



NORTHUMBRIA
**POLICE & CRIME
COMMISSIONER**

violence
reduction
unit

Improving lives to prevent crime

The information provided in this document highlights all funding that has been awarded by the Police and Crime Commissioner for Northumbria during 2020-21. **Please note** that this document will be updated throughout the year if/when further funding is provided.

Funding has been split into the following funding streams which are:

- **Supporting Victims Fund** - This Fund was first launched in 2015 to strengthen the overall offer of support to victims in Northumbria and improves and widens the specialist services available to our most vulnerable and priority victims. Priority victims are those that are entitled to an enhanced support service under the Victims Code of Practice, Victims Charter and the EU Directive for Victims of Crime. The key themes within the Supporting Victims Fund this year are Domestic abuse, Sexual assault and abuse, Young people and child victims, Victims of hate crime, Victims with mental health needs and Victims with other vulnerabilities.
- **Appropriate Adult Provision** through a partnership with Sunderland University for the provision of Appropriate Adults for those detained in Northumbria Police custody.
- **The Corona Virus Response Fund** was set up to support small and large charities and organisations who are struggling to retain their offer of support to victims and communities in light of the Covid-19 pandemic. The fund was released to help projects/services that: Support victims, Improve people's lives to prevent crime - support access to services for those in need of safeguarding or reduce reoffending and build community confidence
- **Children Affected by Domestic Abuse (CADA) –** Northumbria PCC and received funding from the Home Office Children Affected by Domestic Abuse (CADA) Fund to fund initiatives that provide vital support for children and young people who have been impacted by domestic abuse.
- **Children Affected by Domestic Abuse (CADA) Response Fund 2020-21 -** Northumbria PCC successfully bid for and received £123,660 from the Home Office Children Affected by Domestic Abuse (CADA) Fund to help organisations that provide vital support for children and young people who have been impacted by domestic abuse to continue to do so during the Covid-19 pandemic.
- **Home Office: COVID-19 Support for Vulnerable Children's Charities: Violence Reduction Units** - Northumbria VRU, part of the Office of the Police

& Crime Commissioner for Northumbria, was awarded £135,162 by the Home Office to provide emergency support to small/micro charities that are working with vulnerable young people at risk of being involved in serious violence. The funding is intended to provide emergency support in response to the immediate pressures created by Covid-19.

- Covid-19 Extraordinary Funding for Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Victim’s Support Service** – Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner successfully bid for and received a total of £752,008.35 from the Ministry of Justice Covid-19 Extraordinary Funding to help those vital services currently supporting victims and survivors of domestic abuse and sexual violence to continue, and ensure that their services are readily available and accessible during the current pandemic. This funding will help meet the additional costs local organisations have incurred whilst adapting their services during the Covid-19 situation, as well as enabling them to cope with any increases in demand during this time as a result of the pandemic.
- The Operation Payback Fund** was launched in November 2020 by the Police and Crime Commissioner to put money recovered from criminal activities back into the heart of local communities. The fund is to support many local projects, services and community groups that strive to improve lives in their area and help keep making a positive difference in their neighbourhood often repairing the harm caused by crime. *All of the projects which have received support from this fund will be delivering up until March 2022.*
- Youth Endowment Fund** – In July 2020 the Northumbria Violence Reduction Unit (VRU) were successful in securing £99,993 from the Youth Endowment Fund COVID-19 Grant Fund which was aimed at understanding and evaluating what remote and virtual methods of engagement are successful with young people during, and beyond COVID-19 lockdown restrictions. Northumbria VRU is focusing this funding on the delivery of a range of educational, preventative and therapeutic interventions. This grant runs from 17th December 2020 to 31st December 2021. There are five delivery partners in total, three of which have received their grant during the 2020/21 financial year. The remaining two will receive their grant in the 2021/22 financial year.

For full details of all Violence Reduction Unit grants these can be found at:
<http://www.northumbria-pcc.gov.uk/violence-reduction-unit/>

Supporting Victims Fund Grants Awarded 2020-21

Victims of Domestic Abuse

Organisation	Project/service	Award
The Angelou Centre	Specialist and culturally intuitive support across Northumbria for BME women that have been victims of domestic and sexual abuse. This can include forced marriage,	£82,000

Organisation	Project/service	Award
	honour-based violence, domestic slavery, sexual exploitation, trafficking or FGM.	
Northumberland Domestic Abuse Services (NDAS)	Practical and emotional support for all victims of domestic abuse across Northumberland, including those living in rural isolation.	£50,000
Barnardo's	Specialist counselling and therapeutic support for women and children that have been victims of domestic and sexual abuse. Barnardo's will also deliver Real Love Rocks sessions in schools to promote healthy, consensual and safe relationships, as well as raising awareness of child sexual exploitation.	£32,621
Oasis Community Housing	1:1 group support, peer support groups and weekly drop-ins for women who are victims of domestic abuse.	£45,000
Women's Health in South Tyneside (WHiST)	Supporting female victims of domestic abuse through specialist counselling and therapeutic group support work.	£45,000
Newcastle Women's Aid	Provision of the Domestic Abuse Flexible Support Service to females affected by domestic abuse. This includes victims of honour-based violence, forced marriage, stalking and harassment.	£32,645
Community Counselling Co-operative	Community based therapeutic support and one to one counselling for male victims of domestic abuse and sexual violence.	£41,264
Tyneside Women's Health	One to one and group work support for women who have experienced domestic abuse. Delivering 'Undoing the Danger of Domestic Abuse' course to help women understand the impact of domestic abuse on their mental health.	£18,632
Wearside Women in Need	Provision of an Independent Domestic Violence Advocate (IDVA) Co-ordinator to ensure that the most vulnerable victims of domestic abuse (high risk MARAC cases) receive a tailored package of help and support.	£55,000
Cygnus Support	Responsive counselling and psycho-education programme, one to one support and group support for male and female victims of domestic abuse and violence.	£32,726.66

Organisation	Project/service	Award
Harbour Support Services	Specialist one to one support and assistance for female and male victims of domestic abuse of all levels of risk.	£ 39,630
West End Women and Girls Centre	Support for women over 18 years to cope and recover from domestic abuse through Safe 4 Life courses.	£14,675.30
Gateshead Council Domestic Abuse Team	Monthly Domestic Abuse Support Network sessions to provide survivors of domestic abuse with an opportunity to engage in peer-to-peer support based within their local community	£2,500

Victims of Sexual Violence

Organisation	Project/service	Award
Rape Crisis Tyneside and Northumberland	Specialist ISVA, practical and emotional support for victims of sexual violence and abuse, recent or historic, to cope and recover.	£100,000
Sunderland Counselling Service	Specialist counselling for male victims of sexual violence across Northumbria, and for female victims of sexual violence in Sunderland.	£70,000
Changing Lives	Specialist and trauma-responsive 2:1 support for women who are high risk victims of sexual exploitation that have been involved in sex work and survival sex.	£44,525
Victims First Northumbria	Specialist Independent Sexual Violence Advisor (ISVA) for LGBT+ victims of sexual violence.	£20,429.67
Rape Crisis Tyneside and Northumberland	Independent Sexual Violence Advisor (ISVA) provision for female victims of sexual violence.	£4,409.11
Newcastle Integrated Domestic Abuse Service (NIDAS)	Independent Sexual Violence Advisor (ISVA) provision for victims of sexual violence.	£4,409.11
The Angelou Centre	Independent Sexual Violence Advisor (ISVA) provision for BAME victims of sexual violence.	£4,409.11

Young People and Child Victims

Organisation	Project/service	Award
Someone Cares	School-based specialist counselling support 11-18 year olds who have been victims of domestic and sexual violence.	£66,568
Children North East	Specialist emotional and practical support for young victims of crime aged 11 to 25 year olds who are vulnerable, at risk or who have been victims of crime.	£55,188
Children North East	Therapeutic group work support for children and young people and their parents/carers to overcome the effects of trauma as a direct result of being exposed to domestic abuse.	£27,406
Children's Society	Supporting the emotional wellbeing needs of children (male and female) victims of child sexual abuse and exploitation through one to one mentoring.	£43,821.12
Streetwise Young People's Project	Counselling support to young victims of crime. EmpowHER group work programme for young women that have been victims of sexual violence or relationship abuse.	£57,000
Cygnus Support	Responsive counselling and psycho-education programme for young people aged 14-18 years old who have been a victim or witnessed domestic abuse and/or sexual violence.	£20,478.69
Newcastle United Foundation	Support for the United as One project that delivers an education programme to children in schools to combat hate crime and tackle discrimination.	£20,000
Bright Futures	Provision of assertive outreach detached youth work in areas identified as areas where young women are vulnerable and at risk to exploitation. One to one support is available for young women who wish to address the impact upon them of being exploited.	£9,828
Acorns	Crisis support and support to cope for young victims (aged 11-18 years) that have experienced domestic abuse.	£16,494
Prince's Trust	5-day course for young people (aged 16-25) who have been a victim of domestic abuse. The course will focus upon empowerment, supporting the young person to cope with their experiences and to start the road to recovery.	£4,615.60

Organisation	Project/service	Award
Nepacs	Therapeutic one to one support for children (aged 8 to 17) that have been affected by parental imprisonment.	£15,000

Victims of Hate Crime

Organisation	Project/service	Award
Connected Voice	Direct advocacy casework and emotional support for people who have experienced, are at risk of or are affected by hate crime.	£47,710
Show Racism the Red Card	Anti-racism workshops and Equalities and Hate Crime Training across the three geographical areas.	£20,000
Digital Voice for Communities	Workshops for victims of disability hate crime to create avatars to anonymously speak out about their experiences of hate crime to influence policy and professionals.	£7,500

Victims with Mental Health Needs

Organisation	Project/service	Award
Tyneside and Northumberland Mind	Specialist emotional and practical support for victims and witnesses of crime with mental health needs.	£81,772

Victims with Other Vulnerabilities

Organisation	Project/service	Award
North East Law Centre	Legal advice and support for victims of domestic abuse and also other vulnerabilities, including victims of trafficking or modern day slavery.	£46,050
Age UK Gateshead	Fast track mental health support for individuals who live in fear of crime or who are victims of crime.	£33,660
Open Clasp	Developing a new piece of theatre directly informed by women who identify as sex workers, specifically escorts and women in commercial sex work, but also women who sell sex for survival. This work will raise awareness and inform UK policy concerning the prevention of violence against women in the sex industry.	£5,000

Brake	Contribution to the Brake Helpline which is a free phone information, help and support line for victims of road crash victims.	£7,000
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Victims of ASB

Organisation	Project/service	Award
Newcastle City Council	Contribution to the provision of volunteers to support victims of Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB).	£5,000
Gateshead Council	Contribution to the provision of volunteers to support victims of Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB).	£5,000
Sunderland City Council	Contribution to the provision of volunteers to support victims of Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB).	£5,000
North Tyneside Council	Contribution to the provision of volunteers to support victims of Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB).	£5,000
South Tyneside Council	Contribution to the provision of volunteers to support victims of Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB).	£5,000

SVF Community Grants

Organisation	Project/service	Award
Sunderland University	The production of awareness raising films on the impact of Covid-19 on policing and the community.	£2,000
Friends of Dunston Staiths	Contribution for security improvements following the Dunston Staiths arson attack in May 2020.	£1,673

Northumbria Local Appropriate Adult Scheme

This scheme is provided through a partnership with Sunderland University for the provision of Appropriate Adults for adults detained in Northumbria Police custody.

Northumbria Local Appropriate Adult Scheme – Sunderland University	Through a partnership with Sunderland University for the provision of Appropriate Adults for those detained in Northumbria Police custody.	£33,935
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Corona Virus Response Fund Grant Awarded 2020-21

Organisation	Projects/service	Award
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Gateshead		
Gateshead Domestic Abuse Service	Support to victims of domestic abuse and their children.	£3,500
The Young Women's Outreach Project	Supporting young women who have experienced sexual abuse, domestic abuse and mental health problems.	£4,960
Citizens Advice Gateshead	Providing support to vulnerable people experiencing challenges such as poverty and employment.	£3,308
The Comfrey Project	Providing support to those in need of additional support to reduce mental health problems and also to those experiencing hate crime,	£5,000
Age UK Gateshead	Supporting older people who have been victims of crime.	£5,000
Chopwell Community Association	Working with young people in rural villages. To provide reduce ASB and providing support to those who are victims of crime.	£2,500
Bensham & Saltwell Alive	Working to support and divert from offending, young women and girls who reside in homes where deprivation and crime is prevalent.	£1,250
Jewish Community Council of Gateshead	Supporting communities to build community confidence and to provide advice and guidance around issues relating to ASB and hate crime.	£3,000
Newcastle		
Northern Stage	Building confidence within a community with significant deprivation.	£4,900
D2 Youth Zone	Working with vulnerable young people and families to provide support to reduce risks of offending.	£800
Citizens Advice Newcastle	Providing support to vulnerable people experiencing challenges such as poverty and employment.	£3,000
Patchwork Project	Connecting young people and children with vital emotional support.	£5,000
Play In Newcastle	Working with vulnerable young people and their families.	£4,920
West End Women and Girls	Supporting vulnerable young girls and women who have experienced abuse.	£5,000
Ethiopian Community in Newcastle	Encouraging reporting of crime such as hate crime and domestic violence.	£4,980

North Benwell Youth Project	Providing remote support and inclusion to a marginalised group within an area with high levels of deprivation.	£1,220
Fenham Association of Residents	Support for some of the most vulnerable and isolated members of our community.	£4,975
North Tyneside		
Family Gateway	Providing support to victims of domestic abuse and their family to ensure safeguarding.	£3,802
Higher Effect CIC	Supporting women in the local community, who have been or are victims of domestic abuse and/or have experienced addiction.	£4,090
MHA North Shields Live at Home Scheme	Providing support to vulnerable older people who have become victims of telephone scams and fraud.	£5,000
Baby Equipment Loan Service and Toy Library	Supporting vulnerable women from BAME communities who have been victims of domestic abuse.	£879
The Cedarwood Trust	Continuing pastoral care in an area that suffers high levels of deprivation.	£1,000
No 1151 (Wallsend) sqn ATC, RAF Air Cadets	Providing education and support to young people who are at their most vulnerable.	£1,500
Dreamshine CIC	Support service for older vulnerable people.	£3,100
Northumberland		
Haltwhistle Film Project	Working with people with learning disabilities to prevent hate crime during the current pandemic.	£2,884
Fourth Action - The Women's Workshop	Support for rural women facing many challenges, including poverty, mental health issues, coercive control and abuse.	£4,940
Trinity Youth Association	Providing support to vulnerable LGBT young people who may be experiencing hate crime and other prejudices.	£4,838
Cygnus Support Ltd	Counselling and psychotherapy to victims of domestic violence and their children, often in rural communities.	£4,594.44
Hexham and Tynedale Community Trust	Rural outreach support for elderly people, homeless people and people with mental health problems.	£2,203

Northumberland Domestic Abuse Service	Providing specialist domestic abuse supporting through a whole family approach to victims and their children	£4,244
SpLinter Group	Support for service users with learning disabilities who are at an increased risk of becoming victims of hate crime.	£3,850
Tyneside and Northumberland Mind	Specialist service working to support those who are living with mental health concerns. Providing emotional support to those affected by domestic abuse in often rural and isolated communities.	£5,000
Helix Arts	Working with vulnerable children and young people who are victims of crime or at risk of offending.	£2,500
Haltwhistle Little Star Pre-School	Using ICT to provide support and guidance to parents and young people to build confidence during unprecedented times.	£500
Hadstone House Youth & Community Projects Ltd	Building community confidence amongst the elderly by providing door step support to those most at risk of exploitation and declining mental health support.	£4,884
Heart of the Hirst Tenants and Residents Group	Support for the community and information to prevent crime and increase community confidence.	£2,120
Northumberland County Council (to support a consortia of organisations in South East Northumberland)	Community activities for children/young people and their families living in the more deprived areas of South East Northumberland that may have been disproportionately affected by Covid-19. Cross-sector engagement and delivery of activities to build community confidence and reduce crime.	£10,000
South Tyneside		
AutismAble CIC	Providing support to those with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) who have experienced hate crime.	£1,724.97
Talk 2 Us	Supporting people with learning disabilities, many who have been victims of hate crime.	£3,100
South Tyneside Churches KEY Projects	Providing a range of advice and support services to marginalised young people aged 16 – 24 at risk of homelessness and becoming involved in offending behaviour.	£5,000
TEN North East	Engaging, supporting and providing guidance to young people at risk of offending.	£4,967

Impact Family Services	Specialist domestic abuse advisors providing support to safeguard victims of domestic abuse.	£4,849.02
Women's Health in South Tyneside	Providing support to women who have been the most impacted by the crisis including those who are bereaved, whose mental and physical health has deteriorated and who have experienced increased violence in their homes.	£5,000
Sunderland		
Wearside Women in Need	Specialist service providing support to victims of domestic abuse.	£4,830.60
International Community Organisation Sunderland	Support for victims and survivors of crime including survivors of modern slavery, domestic abuse and hate crime in the Eastern European community.	£4,993.28
Young Asian Voices	Providing support young people including victims of hate crime and forced marriage.	£4,800
Gateway North East	Support young people with disabilities who are victims of disability hate crime, supporting them to alert others of the crime.	£4,600
Dare North East CIC	Working with young people at risk of offending to tackle anti-social behaviour and youth disorder.	£3,600
Youth Almighty Project	Providing support and positive engagement to vulnerable and disadvantaged young people at risk of county lines, drug and alcohol abuse.	£2,600
Washington Mind	Providing a range of mental health support and wellbeing activities to service users who are domestic abuse victims or have been victims of crime.	£3,700
FODI	Supporting vulnerable refugees and asylum seekers, who have often experienced domestic abuse and hate crime.	£1,500
St Michael & All Angels Space4 Community Project	Providing increased support to marginalised families who have experienced substance abuse, mental health issues and who are or have been connected to the Criminal Justice System as both offender and victim.	£4,604
Pallion Action Group	Working with Northumbria Police offering preventative measures to build community confidence and improve	£2,700

	wellbeing for those most at risk of becoming involved in criminal activity.	
Across area		
LD: North East	Supporting people with learning disabilities who are victims of hate crime, mate crime or exploitation.	£2,232
Cash for Kids North East	Helping local disabled and disadvantaged children through providing aid and support.	£5,000
Equal Arts	Working with vulnerable older people and their families to support and reduce risk of becoming victim to fraud and door step crime.	£4,110
Rape Crisis Tyneside and Northumberland	Providing practical and emotional support to victims of sexual violence.	£2,700
Friends Action North East	Supporting adults with a learning disability to champion safe independent friendships and offer advice and guidance to prevent hate crime.	£5,000
East African Support Group	Supporting people in the refugee and BME community who have been victims of hate crime or abuse.	£4,608
The Angelou Centre	Specialist support for female BAME victims/survivors of domestic and sexual abuse and their children.	£4,400
Your Voice Counts	Providing support and safeguarding to people with learning disabilities who are at risk of abuse and hate crime.	£4,800
Changing Lives (The Cyrenians)	Working with vulnerable people who are at risk or who have experienced sexual exploitation.	£5,000
NE Youth	Supporting disadvantaged young people aged 11-24 years old who live in the most deprived communities of society.	£4,667.50
Victims First Northumbria	Supporting vulnerable victims of crime across the whole of Northumbria.	£5,000
First Steps North East	Offering support, advice and guidance to service users who have experienced domestic abuse, physiological abuse and hate crime.	£4010
Victim Support	Enhanced support to victims of anti-social behaviour.	£3,998
Northumbria Coalition Against Crime	Providing support to some of the most vulnerable and disadvantaged young people in the North East region, those who have already offended and those at risk of offending in the future.	£4,553

Digital Voice for Communities	Supporting vulnerable children who are still attending or in receipt of free school meals to help professionals best understand their needs.	£2,500
Connected Voice Advocacy	Working with vulnerable adults who are victims of crime, including hate crime and abuse to cope and recover whilst in their increased vulnerable circumstances.	£5,000
Oasis Aquila Housing	Specialist domestic abuse support and supported accommodation for domestic abuse victims and other vulnerable people.	£5,000
Crime Stoppers	Providing an essential route for those individuals who are fearful of being identified and those who are disenfranchised and hard-to-reach.	£3,500
Someone Cares	Supporting young people who are victims of domestic abuse who need face to face support during the current crisis.	£4,977
Children North East	Supporting young people and their family who have been victims of crime.	£5,000
Connected Voice	Providing increased support for the Haref Network of over 80 members, including 12 mosques and the Sikh Temple, to ensure BAME communities are connected with the right support and to reduce hate and raise awareness.	£5,000
The Prince's Trust	Providing increased support to vulnerable young people living in difficult domestic situations.	£5,000
Show Racism The Red Card	Supporting teachers, parents and children to raise awareness of hate crime and build tolerance.	£4,800
Peace of Mind	Providing support to people who have a background from outside the UK and who are disadvantaged by the UK immigration system and who are experiencing hate crime.	£4,980
African Community Advice North East	Supporting asylum seekers and refugees from the African continent who are victims of hate crime.	£3,200
Disability North	Support for disabled people in Newcastle and across the North East who are vulnerable and at risk of targeting by offenders.	£2,500
If U Care Share Foundation	Specialist support for vulnerable people.	£2,500

Sisters with Voice	Providing an increased support service to women and girls to help reduce the impact to those who have suffered abuse and other traumatic experiences.	£2,280
Cruse Bereavement Care, Tyneside Branch	Supporting vulnerable people who have experienced bereavement at this time	£4,300
Foundation of Light	Supporting to young people struggling during this time to provide structured activity and improve well-being.	£2,500
Northern Pride	Providing support to people from the LGBT community who are experiencing hate crime and other forms of abuse.	£2,500

Children Affected by Domestic Abuse (CADA)

Organisation	Grant Awarded	Service/Grant Summary	Geographical Coverage
West End Women and Girls Centre	£60,000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DV Peer Educator programme, allows girls and young women who have experienced domestic abuse to access specialist practical and emotional support. Part of the programme involves the delivery of sessions on domestic abuse in schools and other settings, where girls and young women can come forward to be trained to become a Domestic Abuse Champion. These champions are trained to recognise domestic abuse, how to report and how to raise awareness around it. 	Northumberland North Tyneside Newcastle Gateshead Sunderland

Children Affected by Domestic Abuse (CADA) Response Fund 2020-21

Organisation	Grant Awarded	Service/Grant Summary	Geographical Coverage
West End Women and Girls Centre	£19,146	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Extension of the DV Peer Educator programme, where girls and young women who have experienced domestic abuse can access specialist practical and emotional support. Part of the programme involves the delivery 	Northumberland North Tyneside Newcastle Gateshead Sunderland

		<p>of sessions on domestic abuse in schools and other settings, where girls and young women can come forward to be trained to become a Domestic Abuse Champion. These champions are trained to recognise domestic abuse, how to report and how to raise awareness around it.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CADA Emergency Response funding will support staff retention to enable the project to continue. 	
Acorns Project	£28,506	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support for children who have experienced or are experiencing DA, in their own relationships or at home, through a 3 tier service – prevent, cope and recover. Support on offer includes counselling, play therapy, group support, drop-ins and crisis support. • CADA funding will be used to increase capacity across the service in response to increased demand and also to deliver a high level of intervention to more clients. 	Northumberland North Tyneside
Gateshead Council Domestic Abuse Service	£8,750	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialist support, advice and guidance to high and medium risk victims and children affected by domestic abuse. This includes creating and establishing detailed safety plans and co-ordinating multi-agency responses to protect victims as well as providing tailored support. • CADA funding will allow for more promoting of the service and signposting victims, more staff to be trained to work with children/young people who have been victims of DA and also allow for the purchase of the essentials to support young victims during this time. 	Gateshead
Cygnus Support	£8,300	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Counselling and psychotherapy for young victims and witnesses of domestic abuse – CADA 	Northumberland

		<p>funding will allow for the improvement and the expansion of remote/online support.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and awareness-raising around domestic abuse and the support available to children and young people. 	
Children North East	£35,939	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialist support, including counselling, to children, young people and their families who have experienced domestic abuse. • Children NE's new domestic abuse helpline will soon run from 8am to 10pm seven days a week with CADA funding. • Online Safeguarding Families programme for children/young people and their parents to learn about coping mechanisms for the effects of the trauma they have experienced through domestic abuse. 	Whole force area
Streetwise Young People's Project	£23,019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Counselling and group work for young victims of crime, including children and young people who have experienced domestic abuse. CADA funds will allow there to be additional capacity for online counselling to meet demand, and also for the purchase of PPE equipment so face to face counselling can resume when it is safe to do so. • The launch of a force wide campaign aimed at children and young people who they can't access at the moment, educating them on domestic abuse and informing of pathways to support. 	Whole force area

Home Office: COVID-19 Support for Vulnerable Children's Charities: Violence Reduction Units

Organisation	Project/Service	Award
Newcastle		

Sports for Youth	Staffing costs, PPE equipment costs and travel costs to cover bus fare for young people	£3,820.00
Sporting Chance CIC	Staffing and ICT costs	£10,932.00
D2 Youth Zone	Equipment costs that have incurred due to Covid-19 and to help get back to 1 to 1. Possibly staff costs to bring back from furlough.	£3,872.00
North Benwell Youth Project	Additional staffing costs to enable face to face work	£7,200.00
The Wor Hoose Community Project	Extra youth clubs and detached youth support and extra session on weekend evenings.	£7,120.00
Life Transformation Church	Building amendments, CCTV, volunteers, PPE, social media and ICT	£3,200.00
Grainger Park (Boxing Club)	Staffing Costs to facilitate an increase in the hours and numbers of sessions that they can deliver	£7,800.00
Jobes Boxing & Fitness Gym	Costs associated with resuming face to face small group outreach session	£9,000.00
Throckley Community Hall	PPE to resume face to face youth work & bring in detached youth service into the area as a result of the demand.	£7,395.00
North Tyneside		
East End Youth and Community Centre	The funding will enable staff to re-start face to face work within the current social distancing guidance with additional PPE in place.	£4,795.00
The Basement Project at St Bartholomew's	Detached work outside in public areas in small groups until the guidelines allow the hall to reopen.	£6,423.00
Longbenton Youth and Community Centre	Detached youth work & bring staff back off furlough to resume the work of the project	£8,694.00
Northumberland		

Allendale Youth Ambition	Staffing Costs and PPE to enable outdoor activities to resume	£5,605.00
Amble Youth Project	Detached work with youths - staff costs and ppe.	£3,351.00
Newsham and New Delaval Youth Forum	Staffing costs, activity packs, vouchers for YP and tel costs, Going forward staff costs for detached youth work.	£6,649.00
South Tyneside		
Waves	Working with parents of young people with additional needs and they are struggling in the current situation, particularly with lack of physical contact. Funding would allow in part for online sessions of CalmKids Touch Therapy and would also allow PPE and social distancing supplies to support face to face sessions when government guidelines allow opening.	£6,800.00
AUXILLIA Youth	Engage through detached work and raise presence of staff around community centre to tackle some of the vandalism at the centre - engaging in a clean up of community centre, including PPE. Working closely with Willoby Rocks environmental group to help.	£6,740.00
Young Carers CIC	Looking to fund resources for young carers so they can form support bubbles and engage families in outdoor socialising and support. Also to purchase a number of laptops for staff to resume online contact as they were sent out of their office and didn't have enough equipment to go around.	£5,700.00

Sunderland		
St Marks Community Centre	Work with multi organisations to help and support local children and young adults, who maybe going through difficult times, they would like to alter premises to make it safe to continue work and open up more sessions	£5450.00
Cross Area		
uS Active	Additional coordinator and coach hours, + marketing, to support proactive case finding for those most vulnerable following lockdown period. Offering 1-2-1 activity coaching for individuals <25 who are living with or at risk of mental health issues	£6,268.00
Tyneside Outdoors	Staffing and associated costs, minibus hire to go and do activities (socially distanced) and activity costs	£8,798.00

Covid-19 Extraordinary Funding for Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Victim's Support Service

Organisation	Grant Awarded	Service/Grant Summary	Geographical Coverage
Northumberland Domestic Abuse Service (NDAS)	£35,981.58	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practical and emotional support for all victims of domestic abuse across Northumberland, including those living in rural isolation • Individual and group support • Support through the CJS • Specialist group courses available including the Freedom Programme, Freedom Forever and The Recovery Toolkit • This funding will enable the service to increase staffing levels and provide specialist trauma informed therapeutic support during the current 	Northumberland

		<p>pandemic to support victims of Domestic Abuse</p>	
Being Woman	£12,492.34	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free & confidential dedicated service. • Survive to Thrive to support Asylum Seekers, Refugees and BAME (Black, Minority and Ethnic) groups in Northumberland with Domestic Abuse, Relationship problems, upsetting or traumatic experiences, Difficult emotions whether it's something recent or something historical. • Provide a safe and inclusive space for people from various ethnic backgrounds and at risk of social isolation to provide support services which have the purpose of helping victims of abuse cope with the impacts of trauma, and as far as possible, recover from the harm they have experienced • Promote cultural exchange, provide advice and support to improve victim's socio-economic status, well-being and integration. • This funding will enable the service to cover staffing costs along with IT costings during the current pandemic to support victims of Domestic Abuse 	Northumberland
Northumberland Pride	£15,043.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raises awareness of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender (LGBT+) culture and heritage in today's society within Northumberland . • They support the LGBT+ community with specialist advice, support and guidance on a wide range of services including, but not limited to; 	Northumberland

		<p>peer to peer support, sexual health, mental health, domestic violence, sexual abuse, isolation issues, volunteering opportunities as well as delivering funded projects such as our “positive role models” campaign.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It is an LGBTQ+ specialised service providing generic victim support with tailored support for domestic abuse and/or sexual violence through guidance, awareness, prevention, support, advice and signposting • Aside from an annual LGBTQ+ festival as part of a programme of events, unlike many other pride organisations an all year-round support service is offered to members of the LGBTQ+ community within Northumberland. • This funding will support with staffing, IT, Stationary and Welfare pack costs to support victims of Domestic Abuse. 	
Family Gateway	£24,106.70	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engage, support and empower the most hard to reach and vulnerable families across North/South Tyneside, South East Northumberland and parts of Newcastle. • The model recruits and trains local people who have first-hand lived experience of the issues that service users find challenging. • Support provided by the organisation includes: financial; mental/ physical ill-health, support for domestic violence victims; poor school attendance/achievement; risk of moving into care; poor 	Cross area

		<p>accommodation; history of antisocial behaviour and crime.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The common factors are children in those households are adversely affected by the family and home situation and without whole family support their lives will be negatively shaped, potentially permanently, due to factors beyond their control such as domestic abuse or sexual violence. Family Gateway's ultimate aim is to intervene early to improve life chances for children by creating safe, loving, nurturing family and home environments. • This funding will support with Staffing Costs, supervision, ICT and associated costs to support victims of Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence 	
Bright Futures	£38,539	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address the sexual exploitation of young women aged 11-25 years old • Education and assertive outreach detached youth work on two evenings a week in areas where women are vulnerable and at risk of sexual exploitation – informal education sessions and positive social activities • One to one tailored support to young women who wish to address the impact upon them of being exploited – an holistic programme of support in order for young women to be supported, live safely, be independent and make positive and informed choices. • Continuation of partnership working with Northumbria Police's Operation Sanctuary 	South Tyneside

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support for young women going through the court process • This funding will support with staffing costs during this pandemic to support victims of Sexual Violence. 	
Wearside Women in Need (WWIN)	£52,187	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialist IDVA victim-led support for high risk (MARAC) victims of domestic abuse with an aim to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have stronger operating procedures and referral routes to increase victim engagement through a needs-led delivery model • Find alternative approaches to engage very high risk repeat victims • Create a more effective route to justice for victims • Improve multi-agency response through a greater understanding of victims needs and risk management • This funding will support with the purchase of additional IT and PPE to continue to support victims of Domestic Abuse 	Sunderland
Acorns (North Tyneside)	£13,016.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support to cope and crisis support for 11-18 year olds that have experienced domestic abuse in their own relationships or at home, through a 3 tier service – prevent, cope and recover. Support on offer includes counselling, play therapy, group support, drop-ins and crisis support. • Risk and safety planning – developing strategies to stay safe and helping the child to identify supportive and safe people in their life 	Northumberland North Tyneside

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emotional support – a lower level of therapeutic intervention for children struggling with current life events but may not be in a position to commit to a structured programme of counselling • Advocacy – support at meetings/appointments, for example, at school or court • Practical advice, guidance and mentoring – this could be around future choices and decisions, education, employment, mental and physical health • Support for children who have experienced or are experiencing DA, • Funding will be used to increase capacity across the service in response to increased demand and also to deliver a high level of intervention to more clients. • This funding will enable the service to purchase phones, laptop accessories to facilitate homeworking and equipment to enable resumption of CV-19 compliant services and support victims of Domestic Abuse 	
Rape Crisis Tyneside and Northumberland	£9,930.24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialist ISVA, practical and emotional support (including counselling) to cope and recover from the impact of sexual violence, recent or historic. • Support clients through the criminal justice system • Counsellor dedicated to victims referred from Victims First Northumbria • Support women and girls aged 13+ and also 	Cross Area

		<p>anyone who feels a women and girl's service is right for them.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This funding will support with the purchase of IT equipment, office stationary and staffing costs to support victims of Sexual Violence 	
<p>Safer Communities</p>	<p>£16,480</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make communities safer, support victims of Sexual Violence and create opportunities to change people's lives for the better. • Provide high quality support, interventions and programmes that deliver significant life changing differences for people who engage in our services. • Provide a positive future for children and young people. • Transform the lives of victims of crime and support them to cope and recover. • Create safe and sustainable communities. • North East Sexual Assault Referral Centre Support Service - 24/7 Crisis service for victims of rape and sexual abuse in the Teesside, Durham and Northumbria SARC areas • Victim Care and Advice Service • Restorative Justice Services • Community Peer Mentors • Youth Services. • This funding will enable the purchase of IT equipment so that support 	<p>Cross Area</p>

		can still be offered during this current pandemic to continue to support victims of Sexual Violence	
The Children's Society	£29,521.52	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One to one mentoring and resilience programme for children and young people aged 10 to 18 years old who have been affected by child sexual exploitation • Source and deliver where appropriate therapies and support packages tailored to the individual needs of the young person • Help build the confidence, resilience and well-being of the young person by providing practical and emotional support; enabling young people to set their own personal goals and assisting them to access activities and therapies necessary for their progression • Provide a listening ear and act as a positive role model to complement the intensive support work developed by SCARPA • Make referrals for intensive care and support • This funding will support with additional staffing costs during this pandemic to support victims of Sexual violence 	Cross Area
The Halo Project	£7,389	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The service is led by BAME women and works with BAME women and girls (aged 17 or over) who are at risk of or facing Domestic or Sexual Violence, specifically Illegal Cultural Harms (ICH) which include Honour Based Violence, Forced Marriage and Female Genital Mutilation, Modern Slavery, Grooming, Coercive Control and hate crimes. 	Newcastle Sunderland

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The service supports victims on a 1:1 basis from crisis and through our cultural support, learning and empowerment so they can move on to live independent lives free from harm. • Direct victim outreach services are already delivered across other Force areas and include 1:1 cultural, multilingual support from crisis to recovery, safeguarding, specialist BAME 6 bed refuge, move on, accredited trauma informed community education for recovery, practical, financial, health and wellbeing support, legal partners and Halo IDVA support in court. • This funding will enable the establishment of additional hubs for vulnerable people to access support around domestic abuse within the Northumbria Region 	
Impact Family Services	£17,015	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide support to ex partners who are facing low level conflict and disagreement over arrangements for the children post separation. • The service has increased its knowledge, skills and expertise in the multi complexities of couple relationships and family breakdown and have developed services across the North East of England to meet a range of situations including specialist domestic violence and abuse services, bespoke therapeutic children's, families services as well as behaviour change programmes. 	Cross Area

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This funding will enable the service to support a variation of current work during the pandemic and the purchase of ICT equipment to continue contact with victims. 	
North East Law Centre	£29,649.36	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legal advice and support service for victims of domestic abuse and also victims with other vulnerabilities Domestic abuse support – specialist support for male and female victims of all levels of risk of domestic abuse; outreach provision for minority ethnic victims including support for honour-based abuse and FGM victims; emotional and practical support for parents who are subject to domestic abuse by their adolescent children. Support for victims with other vulnerabilities - specialist advice for victims of trafficking, modern slavery and labour exploitation; specialist support and practical guidance for victims of crime with regards to criminal injuries compensation and understanding the criminal justice system. This funding will support with Solicitor, IT and staffing costs occurred during the current pandemic to support victims of domestic abuse. 	Cross Area
West End Women and Girls	£36,018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support for women over 18 years to cope and recover from domestic abuse through Safe 4 Life courses There will be three 11-week courses delivered 	Northumberland North Tyneside Newcastle Gateshead Sunderland

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduates from the course will have the opportunity to go on a 10-week course to become a DV Peer Supporter • The DV Peer Supporters will run a weekly drop-in for domestic abuse victims • Through the DV Peer Educator programme, girls and young women who have experienced domestic abuse can access specialist practical and emotional support. Part of the programme involves the delivery of sessions on domestic abuse in schools and other settings, where girls and young women can come forward to be trained to become a Domestic Abuse Champion. These champions are trained to recognise domestic abuse, how to report and how to raise awareness around it. • This funding would support the purchase of ICT equipment, software, support and additional management supervision of staff supporting victims of Domestic Abuse. 	
Victims First Northumbria (VFN)	£38,539	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide a one stop shop for victims of crime including Domestic Abuse and Sexual violence delivering an integrated victim care approach for victims who are at risk of serious harm or have substantial needs • Champion the needs of victims • Provide clear pathways for victims which are often complex and dynamic 	Cross Area

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide clear pathways for victims through the Criminal Justice System • Co-ordinate victims cope and recovery care • Identify opportunities to support victims through their recovery utilising Restorative Justice • Deliver “Victim driven support” placing the victim in control of their care package allowing them to cope and recover • Identify victims and witness needs to ensure the right emotional and practical support is provided through the court process • Provide a consistent across the board so no matter where people live they receive a good service which leaves them with a positive experience • Become a centre for excellence for the provision of victims services with very clear quality standards and a quality of service commitment for all victims • Ensure resources are available to support victims efficiently and effectively • This funding will enable the support of additional staffing and IT costs incurred during the current pandemic to support victims of domestic abuse. 	
The Angelou Centre	£38,746.14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialist holistic, culturally intuitive, support for BME women who have been 	Newcastle

		<p>victims of domestic and/or sexual abuse</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accessible advocacy support (IDVA and ISVA trained staff) to reduce victimisation and improve safety • Trauma-informed therapeutic interventions for sexual violence victims • This funding will support with additional staffing costs, purchase of ICT equipment and PPE to support victims of Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence 	
Streetwise Young People's Project	£57,162	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialist advice, support and therapeutic services for young people aged 11-25 years who are/have been victims of sexual abuse, exploitation, domestic violence, physical assault, hate crime or other, helping them cope and recover from their experiences • Counselling and group work for young victims of crime, including children and young people who have experienced domestic abuse. • The launch of a force wide campaign aimed at children and young people who they can't access at the moment, educating them on domestic abuse and informing of pathways to support. • This funding will enable the purchase of PPE and cover additional staffing and travel costs incurred as a result of the current pandemic to support victims of Domestic Abuse 	Cross Area
Community Counselling Cooperative	£6,829	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One to one specialist peripatetic counselling for male victims of domestic 	Cross Area

		<p>abuse, sexual abuse, assault and harassment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monthly peer support groups to create greater resilience, coping strategies and increased self-awareness. • This funding will enable the service to develop upon their online capabilities to ensure the service is still available to victims. 	
Harbour Support Services	£30,675	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One to one sessions to assess immediate safety, provide information and establish the support each victim will need • This funding will support with the additional staffing costs incurred as a result of the current pandemic to support victims of Sexual violence. 	Cross Area
Changing Lives	£35,250	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trauma-responsive, 2:1 support for high risk women who have been involved in sex work, survival sex and/or have been a victim of sexual exploitation. • Safety planning and wellbeing support • Dialectical Behaviour Therapy (DBT) and recovery programmes will be embedded into the 2:1 support • Support for women to find a place in their community through volunteering, further education and employment • Support for victims through the CJS • This funding will support the service in continuing their work with high risk victims who are currently in supported accommodation. 	Cross Area
Newcastle Women's Aid	£13,620	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support for female victims of domestic abuse, including 	Newcastle

		<p>HBV, forced marriage, stalking and harassment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support for women and girls to achieve safety and stay safe • Emotional and practical support, information and advocacy • One to one support including, exploring and identifying their options • Individual safety and support plans for clients including regular reviews of agreed actions • Access to any other support services provided by NWA • Varying levels of support so there can be a quick response, minimising waiting times for support • This funding will enable the service to purchase additional IT equipment to continue support during the current pandemic to support victims of Domestic Abuse 	
Children North East	£48,330	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialist counselling for young people aged 11 to 25 year olds who are vulnerable/have mental health issues following a crime or who have been victims of sexual violence One to one counselling – this will include innovative counselling approaches such as ‘Exposure Therapy’, which helps the you person take control of their fears • This funding will enable the service to support with the purchase of ICT equipment, PPE and cover additional staffing costs incurred during the current pandemic to support victims of Sexual Violence 	Cross Area

Tyneside Women's Health	£2,741.22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One to one and group support for women who have experienced domestic abuse • Weekly support groups in Newcastle and Gateshead for women affected by domestic abuse • Delivering 'Undoing the Damage of Domestic Abuse' courses to help women understand the impact of their abuse on their mental health and the steps to take to overcome this • Monthly network for women who have experienced domestic abuse led by service users who have accessed support and received training. This forms part of the exit strategy for women. • This funding will help cover the costs of additional staffing and telephony during the current pandemic to support victims of domestic abuse 	Cross Area
Cygnus Support	£32,857.72	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Responsive one to one counselling and psycho-education programme for victims of domestic abuse and sexual violence to help them cope and recover from their experiences • This funding will enable the service to continue and offer their service and cover any costs that have been incurred by the service during the current pandemic to support victims of domestic abuse 	Northumberland
Apna Ghar	£27,340.58	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support for women by providing a wide range of opportunities by developing confidence and empower 	South Tyneside

		<p>women to recognise their full potential whilst allowing them to maintain their cultural identity.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The service supports women with complex issues including domestic abuse and provide support with advice/advocacy, signposting and working in partnership with other organisations and agencies on issues such as domestic abuse, group work, drop-ins and information gaining sessions. • Offer various vocational and non-vocational classes including, basic English, IT, sewing and a gardening project. All sessions are supported by qualified multi-lingual staff. • The COVID Project will support BAME women victim survivors and their children providing specialist pathways of intervention and recovery support responding to the specific needs of women during the pandemic. • This funding will support the service with the purchase of IT equipment and cover any staffing costs incurred as a result of the current pandemic to support victims of Domestic Abuse 	
<p>Women's Health in South Tyneside (WHIST)</p>	<p>£16,510</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Counselling service for women aged 16+ who are victims of domestic abuse and/or sexual abuse • 12-week therapeutic support group called 'Kindness Within' • This funding will enable the service to purchase IT equipment and cover any additional staffing and 	<p>South Tyneside</p>

		management costings incurred during the current pandemic to support victims of domestic abuse	
Riverside Community Health Project	£40,183.01	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engage with and support the whole community, especially those families most in need, including the BAME communities. • Offer a range of services including training into employment, family support, welfare rights and debt advice, activities for parents and very young children, support to apply EU residents to apply for settled status. • Run groups for women called Staying Afloat which aim to increase women's resilience and give them the opportunity to meet in a safe, creative and supportive environment so that they can talk freely with their peers (supported by a group worker who is experienced in working with women who disclose domestic abuse). • Offering socially distanced contact visits and deliveries of essential items such as food, nappies, toiletries to those families that we have assessed as most at risk so that we have sight of the family and they feel supported. This includes families where there has been a history of domestic abuse or we suspect there is abuse present. • This funding will enable the service to purchase IT equipment and cover any additional staffing costings occurred during the current 	Newcastle

		pandemic to support victims of Domestic Abuse	
Action for Children	£26,035.64	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The service works to protect and support children and young people. • The service aims to help children get the best start in life, ensuring children have safe and stable homes. • The service offer support for young people's mental health via the offer of practical and emotional support. • The service operate over 475 services nationally, improving the lives of over 380,000 children, teenagers, parents and carers every year. • This funding will support with the purchase of IT equipment and cover additional staffing costs incurred as a result of the current pandemic to support victims of Domestic Abuse 	Cross Area

Operation Payback Fund

All of these projects which have received support from this fund during 2020/21 will be delivering up until March 2022.

Organisation	Outline of bid	Award
South Tyneside		
First Contact Clinical CIC	This project will deliver focussed support to 200 offenders over the age of 18 in relation to mental and physical health to reduce reoffending.	£24,671
South Shields FC Foundation Limited	This project will work with the Police and Youth Justice Service to run a project for young people, at risk of offending/re-offending, to participate in preventative activities and reparation.	£9,500
Sunderland		
Wearside Women in Need (WWiN)	This funding will contribute towards the 'Recovery Unit' based in Washington Village for women with complex needs.	£22,000

Evolve Youth Inclusion	This project will deliver a youth inclusion programme in Hendon blending traditional youth work, sports coaching and diversionary activities.	£16,500
International Community Organisation of Sunderland (ICOS)	This project will provide one-to-one advice and guidance to the non-UK born community living in Sunderland and the surrounding areas affected by domestic violence/abuse, anti-social behaviour and hate crime.	£11,312
Streetgames Southwick	This project will provide a new youth intervention programme to be delivered in Southwick, Sunderland, to engage young people in safe and positive activities, working to prevent youth crime from occurring and to address the root causes.	£9,000
North Tyneside		
Linskill & North Tyneside Community Development	This project will deliver weekly issue based youth provision and diversionary activities from the community centre situated in Battle Hill.	£25,000
Cullercoats Collective	This project will fund the creation of Beach Ambassadors and the organising of a number of free events that run on the beach across the summer to reduce anti-social behaviour.	£6,746
Northumberland		
Cowpen Quay Community Association	Funding provided for the centre to continue their work to reduce crime and anti-social behaviour by enabling a wide range of projects and activities to be available in the community.	£25,000
YMCA - Northumberland	Funding to deliver a diversionary youth programme called Y-Engage, this is to target and engage young people currently involved in, or at risk of being involved in, anti-social behaviour and violence in the town of Ashington, with a particular focus on the Hirst area.	£12,652
Allendale Youth Ambition	Funding to provide a further programme of outdoor activities, particularly attracting those who, due to Covid, contact has been lost with, and who are on the fringes of anti-social behaviour.	£10,000
Gateshead		

Groundworks NE & Cumbria	Funding to provide detached and outreach youth work and also the formation of a steering group for local people and businesses in the Lobley Hill area.	£12,500
Dunston Community Centre	Funding for a project to tackle youth disorder by supporting young adults who have been excluded from school, expelled or served community sentences to become mentors to challenged teenagers encouraging, influencing, guiding and supporting them to similarly take responsibility for their actions.	£12,500
The Lawnmowers Independent Theatre Company	The project will involve creating an innovative training and workshop package, digital training and learning package and accessible materials to address the issue of Extremism and the exploitation of people with learning disabilities aimed at the disabled community and those that work to support them.	£10,000
Friends of Chopwell Park	Funding contribution to flood lighting for the multi-use cycle track which will enable the track to be in used during the darkness hours after school which is a key time of anti-social behaviour especially in the winter months.	£1,000
Newcastle		
WEWAG West End Women & Girls Centre	Funding to deliver targeted work in the west end of Newcastle, running the innovative Edible Elswick 'Garden Neighbours' project on local estates.	£15,900
Newbiggin Hall Play and Youth Network (Action for Children)	Funding to improve the connectedness and effectiveness of existing projects which will impact on the visibility and uptake of services and the provision of diversionary youth club sessions run at Galafield, Newbiggin Hall.	£12,500
Streetwise Young People's Project	Funding for the 'MEET UP MONDAYS' project, targeted at BAME young men aged 13 – 16 years living in and around Newcastle, to develop increased local knowledge, history and cultural awareness with the aim of reducing the likelihood of members becoming involved in anti-social behaviour, gangs, or a victim of crime or a perpetrator of violence.	£11,588

ACANE African Community Advice North East	Funding to provide advice and signposting to victims of hate crime, domestic abuse, serious violence and anti-social behaviour focussed on the BAME community.	£2,960
Across Area		
Edge NE	This project will deliver specialist support for girls associated with gangs and will provide this service across the whole of the Northumbria region.	£25,000
Acorns with Tyneside & Northumberland MIND	Funding provided for a pilot programme of support for children aged from 4 years who have witnessed or been involved in an incident of violent crime, the effects of which have adversely affected their happiness and wellbeing. This will deliver in North Tyneside and Northumberland	£24,885
Family Gateway	Funding for an early intervention and prevention project across Newcastle and Gateshead focused on intensive and bespoke community-led support for medium and high level victims of anti-social behaviour and young people who are involved in anti-social behaviour and at risk of escalating to more intense and criminal behaviour. This will deliver in Newcastle and Gateshead	£23,330
Gateshead and South Tyneside Sight Service	This project aims to reduce the risk of cybercrime among vulnerable adults, particularly blind and partially sighted people in Gateshead and South Tyneside.	£15,400
GemArts-Gateshead Visible Ethnic Minorities Support Group (GVEMSG)	Funding for an art based project focussed on hate crime and anti-social behaviour across Newcastle and Gateshead focused on both the BAME and wider community of both areas.	£10,000

Youth Endowment Fund (VRU)

Organisation	Project/service	Award
Newcastle United Foundation	Delivery of the digital mentoring version of Newcastle United Foundation's The Prince's Trust ACHIEVE Award; allowing young people to develop personal, social and health education skills and knowledge through a flexible approach to learning. The aim is to maintain positive engagement whilst reducing factors such	£15,000

Organisation	Project/service	Award
	as ASB or social isolation and will focus on improving relationships in the family home and increasing positive decision making.	
Foundation of Light	<p>Delivery of a flexible and tailored programme of activities in a range of topic areas through accredited virtual learning where young people can access 30 short courses including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • citizenship, • personal finance education, • beliefs and values for developing personal and social skills to play a role in a modern multicultural society, • FoodWise activities to develop skills and knowledge through cooking and food preparation. <p>There will also be online challenges, including FIFA knockout style tournaments, to support rapport building and connection beyond the delivery of the learning packages.</p>	£16,310
Family Gateway	<p>Support for young people between 10-14 years of age as well as a family based approach by providing support to the parent or carer. Young people will be supported to increase their understanding of what raises their vulnerability and increases the risk of violence; it will help them build resilience, aspiration and reduce risk. This project will focus on supporting young people who may have had adverse childhood experiences, have challenging home lives, low educational achievement, and additional needs including mental health, SEND or ADHD for example.</p>	£31,447