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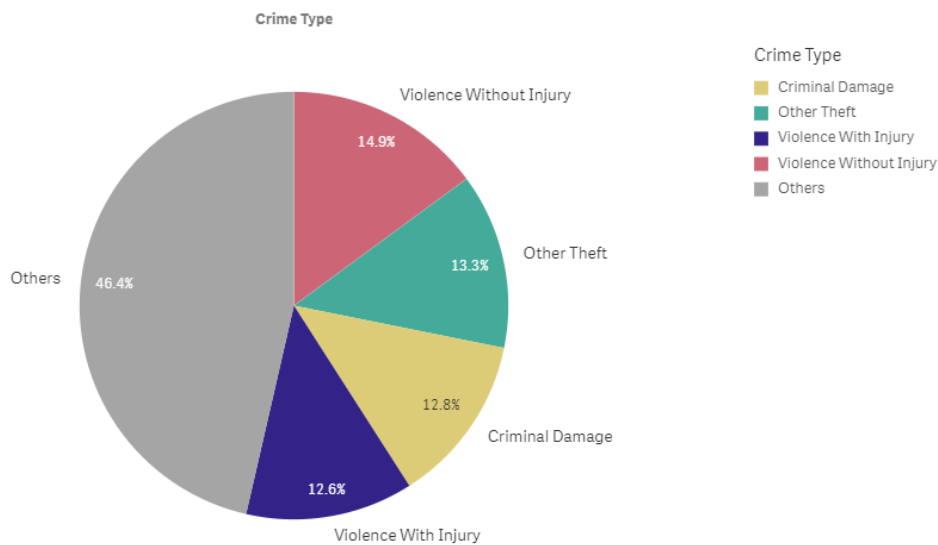


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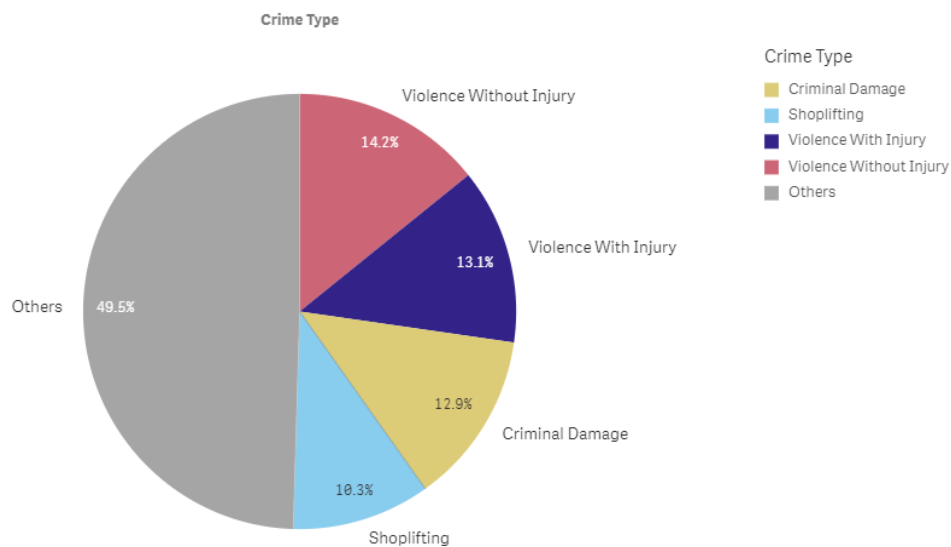
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## PERFORMANCE

Your Area - Five Highest Crime Groups (Previous 12 months)



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Wiltshire North CPT - crime and incident demand for the 12 months to August 2019

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## Force-wide

- Wiltshire Police has had an increase in the volume of recorded crime by 1% in the 12 months to August 19 and continues to have one of the lowest crime rates in the country.
- Our service delivery remains consistently good.
- In August, we received 9,198 999 calls which we answered within 4 seconds on average and 13,576 CRIB calls which we answered within 1 minutes 24 seconds on average.
- In August, we also attended 1,823 emergency incidents within 10 minutes and 32 seconds on average.
- Wiltshire Police has seen a 22% reduction in vehicle crime and 20 per cent in burglary in the 12 months to August 2019. These are the most improved trends in the country.
- The Crime Survey of England & Wales recently ranked Wiltshire as one of the top forces (78.3%) nationally for public confidence. It covers the 12 months to March 2019.  
The publication can be found here: [WWW.CRIMESURVEY.CO.UK](http://WWW.CRIMESURVEY.CO.UK)

For more information on Wiltshire Police's performance please visit:

PCC's Website - <https://www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk/article/1847/Performance>

HMICFRS Website - <https://www.justiceinspectorates.gov.uk/hmicfrs/police-forces/wiltshire/>

Police.uk - <https://www.police.uk/wiltshire>

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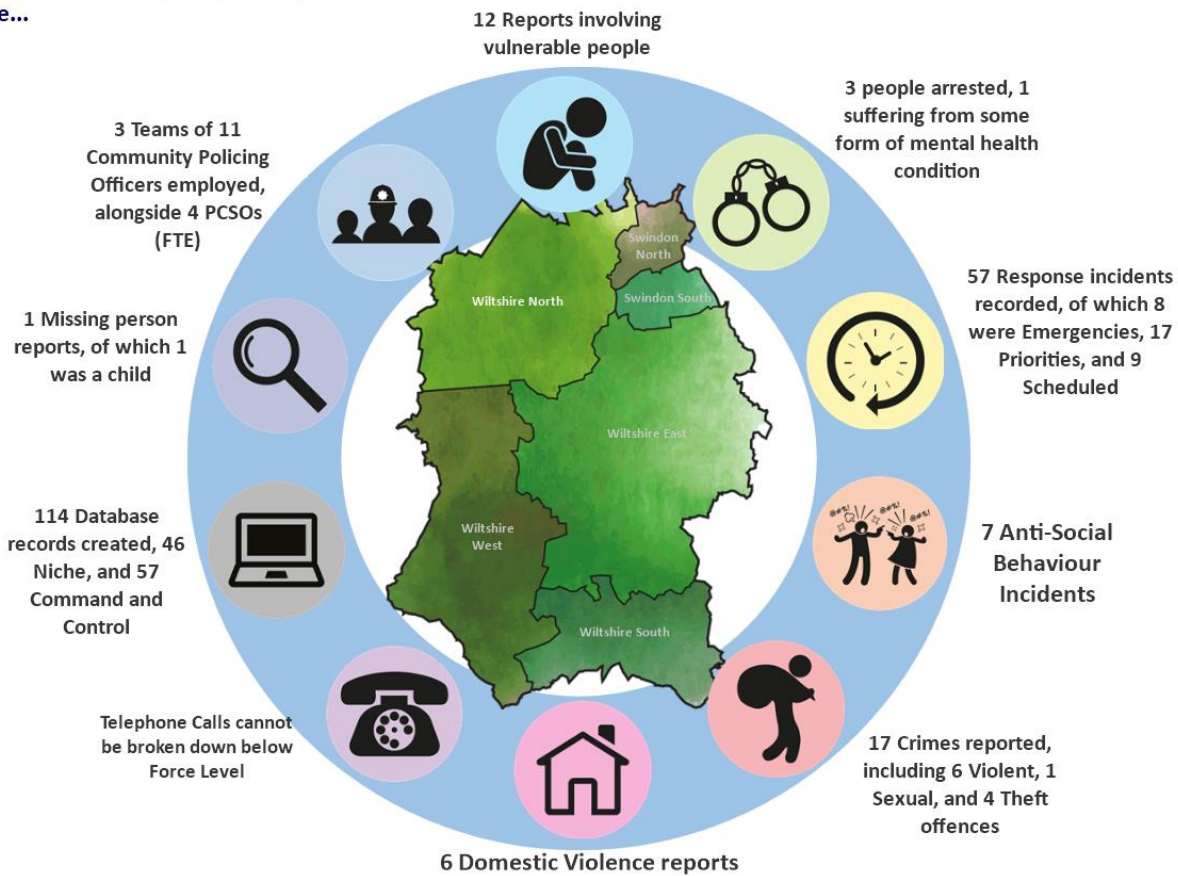


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## Area specific

On an average day in Wiltshire North there were...



Wiltshire North CPT Demand Overview – 12 months to August 2019

## HIGH LEVEL CPT UPDATES:

There has been an increase in Bike thefts around Chippenham. Targetted operations are being planned as well as events to mark bike together with British Transport Police – dates to be confirmed.

01/08/2019 12:30 Unknown male has entered the a home in Clift Avenue trying to sell items to the elderly lady and has been given £5 as a good will gesture, then he left. He has then gone to the rear of the property, entered uninvited via an insecure door, and taken the remainder of the money from the wallet that was in the bureau (total unknown).

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04/08/2019 19:00 - 04/08/2019 20:00 Unknown suspect has entered an insecure stock room at Martin McColls and have stolen 12 bottles of Smirnoff Vodka to a total value of £173.88 and has also gone through the handbags of the staff that were left within the room.

06/08/2019 17:30 Unknown suspect have stolen a Shark Mountain bike to the value of £300 that chained and locked in the residential area of her building in the Cowleaze area.

07/08/2019 22:40 Unknown suspect have cut through a chain that was securing a push bike with an unknown object. Suspect has then stolen the pushbike and the lock. The bike, a Carrera Cross Fire worth £600, was left securely locked up, whilst he attended the Atlas Gym nearby

06/08/2019 11:47 Two unknown female suspects have entered the warehouse of Wickes Store and stolen two Einhell power tools valued at £78.00.

10/08/2019 15:00 Unknown suspect has stolen a secured pushbike, Bike is a red with Carrera written in orange (Carrera hellcat - it is a limited edition) No frame number known. The bike also has front and back clip on lights and has a few scratches on the handlebars.

14/08/2019 14:03 - 14/08/2019 18:49 Unknown suspect(s) have entered a property in Lower North Wraxall and carried out an untidy search has been carried out in an upstairs bedroom. A jewellery box has been emptied out and jewellery has been stolen.

15/08/2019 12:13 - 15/08/2019 12:20 Unknown male approached a female whilst she was getting into her car at Sainsburys on Bath Road, he insisted on directions to the Hospital and she had to write it down. Foreign Male, Smartly dressed, Blue shirt and a cap. American Express card has been taken and so far money TVO £300.00 also attempted to take over £2000 but transactions declined at Sainsbury's and Argos. Should you get approached by a male asking the same and feel that they are distracting you, please be aware and report any suspicious activity immediately.

21/08/2019 - Unknown female suspect has entered through the main entrance of One Stop on Sheldon Road, walked down an aisle then went back to the till and asked the store assistant to get a product for her. As he walked away, she has then taken scissors out of her bag, cut the string and put the charity bucket in her bag. She has then left through the main entrance while the store assistant was still out of sight.

24/08/2019 - Two unknown male youths have stolen a petrol strimmer and a chainsaw from Lidl in Chippenham. They have then fled the scene on foot carrying the items, which were

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still in boxes. Value of theft £169.98. Suspects described as WM, 5' 8", one wearing a faded red "ugly" top, number 3 haircut, the other looks like the older brother of the first.

27/08/2019 - Unknown suspect(s) have stolen the IPs Dawes Kalahari hybrid bicycle while it was parked padlocked in a communal bike shed, value of bicycle new is £500.

Chippenham CPT continue to prepare Section 23 Misuse of Drugs Warrants in line with our Control Strategy. Information from the public is vital and appreciated.



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## YOUR CPT – Wiltshire North



Inspector Mark Luffman



Sergeant Don Pocock

### Community Co-ordinators:

PC Ashleigh Bray (Chippenham and Corsham)



PCSO Ali Duncan



PCSO Julie Chard



PCSO Val Wagstaff



PCSO Elizabeth Duncan



PCSO Toni Brown



PCSO Lyn Staples

You can find out more about Wiltshire North CPT, including news stories and contacts for

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local officers, on our website: [www.wiltshire.police.uk/WiltshireNorth](http://www.wiltshire.police.uk/WiltshireNorth)

## LOCAL PRIORITIES

CPT Inspector to update progress on each

PRIORITIES FOR WILTSHIRE NORTH CPT	UPDATE
<b>Priority 1:</b>	
Bike Thefts around Chippenham	<p>An operation is currently being planned which will involve come covert work.</p> <p>A planned event in partnership with British Transport Police on 30<sup>th</sup> October 2019 regarding bike safety and boke marking kits will be available.</p>
<b>Priority 2:</b>	
Drug dealing	Continued targeted patrols in keys areas
<b>Priority 3:</b>	
<b>Priority 4:</b>	



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## HIGH LEVEL PCC UPDATES

- **Recruitment** - A national recruitment campaign has now begun to recruit the additional officers promised by Prime Minister Boris Johnson. We still don't know what numbers we should expect in Wiltshire and await further detail from the Home Secretary.
- **Mental Health** - In recent years Wiltshire Police has seen an increase of almost 300 per cent in incidents related to mental health. In part, this is because of additional officer training in mental health and our mental health triage team which sit alongside call handlers correctly assessing and categorising these types of incidents. We have built strong working relationships with our partners, and I will continue to challenge them to make sure that gaps in mental health provisions are addressed.
- **Annual Report** - My annual report for 2018/19 has recently been published updating on the work of my office and the police against the priorities I set and can be found on my website. Highlights include officer recruitment, public engagement and the development of cyber-crime teams.

## HIGH LEVEL FORCE UPDATES

- **Force Management Statement** – We have recently published a 20-page document which gives the public an easy to read summary of our Force Management Statement 2019. It is available on our website and breaks down the challenges and demands facing Wiltshire Police and what we are doing to combat them. We are encouraging people to make sure they read it to get more of an insight into modern policing.
- **Tasers** – There has been a national focus on officer safety over recent weeks, particularly around the debate about training more police officers to carry Tasers. This is a complex issue, and our Chief Constable and Police and Crime Commissioner are closely following a national evidence-based review into the matter. Updates on this will be published on our website.
- **Who You Gonna Call** – A social media campaign has been taking place throughout August to highlight the demand on our 101 and 999 call handlers. It has been designed to educate the public about the best ways to contact police, whether that be over the phone or online, and when it is more appropriate to contact partner agencies such as the local authority. Please have a look at our Facebook and Twitter pages for more information.



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## GET INVOLVED

- You can keep up to date with the latest news in your area by signing up to our Community Messaging service – [www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk](http://www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk)
- You can follow your CPT on social media <https://www.wiltshire.police.uk/Followus>
- More information on your CPT area can be found here: [www.wiltshire.police.uk](http://www.wiltshire.police.uk) and here [www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk](http://www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk)

## FEEDBACK/ACTIONS TAKEN