

Organisations funded for 16/17 - funded prior to 31st March 2016.

Victims Commissioning Fund

Organisation	Project Name	Summary of Project	Funding Given
FACEs	Cope and Recover	Helping deprived families who have been the victims of crime cope and recover as per the MoJ guidelines. Support will be holistic and the organisation will refer to more specific services where required.	£17,094
Home Start	Pattern Changing Programme	Help and assistance for the victims of domestic abuse within Central Bedfordshire by regaining confidence and self-esteem, learning practical strategies such as assertiveness skills to gain empowerment and to change negative patterns into positive patterns.	£17,283.75
Link to Change	Hub & Spoke	Child Sexual Exploitation service and will be funded from ring-fenced £53,000. This will help children and young people understand the risks of child sexual exploitation and safely exit child sexual exploitation. To increase the knowledge and understanding of child sexual exploitation in order to prevent the harms to children from abuse through sexual exploitation.	£21,121
Road Victims Trust	Volunteer Training	Funding to run a volunteer training course for Counselling Volunteers in Bedfordshire. This will enable the Road Victims Trust to recruit and train a further 10 Counselling Volunteers in Bedfordshire.	£10,000
Victim Support	Anti-Social Behaviour Vulnerable Victim's Caseworker	Provision of comprehensive and quality support, advocacy and outreach service to victims and witnesses of ASB in Bedford Borough. Adding value to existing services by assisting partnership working whilst ensuring that statutory agencies fulfil their responsibilities to the victim or witness by championing their cause.	£9,214.66

Community Safety Fund

Organisation	Project Name	Summary of Project	Funding Given
MF Youth Consultants	Stop and Search Bedfordshire	Providing awareness workshops and publicity around the policing tactic of Stop and Search across Bedfordshire.	£12,500
Bedfordshire Police	Mental Health Street Triage	This will deliver a fully integrated, appropriate and proportionate response to dealing with people experiencing mental health crisis in the community and it will also create opportunities to work together with wider health and social care professionals to prevent people reaching crisis point.	£137,500
Safer Luton	SOS Bus	Provision of a bus to provide first aid, reduce ASB and criminal damage. Reduce violent crime and support vulnerable people at	£25,000

Partnership		risk. This will be during the night primarily on Fridays and Saturdays in keeping with night-time economy hours.	
FACES Bedford	Talk Safe	Funding for practitioner. FACES will identify and intervene with those who are known to be particularly at risk, with specific focus on populations where there are multiple risk factors, for example, families with intergenerational violence and families with children at risk of abuse	£34,129
Full House Theatre	A little to the left of centre	Delivery of theatre in Education for Year 7 and 8 pupils in Middle and Secondary Schools across Bedfordshire. 20 performances. The play looks at the way that intolerance manifests itself in the lives of young people and allows them to discuss their experiences and attitudes towards the subject.	£23,880
Alcohol Services for the Community	Alcohol Community Action	To continue and take existing Alcohol Community Action (ACA) service into its 4th year to demonstrate our commitment to Bedfordshire's Policing Plan's anti-social behaviour priority. ACA promotes prevention and early intervention and aims to identify and reduce anti-social behaviour (ASB) related to alcohol use and its impact on Luton and Bedfordshire communities	£40,292
The King's Arms Project	Community Support, Opportunities & Skills Development	Support for homeless ex-offenders. Helping them to find shelter and gainful employment through a range of services, chiefly Life-skills courses and Pathways to Employment courses.	£11,971
Bedfordshire Hate Crime Partnership	Delivering the Bedfordshire Hate Crime Strategy	Delivering the Bedfordshire Hate Crime Strategy. Namely through, Countywide Hate Crime Conference, Awareness Raising, Disability training programme and Youth Conference.	£18,000
The Princes Trust	Moving Lives Forward	This project will engage 50 ex-offenders or those presenting complex needs which make them 'at risk of offending' to access support from The Prince's Trust through a range of activities designed to help them remove barriers to accessing education, training, volunteering, employment or self-employment opportunities.	£46,483
Groundwork East	Green Aiders	Expansion of pilot project in Luton to help vulnerable people with unkempt gardens. Through the initial cleaning-up and then providing routes for continued maintenance.	£48,584
Companions Real Bread	Companions Real Bread	Provide ex-offenders with opportunity to gain employment through bakery in Bedford Borough. It is intended to be holistic (related to mind, body and spirit) and will comprise active listening for emotional support; the provision of meaningful activity in the form of a rolling 6-month process of structured training / work experience	£22,856
Bedfordshire Rural Communities Charity	The Bridge Project	The aim of The Bridge project is to bridge the gap that people managing drug and alcohol problems in Luton face to finding work, enabling them to achieve independence, self-reliance, self-confidence and economic well-being.	£36,800
Relate	Taking Charge of Your Life	Deliver a series of workshops focusing on specific lifeskills for offenders including communication and listening; time management; managing stress; coping with change and self-management.	£6,189
Stepping Stones	Stepping Out Project	The service will provide support, advice and advocacy to 100 women over the age of 16 living in (or returning to) Central Bedfordshire who: - Are victims of domestic and sexual abuse, - Are substance misusers, at risk of offending or have offended,	£33,621

		have social care involvement or have a mental health or emotional issue	
NOAH Enterprise	Street Outreach Luton	An Outreach Worker will engage with street drinkers, drug users and rough sleepers on the street, working closely alongside the Police and begin to support them on a pathway toward sustainable recovery and independent living.	£35,633
Mind BLMK	Integrated Mental Health Support Service (Anti-Social Behaviour)	Identifying appropriate support pathways for people with mental health and wellbeing needs and short term 1:1 Mind Mentoring where necessary for support to gain confidence / skills to access other services or to accommodate a gap between referral and accessing other services / waiting lists, where a delay could put the client at further risk of involvement in ASB due to their mental health problems.	£48,280
You Turn Futures	Bedfordshire Integrated Offender Management	Continued support of the IOM programme, but including provision for match funding for tagging pilots potentially in position.	£139,000