



Living in Hackney Scrutiny Review –
Serious violence

Youth Justice information – Nov 2018



Youth Justice System in England and Wales



- YOTs were created by Crime and Disorder Act 1998
- YOTs are multi-agency partnerships that deliver YJ services locally. Working with 10-17 year olds; with certain exceptions.
- Statutory partners are LA, (CSC and Education) police, probation and health.
- The statutory aim of the YJS is to prevent offending by CYP.
- The Youth Justice Board, a non-departmental public body created by the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 to oversee, monitor and lead YJS in E&W.

Young person's journey through YJS

- Offence
- Arrest
- Pre-court
- Court
- Sentencing
- Serving the sentence
- Resettlement

Post- Court

Community Orders

- Referral Order
- Youth Rehabilitation Order
- Reparation Order

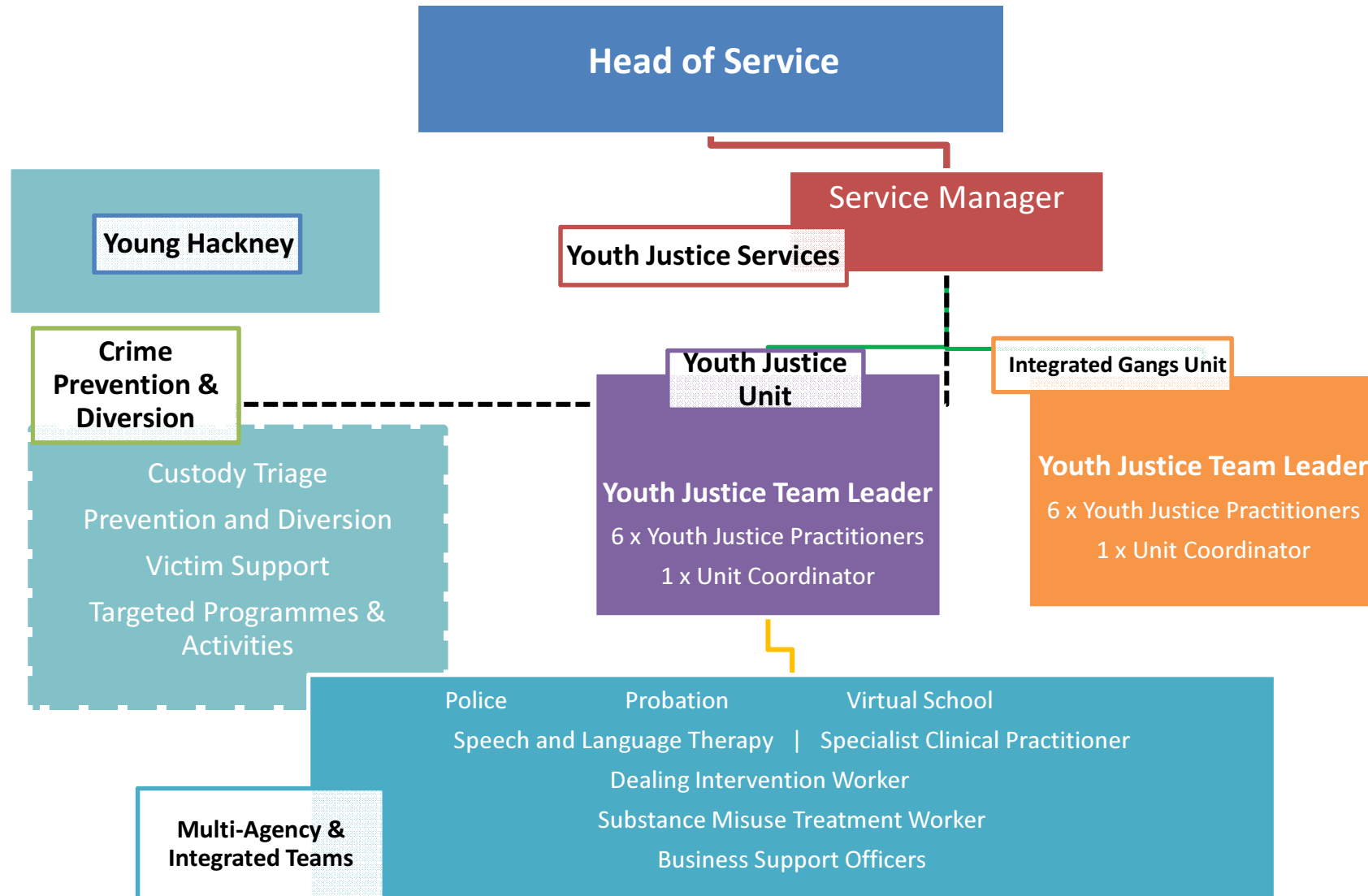
Custodial orders

- Detention and Training Order (DTO)
- S90-91

Others

- Parenting Order

Hackney Youth Offending Service



YOT Gangs Team

- Works to reduce violent gang-related crime
- Co-located youth justice practitioners work with police, voluntary groups, probation, Department of Work and Pensions
- Works to support people holistically according to their needs – this may be around social, educational, mental health and employment factors
- Works directly people at the highest risk of involvement in gang activity
- Following the IGU's formation in 2010, gun-related crimes dropped from 114 (March 2010- Feb 2011) to 66 (March 2017-Feb 2018)

Transitions into Probation

- National Probation Service supervises high & medium risk service users aged 18+
- London Community Rehabilitation Company (CRC) supervises low & medium risk service users under probation supervision aged 18+
- London CRC assist the transition arrangements of young adults who need to transfer from Youth Offending Service to London CRC
- London CRC ensure that the assessment and management of the risks of harm posed by service users to children and young people (in relation to their families) are fully and properly managed

In Practice

- Co-located Probation Officer
- Transition from YOT to Probation – following national and local protocol and good practice
- Information-sharing with Integrated Gangs Unit
- Gangs Panel is co-chaired by the YOT Manager, Police (MPS) and Community Safety and Partnership Manager