



## **Stop and Search, NTE Policing**

### **LiH Scrutiny Commission January 2023**

#### **Volume of searches in Hackney**

- Total volume of searches over 2022 6,247 (awaits Dec figures)
- 11<sup>th</sup> in volume compared to other LB's
- No drop in stop and search following Child Q

#### **Demographics**

- 36% more likely to be S&S if you are of Black heritage compared to a white.
- Census data 2019 shows that 23.1% of the population of Hackney is black heritage. 54.7% is from White.
- There were more searches carried out on those from black heritage than other London boroughs.
- There was a total of 65,282 searches on individuals that identified as black heritage in 2022. Hackney accounts for 4.7% (3,068)

#### **MTIP**

- MTIP means as search that is – More Thorough, Intimate Parts Exposed. An appropriate adult should be present and this must be authorised by an Inspector.
- There was a total of 30 MTIP searches carried out in 2022. 4.1% compared to other London boroughs.
- The majority of searches were on individuals that identified as being of black heritage. 18 in total.

#### **Hackney comparison to MPS**

- Hackney is currently 11<sup>th</sup> in the MPS for Borough Stop & Search Positive outcomes. Tower Hamlets by comparison is 3<sup>rd</sup>
- 68% of all Section 60's across the MPS occur in Hackney
- March 2020 to March 2021 there were 18,346 searches with a positive rate of 25.2% and 13.8% resulted in an arrest.
- The data shows that you are twice as more likely to be searched as a black male between the ages of 15 - 29 compared to white males.

#### **Police Encounter Panels**

- CE BCU is in the process of setting up a PEP panel for both Tower Hamlets and Hackney borough to increase public confidence and trust in our communities.
- PEPs have been set up so local communities have an opportunity to review important policing incidents and share feedback on how things went. The aim is for the Met Police to identify where we could do better in our interactions with Londoners. We also want to work out where we're getting things right and make sure all our officers are doing this.
- Police Encounter Panels (PEPs) give local communities the opportunity to review broader aspects of local policing with the aim of improving police practice through sharing feedback. PEPs will help us build stronger relationships with communities and allow the Met to better understand the impact of policing encounters on Londoners.
- PEP members will be shown BWV footage in a police station and their feedback will be sought during the event.
- CE are also setting up a child centric PEP to examine incidents involving under 18's

### Scrutiny Panels

- CE hold scrutiny panels in several different areas.
- Youth Justice – Scrutiny panels held with the LA to deep dive into our Youth justice outcomes, this is based on a child centred approach to ensure our young people are not being unnecessarily criminalised.
- Youth scrutiny panels with youth organisations, this includes scrutiny on our use of Stop & Search, MTIP's and Section 60's.
- Section 60 review group – held with CMG chair and local authority Community safety lead to scrutinise our Use of section 60's, including time period, geographical areas, PLAN, outcomes and reviews. Any learning is shared appropriately.
- Know your rights input delivered to all schools and all young person passing through the youth offending service.
- Police complaints procedure workshops are being delivered at both schools and at youth engagement events

### QR+

- QR + CE been working with LBH and CPIE S&S team to deliver a QR code. The end product will give Young persons U18 aftercare via Young Hackney website, a full wrap around on a variety of topics S&S, DV, Drugs, County Lines, Gangs, Family support;
- At the conclusion of the search they will be offered the ability to scan a QR code taking them to the LBH run website. The Territorial Support Group has successfully used a version of this solely on S&S which saw an increase in trust a confidence.
- If the pilot scheme is successful it will be rolled out across all supporting LA's

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