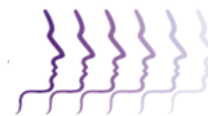


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SAFER COMMUNITIES' PERFORMANCE 2025/26 Q4 REPORT

Introduction

1. The purpose of this report is to update the Leicestershire & Rutland Safer Communities Strategy Board (LRSCSB) regarding Safer Communities performance for 2025/26 Quarter 4.
2. The Safer Communities dashboard has been updated and the whole process has been simplified by the Business Intelligence Team. The format that was formerly used was complex and led to capacity issues within the team. This simpler dashboard in Excel format includes all the information that was available via the drop-down options but now shown on two pages. A key has also been provided for ease of reference for interpreting the data. The values that have been presented are based on rates per 10,000 per population, unless otherwise stated in dashboard.
3. The Safer Communities dashboard up to Q4 is attached to this report. Additional detail is available in the following complementary dashboards that are still uploaded to Tableau these areas include:
 - [Domestic Abuse](#)
 - [Hate Incidents](#)
 - [Anti-Social Behaviour](#)
4. The dashboard includes a rolling 12-month average for each indicator. The table gives a district breakdown, where available.
5. It should be noted that the report presents broad county wide trends, and the accompanying narrative reflects this. Performance within localities can differ, sometimes dramatically, and the report should be read with this in mind.

Key points of the dashboard are summarised below:

6. **Protect and Support the most vulnerable in communities**
The Multi Agency Risk Assessment Conference (MARAC) repeat referral:
 - Multi Agency Risk Assessment Conferences are regular meetings of professionals from partner organisations who meet to discuss how to help

individuals who are most at risk of serious harm due to domestic violence and abuse.

- The Indicator regarding MARAC repeat referrals is to be continued, with the following conditions noted:
 - The frequency of MARAC meetings held varies between MARAC's and local authorities. The repeat referral indicator is now calculated according to the 'SafeLives' guidance on what the repeat percentage should look like in their '10 Principles of a Good MARAC'. The guidance to this will be available in the updated MARAC Operating Protocol.
- The percentage of incidents which are repeat incidents is 30.4% which is lower than the previous year of 33.1% (the MARAC repeat rate continues its downward trajectory and is now 2.3% lower than a year ago), and this is within the Safe Lives recommended range of 28 – 40%.

The Domestic Crime and Incidents:

- The rate is higher than a year ago, arrow indicated higher no polarity.

The Domestic Violence with Injury:

- The rate has fallen compared to a year ago. There are some variations in the districts where Oadby and Wigston has a relative high rate for both, and Northwest Leicestershire has a high rate for crime and incidents but a low rate for violence with injury.

Sexual Offences:

- The rate is slightly higher than previous year, arrow indicates higher – worse.

7. Continue to reduce Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB)

- ASB - Total figures have had an increase over the last year.
- ASB - Nuisance and environment has now been combined as Community and currently is 8.6 incidents per 1000 population slightly higher than previous year of 8.1.
- Rise in rate of 'personal' ASB currently 1.8 which is higher than previous year of 0.8.

8. Ongoing Reductions in crime

- Total Crime and Violence with Injury has improved over the last two years.
- Burglary Residential, Burglary Business & Community, vehicle offences has improved over the last year and are both now lower.
- Overall crime and all crime statistics are all lower

9. Preventing Terrorism and Radicalisation

- The number of hate crimes reported to the police remains low with a slight increase and is currently 1.4 offences per 1000 population. The current values is slightly higher when compared to the previous value (1.3).
- Hate Crime and Racially or religiously aggravated crime have both risen compared to this time last year.
- A question from the Leicestershire Insight Survey asks residents how much they agree that people from different backgrounds get on well. Latest figures show 86.6 % of people from different backgrounds who get on is slightly down from previous year.

Recommendations

10. That the Board notes the 2025/26 Quarter 4 performance dashboard.

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