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# CPT Briefing

Wiltshire West Community Policing

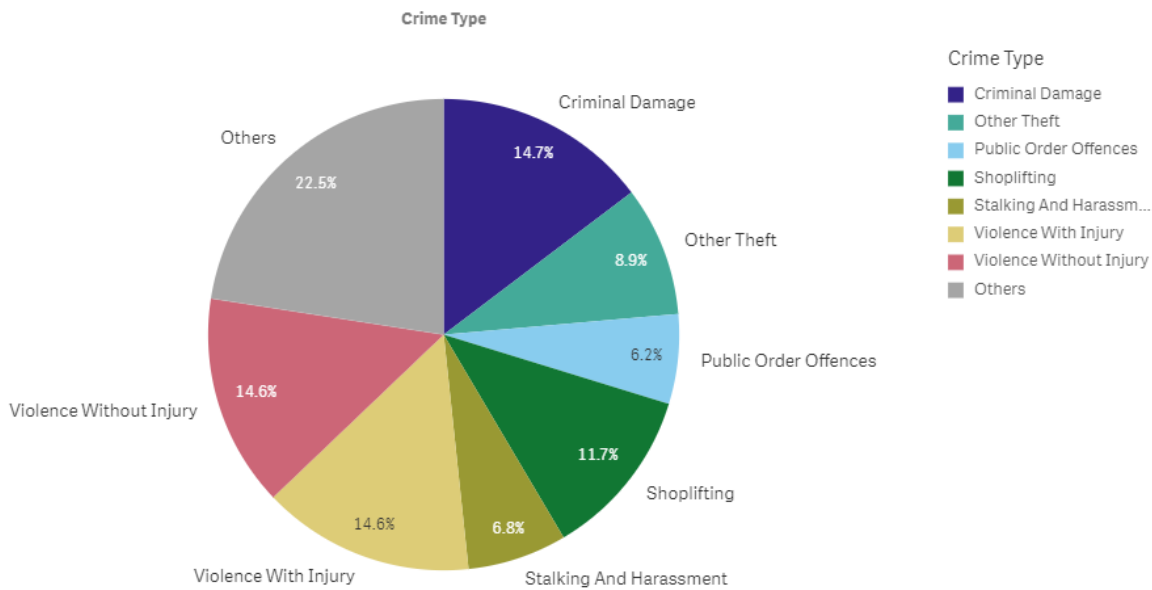


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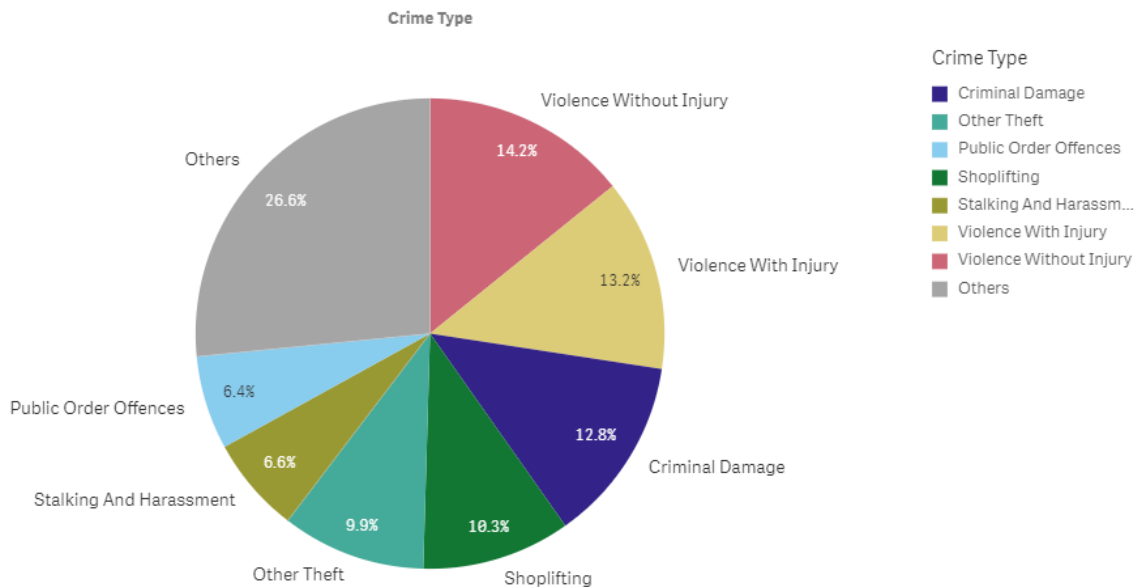
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## PERFORMANCE

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



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



Wiltshire West CPT - crime and incident demand for the 12 months to September 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 September 19 and continues to have one of the lowest crime rates in the country.
- Our service delivery remains consistently good.
- In September, we received 8,312 999 calls which we answered within 6 seconds on average and 12,474 CRIB calls which we answered within 2 minutes 08 seconds on average.
- In September, we also attended 1,344 emergency incidents within 17 minutes and 00 seconds on average.
- Wiltshire Police has seen a 17% reduction in vehicle crime and 21 per cent in residential burglaries in the 12 months to September 2019.
- 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/>

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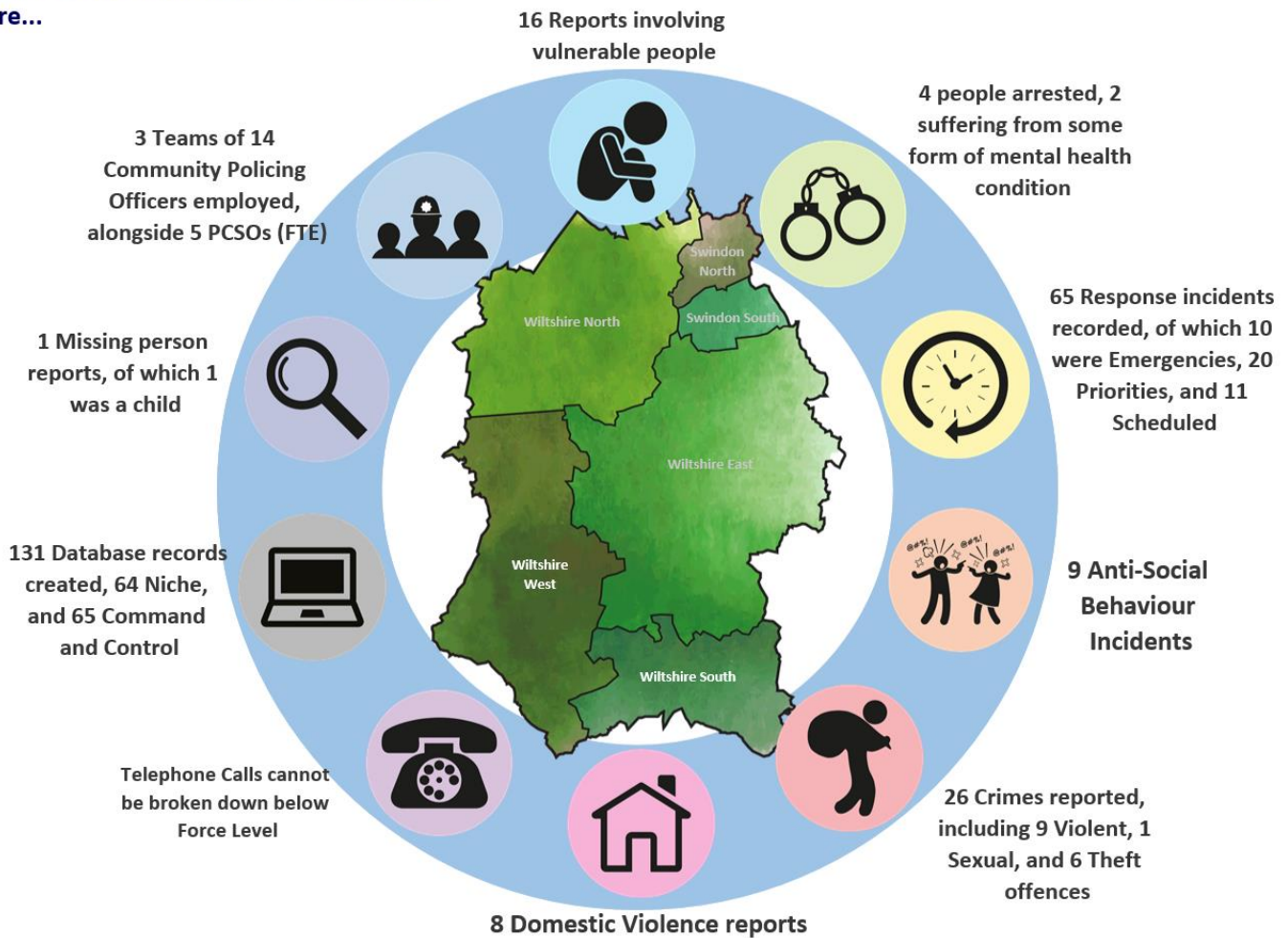


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## Area specific

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



Wiltshire West CPT Demand Overview – 12 months to September 2019

Every 2 weeks, 4 Community Speedwatch Schemes across West Wiltshire are selected by the Community Speedwatch Team for CPT support (additional targeting, enforcement and patrols) to supplement the CSW team planned sessions.

These are included in our weekly tasking document for action and update. All the results from the supplementary speed checks conducted are fed back to the relevant town and Parish Councils.

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**The speedwatch teams that were supported throughout September were :**

Dilton Marsh – 4 checks completed, no vehicles observed exceeding the speed limit

Bitham Park, Westbury – 4 checks completed, one driver given words of advice with regards to their speed

Steeple Ashton – 1 check completed, no vehicles observed exceeding the speed limit

Lowbourn, Melksham – 2 checks completed, no vehicles observed exceeding the speed limit

Bishopstrow – 4 checks completed, no vehicles observed exceeding the speed limit

High Street, Fovant – 3 checks completed, no vehicles observed exceeding the speed limit

Frome Road, Bradford on Avon – 1 check completed, no vehicles observed exceeding the speed limit

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## HIGH LEVEL CPT UPDATES:

- **Incidents of note**

### Witness appeal following serious collision in Trowbridge

A woman has been taken to hospital with serious injuries following a collision in Trowbridge at approximately 7.50pm on the 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2019.

The motorcyclist, a woman in her 40s, suffered a serious head injury and was taken to Southmead Hospital.

The male driver of the car, which was a Skoda Octavia, was not injured.

The road was closed for around five hours whilst emergency crews dealt with the incident.

We are appealing for anyone who witnessed the collision, or anyone who has dash cam footage which could assist with our enquiries, to contact Wiltshire Police on 101 quoting log 349 02/10/19.

### Nail bars protected from risk of slavery and trafficking

Three people have been issued with Slavery and Trafficking Risk Orders following a hearing at Bristol Magistrates Court on the 20<sup>th</sup> September 2019.

Tien Thi BUI, 56, from Westbury; Manh BUI, 29, from Trowbridge; and Linh BUI, 32, from London did not contest the order, which was applied for by the South West Regional Organised Crime Unit (SW ROCU).

The application followed a series of visits between February and May to Westbury Nails on Edward Street, Westbury, Trow Tips and Toes in Trowbridge, and Boutique Nails on High Street, Worle. Officers from the SW ROCU's Disruption Team were supported by officers from Wiltshire Police, HMRC and Trading Standards.

The two year order prohibits the three from :

1. Employing any worker unless that worker is registered for UK National Insurance and Tax.
2. Employing any worker directly or indirectly, unless all relevant Health and Safety at Work, Control of Substances Hazardous to Health and employment law of regulations are complied with.
3. Providing accommodation of any kind to staff save as a service tenant under an assured short hold tenancy and providing that the requirements of the National Minimum Wage are complied with.

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4. Taking possession of any original documents belonging to staff save for temporary possession in order to make copied for proper record keeping.

Detective Sergeant Dan Watts of the SW ROCU's Disruption Team, said: "This order is about protecting people working in such premises – in this case exclusively Vietnamese workers – from the risk of slavery and trafficking. It reflects a determination to use all available powers and intelligence, from multiple agencies, to protect vulnerable people from harm".

Detective Superintendent Jeremy Carter, Force Lead for Modern Slavery at Wiltshire Police said: "This is an excellent example of joint working with the SW ROCU in developing intelligence and using all available powers to protect vulnerable people in society. This is a great outcome and reinforces our commitment to tackle modern slavery. At Wiltshire Police, we will always look at alternative options to protect people at risk of exploitation and our Community Policing Teams will continue to work with the SW ROCU to make sure these orders are adhered to."

### Sixteen year old arrested and Class A and B drugs seized

A 16 year old was arrested in Trowbridge on suspicion of possession with intent to supply Class A and B drugs.

At approximately 5.25pm on the 10<sup>th</sup> September 2019, officers stopped a male in Shails Lane.

The male resisted and made off on foot. He was later detained and a search was conducted.

A large quantity of Class A and B drugs, as well as cash, was located.

The 16 year old was arrested and taken to Melksham Custody for questioning. He has since been released under investigation while further enquiries are carried out.

Pc Storm Brand said: "A member of the public also assisted us when the male was attempting make off, and we are grateful for his support. We will not tolerate drug use and supply in our communities and we continue to urge members of the public to help by reporting any suspicious activity so we can take action."

- **Local policing news**

September showed 295 crimes for the town, against the average of 299.3 offences for the same month over the last two years.

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## YOUR CPT – Wiltshire West



Inspector Andy Fee

Sergeant Dan Green

### Community Co-ordinators:



PC Charly Chilton (Trowbridge)



PC Helen Daveridge (Westbury, Warminster, Tisbury and Mere)



PC Lee Pelling (Melksham)



PC Darren Foulger (Bradford on Avon)



PC Rich Salter (Warminster)

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Inspector Andy Fee is currently responsible for the 10 Community Policing Teams across the western area. These are based at Trowbridge and Warminster police stations with 5 teams in each covering a 24/7 365 duty pattern.

Each team is made up of Police Officers, Police Community Support Officers and Local Crime Investigators. Central to these officers are my Community Coordinators who are very much the heart of the team and whom many of you will know on first name terms.

In addition to these officers we have a number of Special Constables who are aligned to the teams. They will try to work predominantly with their aligned team but can slot in anywhere around their availability.

You can find out more about Wiltshire West CPT, including news stories and contacts for local officers, on our website: [www.wiltshire.police.uk/WiltshireWest](http://www.wiltshire.police.uk/WiltshireWest)



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## LOCAL PRIORITIES

PRIORITIES FOR WILTSHIRE WEST CPT	UPDATE
<b>Priority 1:</b>	
<p><u>Community Speedwatch</u></p>	<p>No Trowbridge locations were selected by the Community Speedwatch Team.</p>
<b>Priority 2:</b>	
<p><u>PSPO – Trowbridge Town Centre</u></p> <p>A PSPO (Public Spaces Protection Order) is currently in place in Trowbridge Town Centre.</p> <p>Police Officers and Police Community Support Officers have been proactively patrolling the town centre.</p>	<p>Three street drinkers have been issued with a Community Protection Warning (CPW).</p> <p>Two street drinkers have been issued with a Community Protection Notice (CPN).</p> <p>Once issued with a CPN, if further breaches are evidenced then Criminal Behaviour Orders (CBO's) will be considered.</p>
<b>Priority 3:</b>	
<p><u>Trowbridge Town Centre – Begging</u></p>	<p>The West Wiltshire CPT will be working closely with partner agencies to ensure that everyone begging within the town centre has been referred and signposted to the necessary support agencies.</p> <p>One male has been issued with a Community Protection Notice (CPN) prohibiting him from begging. The West Wiltshire CPT are currently in the processing of applying for a Criminal Behaviour Order for the court to replace this notice.</p>

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## HIGH LEVEL PCC UPDATES

- **Recruitment** - Police officer recruitment continues with more than 500 applications received so far since the campaign launched on 23 September. Wiltshire Police is accepting applications until Sunday 13 October.
- **Community work** - In September PCC Angus Macpherson awarded a total of £22,500 from the Police Property Act to projects across the county which make a difference in their communities. Beneficiaries include a drop-in service for homeless people, a 12-week personal development course for unemployed young people and a pilot project using photography to engage with young people at risk of offending or exploitation. Full details are available on our website.
- **Herbert Protocol** – The PCC was proud to join Wiltshire Police, Swindon Borough Council, healthcare partners, Swindon Carers Centre and the Alzheimer's Society at the launch of the Herbert Protocol last month. It comprises of a document in which carers, family and friends of vulnerable adults can fill out key details about the individual as a pre-emptive measure in case they later go missing. This will enable the police to start their initial enquiries sooner with the aim of finding the missing person safe and well.

## HIGH LEVEL FORCE UPDATES

- **County Lines** – The issue of gangs transporting Class A drugs from major cities such as London and Manchester into rural counties, is one which is attracting significant media attention. Here in Wiltshire we are raising awareness of the problem, and specifically the impact these crimes have on the wider community, as they are often linked to modern slavery and organised crime, with children and vulnerable adults being exploited. Please look out for local media coverage, or go to our website for more information.
- **Domestic abuse** – This month we are highlighting the work Wiltshire Police is doing to tackle domestic abuse, including educating the public about the support that is available for victims. This campaign will include a young mother, who has been the victim of domestic violence, speaking out about her story in the hope that she can encourage other victims to come forward and get support.
- **Rural crime** - During the beginning of October we are taking part in a national week of action targeting rural crime. Our work will include providing crime prevention

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advice and encouraging residents to report all incidents to the police, as well as having our Community Policing Teams and the Rural Crime Team out and about engaging with our rural communities.

## 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)