

DETAILS	
Local Authority area	South Ayrshire
Primary Courts of relevance	Ayr and Kilmarnock
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OVERVIEW
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BAIL SUPERVISION

Interventions suitable for	Male and Female, age 16+ who are at risk of remand to custody and have a presenting need which would require support.
Programme Title and Provider	Bail supervision

<p>Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available</p>	<p>Bail Supervision is provided across Ayrshire by the Partnership Delivery Team. The purpose of this scheme is to reduce the number of people charged or convicted of offences who would otherwise be remanded in custody to safeguard public safety.</p> <p>The criteria is for males and females from the age of 16 years. They can be released to the community giving a specific address and will have 3 contacts per week. Usually, two appointments at the office and one appointment at their given address.</p>
<p>Possible Outcomes</p>	<p>To reduce the use of remand to custody and to allow people the opportunity to address imminent needs to reduce their risk of reoffending</p>
<p>Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention</p>	<p>People who appear from police custody are assessed by the Court Social Work staff to assess their suitability based on their risk and needs.</p>

<p>Interventions suitable for</p>	<p>Male and Female, age 16+ who are at risk of remand to custody and have no presenting needs</p>
<p>Programme Title and Provider</p> <p>Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available</p>	<p>Electronic Monitoring of bail (EM Bail)</p> <p>Ayr Sheriff Court plan to implement in December 2022.</p> <p>Electronic monitoring can provide assurance about the restriction of movement of a monitored person by imposing time and locational limitations on the monitored person.</p> <p>The monitored person can, for example be monitored to help check that they remain in a specified place for a specified period (or be excluded from a specified place, at a specified time).</p> <p>As previously noted, a person's compliance with the terms of any condition is monitored by way of the person wearing a PID (commonly known as a "tag") and the installation of a home monitoring unit.</p>
<p>Possible Outcomes</p>	<p>Reduce remand to custody</p>
<p>Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention</p>	<p>When an individual appears from custody, either as a new case or a warrant, prosecutors will consider whether or not they will oppose an accused's application for bail.</p> <p>Where time permits and as appropriate, JSW will provide an assessment to the court about the suitability of electronic monitoring as part of bail, to enable the court to make a decision on bail.</p>

	In determining an application for bail, the court can determine whether monitoring any bail condition electronically would provide them with additional assurance as to the appropriateness of bail and the management of any risk of an individual being on bail.
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COMMUNITY PAYBACK ORDER: UNPAID WORK

Interventions suitable for	Males & Females over age 16 years
Programme Title and Provider	Unpaid work
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	Unpaid work in the community forms the part of reparation and punishment. Its available to all service users deemed fit for work. The work involves being part of a team undertaking work in local community projects, placements in charity shops etc. and light duties when required.
Possible Outcomes	To allow people the opportunity to gain some structure in their lives, gain some new skills that could improve their employability prospects and repay the community for their offending behaviour.
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	Individual's suitability is assessed at the time of preparing the Criminal Justice Social Work report. Level one orders can be imposed by Court without a report.

COMMUNITY PAYBACK ORDER: SUPERVISION

Interventions suitable for	Males & Females
Programme Title and Provider	Supervision
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	In accordance with National Outcomes and Standards and Community Payback Order Practice Guidance. Action Plans are developed using the appropriate risk assessment tools and plans implemented to reduce the risk of reoffending and address areas of need.
Possible Outcomes	To make positive changes to their lifestyle whether that be practical change or changes in their personal development, attitudes and behaviour.
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	Suitability is assessed in the production of the CJSWR.

Interventions suitable for	Anyone over the age of 16 where the Sheriff has requested a CJSWR
Programme Title and Provider	CPO with Restricted Movement Requirement (RMR)

<p>Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available</p>	<p>Restricted Movement Requirement as requirement of CPO - Electronic monitoring is well established as a potential sentencing disposal assessed at Criminal Justice Social Work Report stage, via the Restriction of Liberty Order.</p> <p>In addition, the ability to impose a Restricted Movement Requirement (similar to an RLO) has been available as an additional requirement for a Community Payback Order (however only as a sanction for breaching the terms of the original Community Payback Order (CPO) and could not be imposed at first instance).</p> <p>The introduction of the Restricted Movement Requirement on a Community Payback Order (CPO) at first disposal are recent (May 2022) changes for Justice Social Work Services. This requirement is similar to a Restriction of Liberty Order in that it allows an individual to be restricted to a particular place for up to 12 hours a day or restricted away from a particular place for up to 24 hours a day.</p> <p>A Supervision Requirement (therefore requiring statutory Justice SW supervision) must be imposed in tandem when an RMR is imposed as part of a CPO. The Restriction of Liberty Order (RLO) remains available to the Court and can continue to be imposed as a stand alone sentence or concurrent to a CPO.</p>
<p>Possible Outcomes</p>	<p>Reduction in risk of reoffending, improved opportunities for service user, linked into other appropriate services</p>
<p>Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention</p>	<p>CJSWR interview; LSCMi risk assessment, Audit/ ABI Delivery, EM Assessment</p>
<p>Where no specific scheme / intervention is available, is there capacity to provide a bespoke service based on Judicial request?</p>	<p>Not with current resources without more information</p>

COMMUNITY PAYBACK ORDER: PROGRAMME

<p>Interventions suitable for</p>	<p>Men convicted of domestic abuse related offences</p>
<p>Programme Title and Provider</p>	<p>Caledonian System</p>

<p>Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available</p>	<p>In accordance with Caledonian System Programme Manual after full risk assessment is undertaken</p>
<p>Possible Outcomes</p>	<p>The Caledonian System is an integrated approach to address men's domestic abuse and to improve the lives of women, children, and men.</p> <p>It does this by working with men convicted of domestic abuse related offences on a programme to reduce their risk of re-offending while offering integrated services to women and children.</p> <p>The Caledonian model takes the form of an intervention system comprising: the men's programme, women's service, and children's service.</p> <p>The men's programme uses a person-centred approach coupled with cognitive behavioural techniques in order to encourage men to recognise their abuse and take responsibility for themselves and their relationship with their ex/partners and children.</p> <p>It is aimed at adult men, defined as over 16 years, whose abuse has been to a female partner or ex-partner.</p> <p>Men can be referred by the Court to this two year programme if they have been convicted of offences involving domestic abuse.</p> <p>The programme is statutory and men are required to attend and failure to comply may result in the Order being returned to Court under breach proceedings.</p>
<p>Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention</p>	<p>CJSWR interview and subsequent CJSWR submitted to Court (inclusive of relevant risk assessments).</p>
<p>Where no specific scheme/intervention is available, is there capacity to provide a bespoke service based on judicial request? Please provide details</p>	<p>Not with current resources without more information</p>
<p>Interventions suitable for</p>	<p>Men who have committed sexual offences or offences with a sexual element</p>
<p>Programme Title and Provider Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available</p>	<p>Moving Forward: Making Changes</p> <p>In accordance with MFMC Programme Manual after full risk assessment is undertaken</p>

<p>Possible Outcomes</p>	<p>The Moving Forward: Making Changes Programme has been designed by the Scottish Prison Service and The Community Justice Operational Practice Unit of the Scottish Government, in order to deliver best practice in Sex Offender treatment in Scotland.</p> <p>The programme is based on recent advances in research and practice, and from experiential learning gained from delivering programmes throughout the prison and criminal justice social work environments.</p> <p>It is based upon the dynamic risk factors identified through the Stable 2007 risk assessment and matches levels of intervention to levels of risk and need and assists participants to lead a satisfying life that does not involve harming others.</p> <p>Moving Forward: Making Changes is targeted at men aged 18 upward and it is anticipated that a period of up to 3 years will be required to fully complete the programme.</p> <p>The individual will complete a schedule of individual pre-group work with their case manager, followed by a period of assignment based groupwork with other individuals, delivered by accredited facilitators. This is then followed by a further period of supplementary/maintenance work with the case manager.</p>
<p>Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention</p> <p>Where no specific scheme/intervention is available, is there capacity to provide a bespoke service based on judicial request?</p> <p>Please provide details</p>	<p>CJSWR interview and subsequent CJSWR submitted to Court (inclusive of relevant risk assessments).</p> <p>Not with current resources without more information</p>

COMMUNITY PAYBACK ORDER: TREATMENT: MENTAL HEALTH

<p>Interventions suitable for</p>	<p>Male & Females with diagnosed mental health requirements</p>
<p>Programme Title and Provider</p>	<p>Treatment: mental health</p>

Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	As per National Outcomes and Standards and with assessment from NHS Mental Health Services
Possible Outcomes	As assessed by the Community Mental Health Teams and Care Programme Approach
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	CJSWR interview and subsequent CJSWR submitted to Court (inclusive of relevant risk assessments). This will involve collaborative assessment and working with colleagues in Mental Health Services to outline a plan for care and treatment as a consequence of such a requirement.

COMMUNITY PAYBACK ORDER: TREATMENT: DRUGS

Interventions suitable for Programme Title and Provider	Males & Females with identified drug use Treatment: drugs
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	As per National Outcomes and Standards and interventions available from services which will be detailed in CJSWR
Possible Outcomes	NHS Addictions START Team, We Are With You
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	CJSWR interview and subsequent CJSWR submitted to Court (inclusive of relevant risk assessments). This will involve liaison with colleagues in available drug services and an outline for a plan for treatment/intervention.

COMMUNITY PAYBACK ORDER: TREATMENT: ALCOHOL

Interventions suitable for Programme Title and Provider	Males & females with identified problematic alcohol use Treatment: alcohol
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	As per National Outcomes and Standards and interventions available from providers which will be detailed in CJSWR
Possible Outcomes	NHS Addictions, We Are With You, Ayrshire Council on Alcohol.
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	CJSWR interview and subsequent CJSWR submitted to Court (inclusive of relevant risk assessments). This will involve liaison with colleagues in available alcohol services and an outline for a plan for treatment/intervention.

DRUG TREATMENT AND TESTING ORDER (DTTO)

<p>Interventions suitable for Programme Title and Provider</p>	<p>Males & females with drug use dependency Drug Treatment and Testing Order (DTTO)</p>
<p>Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available</p>	<p>Statutory Order for individuals who have direct correlation between drug dependency and offending behaviour. DTTO in Ayrshire have a specialised team consisting of Supervising Officers and Addiction Workers who work in partnership with NHS Addiction Services to provide treatment (both pharmacological and psychosocial) to facilitate change in behaviour and lifestyle. A recovery focused, person-centred approach is adopted to meet individual need.</p> <p>DTTO can be imposed for a duration of six months to three years depending upon presenting need at DTTO assessment stage. DTTO is considered to be direct alternative to custody and is considered for individuals who have exhausted every other Court disposal.</p>
<p>Possible Outcomes</p>	<p>To break the cycle of drug dependency and offending behaviour through providing a person centred approach to treatment.</p> <p>Outcomes are measured subjectively by the Service User on a three monthly basis utilising 9 areas of recovery; including relationships, self-care and nutrition; physical and mental health, drug use and offending behaviour.</p> <p>It is hoped that through the duration of the DTTO that scores within these axes will increase, with any decreases highlighting areas of support/addiction need.</p>
<p>Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention</p>	<p>At the CJSWR report writing stage a screening is undertaken to establish whether or not the individual meets the criteria. If the criteria is met then a request is made to the Court to defer sentence for a period of four weeks to allow DTTO staff to undertake a full assessment of suitability. The DTTO assessment is undertaken by the Supervising Officer to establish whether the individual is a 'suitable' person with motivation to change their lifestyle.</p> <p>Gaps in offending behaviour are explored and areas of recovery capital and resilience identified to determine a starting point for treatment / interventions. DTTOs are reviewed by the Sentencer initially on a monthly basis and this process is undertaken within a closed Court to allow for direct dialogue between the sentencer and the service user.</p> <p>Interventions utilised by the team vary depending upon need. In the early stages a full care plan will be developed in collaboration with the service user and appropriate interventions will be employed to ensure that all areas of need are met. Motivational Interviewing is utilised in the early stages of a DTTO to encourage ambivalent individuals to consider areas of change.</p>

STRUCTURED DEFERRED SENTENCE

Interventions suitable for	Males & females with offending needs
Programme Title and Provider	Structured Deferred Sentence
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	<p>SDS is targeted at individuals who have a low to medium risk/needs rating (LSCMi) with regards to reoffending.</p> <p>This disposal targets individuals who have an identifiable need which could be explored and addressed through a six month intervention. All types of low level offending behaviour will be considered.</p>
Possible Outcomes	<p>A reduction in the risk of reoffending behaviour. When an SDS is imposed staff measure 5 areas of change which is revisited when the disposal nears its end.</p> <p>This is a subjective tool which measures areas of offending behaviour, substance misuse, connections, health and lifestyle.</p>
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	<p>At the CJSWR report writing stage a screening is undertaken to establish whether or not the individual meets the criteria. If the criteria is met then an action plan is established at this time and outlined within this section of the report.</p> <p>If the intervention is imposed a report will be submitted to Court after three months and a completion report after six months. Interventions are identified and delivered by staff on a bespoke basis as identified need at the screening stage can change considerably following the formation of a positive relationship with named worker.</p>

THIRD SECTOR PROGRAMMES

Interventions suitable for	Young people
Programme Title and Provider	Positive Futures, Living Wild, Next Steps, Inspiring Young Futures Venture Trust Scotland
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	Positive Futures, Living Wild, Next Steps, Inspiring Young Futures - 3 phase model of 1:1, wilderness experience and community support
Possible Outcomes	Developing Life skills and increased employability
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	1:1 outreach assessment
Relevant information re. funding for the programme	Funded by Venture Trust

Interventions suitable for Programme Title and Provider	Males with addictions – alcohol and drugs
	Turnaround Residential Unit; Turning Point
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	Residential 6 week placement
Possible Outcomes	Addressing established drug and alcohol issues with post-discharge service
	Liaison with Turnaround service for assessment.
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	
Relevant information re. funding for the programme	[No information specified]

Interventions suitable for Programme Title and Provider	Women convicted of offences
	Partnership Delivery Team
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	Bespoke service to women subject to a CPO, Supervision Requirement which includes case management, group work, support to attend appointments, advocacy, access to services of Occupational Therapist and member of Money Matters Team
Possible Outcomes	Women presented with high level of need, referral made and supported to the following: 1 Referral to Addiction Services for polysubstance misuse, 2 Referral to OT for anxiety issues, 3 Supported to appointments, including homeless presentation and sexual health clinic, 4 Liaised with GP and provided crisis phone numbers when feeling suicidal
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	Any females made subject to CPO, Supervision Requirement at Kilmarnock or Ayr Sheriff Court
Relevant information re. funding for the programme	Funded by Justice Services in East, North and South Ayrshire Council

Interventions suitable for Programme Title and Provider	Women
	Ayrshire Women's Team
	The Women's Court Screening Service
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	The Women's Service provides gender specific interventions for women subject to CPO across Ayrshire. The Women's Court Screening Service is available to all women appearing from police custody. Every women is screened and court notes are available for Sheriffs, Solicitors etc. Liaison also takes place with the Procurator Fiscals Service and in some cases women are released.



Possible Outcomes	Women to receive a needs and risk led approach specifically targeted to meet their needs. The Court service aims to reduce the risk of remand for women and if deemed suitable they can be referred to universal services and/or receive support from third sector agencies including Shine from Barnardo's for women from South and North Ayrshire. For women from East Ayrshire support is available for women from Time for Change.
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	Any female appearing from Custody Court at Kilmarnock or Ayr Sheriff Court will be offered this service. All women are assessed when appearing at Court by the Court social work staff
Relevant information re. funding for the programme	Funded by Local authority

Interventions suitable for	Women and men
Programme Title and Provider	Justice Services
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	Female and male general offending group work incorporating problem solving, consequential thinking, victim awareness, healthy relationships, health and wellbeing, anger management, life skills, employability and access to Venture Trust.
Possible Outcomes	Learn skills to assist with general life and reduce return to court
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	Assessed via CJSWR and action plan when subject to supervision
Relevant information re. funding for the programme	Funded by Local Authority

Interventions suitable for	Women
Programme Title and Provider	Counselling Service; SACRO
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	Justice services provides a Counselling service to men and women, delivered by a trained Counsellor from Sacro
Possible Outcomes	Address childhood trauma and areas of distress
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	Assessment is carried out at the report stage or later in the stage of a Supervision Requirement. If service users are not ready to engage, they can be re-referred at any time.
Relevant information re. funding for the programme	Local Authority Justice Services

Interventions suitable for Programme Title and Provider	Women
	Ayrshire Women's Hub
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	A drop in Service for women to access support
Possible Outcomes	To create a friendly place for women to attend to receive support to address practical issues and reduce their isolation.
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	Drop in service for any women
Relevant information re. funding for the programme	Charity

Interventions suitable for	Registered Sex Offenders who are subject to CPO or Licence conditions
Programme Title and Provider	Desistance Officer (RSO), The Partnership Delivery Team
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	To promote social inclusion and reintegrate within the community.
Possible Outcomes	To achieve inclusiveness/ reduced risk of reoffending.
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	Referred to the service by Justice Services Case Managers
Relevant information re. funding for the programme	Funded by Community Justice Ayrshire Partnership for one year.

Interventions suitable for	All individuals who are subject to Diversion from Prosecution in Ayrshire.
Programme Title and Provider	Diversion Worker – Whole Family Approach (Turning Point Scotland)
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	To provide a Whole Family Approach to increase resilience and in turn reduce the risk of further offending.
Possible Outcomes	To increase family supports and resilience/ reduced risk of reoffending.
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	Referred to the service by Justice Services Case Managers
Relevant information re. funding for the programme	Funded by Community Justice Ayrshire Partnership for one year.

ANY OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

Interventions suitable for	All Justice Service Users
Programme Title and Provider	ACA Counselling
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	Access to specific Justice Services alcohol counsellor with person centred approach. If service users are not subject to an alcohol treatment requirement (with expectations regarding engagement), they can be re-referred if they are not initially ready to engage.
Possible Outcomes	Access to one to one person centred counselling with focus on alcohol use.
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	Can be assessed and referred at CJSWR stage or at any point of supervision (CPO/Diversion/SDS/DTTO/Bail Supervision).

Interventions suitable for	Women appearing from custody court
Programme Title and Provider	Barnardo's Court Screening Support Worker
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	Access to specific support for women after appearing from custody Court to support any action plan for bail (lower tariff than bail supervision) to promote use of bail.
Possible Outcomes	Access to one to one support, focusing on presenting issues and supporting women to attend future court dates and manage any barriers to attendance.
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	Court social work staff at ASC will liaise with Barnardo's Support Worker regarding referrals and engagement will usually commence on day of Court following release from custody.

Interventions suitable for	Women
Programme Title and Provider	R.I.S.E Team (Resilience In Stressful Events)
Details of all Specific national or local scheme/intervention(s) available	<p>Building on existing service provision NHS Ayrshire and Arran have created specific service pathways for justice service users to access Occupational Therapy interventions for women open to Justice Social Work and for service users appearing through Ayr and Kilmarnock Sheriff Courts.</p> <p>Police / FME (Forensic Medical Examiner) / PF (Procurator Fiscal) or Court based Social Work staff will identify an individual in custody with emotional dysregulation / distress, mild mental health concerns who would potentially benefit from a time limited period offering Nursing and Occupational Therapy with low intensity psychological approach.</p>



	<p>Court based Social Work staff will undertake an assessment and link with the NHS Court Liaison Team to complete assessment and referral to RISE. Interventions which can be considered include;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community living skills • Home management • Vocational exploration • Social / Leisure skills • Functional skills assessment • Self-management – Physical / Mental Health • Anxiety management • Small aids and adaptations • Home environment assessment • Goal setting / behavioural action
Possible Outcomes	
Process for Assessment and/or inclusion in scheme/intervention	<p>Court based Social Work staff will undertake an assessment and link with the NHS Court Liaison Team to complete assessment and referral to RISE.</p>