime and making public spaces safer

The Strategic Assessment will provide information on Hate Crime and will identify trends in relation to transgender hate crime.

Draft - this will be updated with the priorities of the Community Safety Partnership Plan .

**Marriage and civil  
partnership**

No impact -

**Pregnancy and  
maternity**

No impact -

Positive impact - The Community Safety Survey will be targeted to Ethnic minority group charities to obtain their views on crime in Coventry.

The Community Safety Partnership Plan will also focus on key themes such as :-

**Race**

- Reduce crime, the fear of crime and ASB
- Minimising the risk of harm to vulnerable people
- Supporting victims
- Protecting communities
- Protecting locations from crime and making public spaces safer.

The Strategic Assessment will provide information on Hate Crime and will identify trends in relation to race hate crime.

Draft - this will be updated with the priorities of the Community Safety Partnership Plan .

Positive impact - The Community Safety Survey will be targeted to religious groups through the local faith forums so as to obtain their views on crime in Coventry.

The Community Safety Partnership Plan will also focus on key themes such as :

**Religion and belief**

- Reduce crime, the fear of crime and ASB
- Minimising the risk of harm to vulnerable people
- Supporting victims
- Protecting communities
- Protecting locations from crime and making public spaces safer

The Strategic Assessment will provide information on Hate Crime and will identify trends in relation to religious/belief hate crime.

Draft - this will be updated with the priorities of the Community Safety Partnership Plan .

Positive impact - The Community Safety Survey will be targeted to the charities supporting Women so as to obtain their views.

The Community Safety Partnership Plan will also focus on key themes such as :-

**Sex**

- Reduce crime, the fear of crime and ASB
- Minimising the risk of harm to vulnerable people
- Supporting victims
- Protecting communities
- Protecting locations from crime and making public spaces safer.

The Strategic Assessment will provide information on Hate Crime and will identify trends in relation to gender hate crime.

Draft - this will be updated with the priorities of the Community Safety Partnership Plan .



Positive impact - The Community Safety Survey will be targeted to LBGQTQIA+ group charities to obtain their views on crime in Coventry.

The Community Safety Partnership Plan will also focus on key themes such as :

### Sexual orientation

- Reduce crime, the fear of crime and ASB
- Minimising the risk of harm to vulnerable people
- Supporting victims
- Protecting communities
- Protecting locations from crime and making public spaces safer

The Strategic Assessment will provide information on Hate Crime and will identify trends in relation to transgender hate crime.

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## Health inequalities (HI)

<b>How HI will be reduced</b>	The will be updated following the analysis of the Strategic Assessment
<b>Evidence showing how HI will be reduced</b>	The will be updated following the analysis of the Strategic Assessment
<b>Groups of people who face HI</b>	The will be updated following the analysis of the Strategic Assessment
<b>How to improve HI for groups identified</b>	The will be updated following the analysis of the Strategic Assessment

## Digital inequalities (DI)

<b>Impact to DI</b>	A specific communication and engagement plan has been development for the Community Safety Survey. This included online surveys, physical workshops and community through community groups.
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**Opportunities to reduce DI**

A specific communication and engagement plan has been development for the Community Safety Survey. This included online surveys, physical workshops and community through community groups.

**Next steps**

Inequality	Action	Owner	Timescale

**Monitor and evaluation**

The results of the Consultation, together with the crime data from the Strategic Assessment will be reviewed by the sub-groups in the Police and Crime Board. This will be co-ordinated through themed workshops on:

- Public Place safety and Reassurance
- Vulnerable Persons and Victims
- Reducing Reoffending and Harm
- Exploitation and Youth Violence

During the workshops the subgroups will identify the priorities and will identify actions to achieve the priorities. These actions will be identified in the Community Safety Partnership Plan together with deadlines and key performance indicators and ownership of each action.

The results of the consultation, together with the final plan will be brought to Cabinet in December 2024. The final plan will be monitored by the Police Crime Board on a quarterly basis.

**Impact on Council staff**

**Will there be an impact?**

No

**Completion statement**

**Potential equality  
impact**

Positive impact has been identified for one or more protected groups

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