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London CRC and NPS

Probation reform and what it means to our partners and communities we work in



Overview

Ministry of Justice announcement of a new model of probation

HMIP Inspection

- NPS
- CRC
- PSS thematic

Priorities for the year

- CRC – Quality focus, workforce, interventions & innovation
- NPS – HMIP Action Plan, Workforce, Courts, Victims and a special focus on improving services for Gypsy/Roma/travellers; Transgender and Veteran Service users.

Probation reform

- Justice Secretary, David Gauke set out a blueprint for the future of probation (6 May 2019).
- The case management of all offenders/services users on Community Orders, Licence releases from Custody and Serving Prisoners will move back to the public sector and delivered by the NPS.
- The proposals will now be finalised and the new model developed to come into effect in Spring 2021.
- Programmes and unpaid work will be put out for tender to both private and public sectors with voluntary and charitable sector encouraged to get involved.

A new model for probation services – what happens now?

- The key to an effective probation service is having experienced probation practitioners delivering a quality service.
- Both London CRC and NPS will continue to invest and support employees to deliver probation services.
- The Ministry of Justice (MoJ) will now run a period of market and stakeholder engagement to finalise the probation reform proposal.
- A commercial competition will launch later this year for providers to bid for rehabilitative services going forward.

A photograph of a man riding a bicycle in a park at sunset. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm glow. The man is wearing a white t-shirt, dark pants, and a backpack. He is riding a blue bicycle. In the background, there are trees and buildings. A purple semi-transparent banner is overlaid on the image, containing the text "Delivering probation services".

Delivering probation services

London CRC and NPS joint message to our partners

- While proposals for a new probation operating model are being finalised, it will be business as usual for both organisations as we continue to support our service users across London.
- We know all case management will move back to the public sector but there will be a two year transition period to work through.
- London CRC and London NPS are committed to making it work and employees in both organisations will be fully supported over this time.
- We will keep you updated on any progress and developments.



Our commitment to transforming lives

London Community Rehabilitation Company (CRC) and the National Probation Services (NPS) in London will continue to work collaboratively to make sure we continue to support and transform the lives of our service users.