

Community Safety Partnership – Acronyms

Abbreviation or Acronym	Full Version	Description
ABC	Acceptable Behaviour Contracts	Voluntary Agreements between a person involved in anti-social behaviour and one or more agencies whose role is to prevent such behaviour.
ACPO	Association of Chief Police Officers	National body representing Chief Police Officers in England, Wales and Northern Ireland
AHRS	Alcohol Harm Reduction Strategy	Strategic multi-agency approach to reduce alcohol harm.
APA	Association of Police Authorities	National Body representing police authorities in England, Wales and Northern Ireland
ASB	Anti Social Behaviour	
ASBO	Anti-Social Behaviour Order	Order by a magistrate that prohibits the defendant from doing anything described in the order.
BCS	British Crime Survey	Measures crimes against people living in private households in England and Wales.
BCU	Basic Command Unit	These areas are also police divisions.
BTU	Big Tidy Up	
BME Group	Black, Minority, Ethnic Group	
CAA	Comprehensive Area Assessment	Independent assessment of the prospects of a local area and the quality of life for people living there, focussing on outcomes. It looks across the work of councils, health bodies, police, fire/rescue and other public services.
CAF	Common Assessment Framework	
CCTV	Closed Circuit Television	
CDA	Crime and Disorder Act 1998	Act giving new powers to tackle crime and disorder e.g. obligation to produce Youth Justice Plans and set up Youth Offending Teams,

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		mainstreaming crime and disorder in all policies and strategies (section 17), Community Safety Strategies established between councils and the police etc.
CSPs	Community Safety Partnerships	Set up through the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 these partnerships produce a strategic assessment of community safety issues and produce a statutory 3 year Partnership Plan.
CORVU		Performance management tool/software
CPS	Crown Prosecution Service	Responsible for prosecuting people in England and Wales.
CRE	Commission for Racial Equality	
CREW	Crew Reduction Environment Week	Week of community safety activity and enforcement in a defined area, e.g. a town.
CRMs	Customer Relationship Management System.	
CRB	Criminal Records Bureau	
CRO	Crime Reduction Officer	Police Employee trained in crime prevention techniques
CSO	Community Safety Officer	Public Servant working in the Community Safety arena
DAAT	Drug Alcohol Action Team	
DDA	Disability Discrimination Act	
DV/DA	Domestic Violence/Domestic Abuse	
ECM	Every Child Matters	
ENO	Environment Neighbourhoods Officer	
EVA	Environmental Visual Audit	
FIP	Family Intervention Project	The main objective of a FIP is to stop the anti-social behaviour of families and restore safety to their homes and the wider community. Work is targeted at those families whose ASB is threatening their tenancies, putting their children at risk or likely to lead to them

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FRS	Fire & Rescue Service	
FIZ	Family Information Zone	
FOI	Freedom of Information	Freedom Of Information Act 2000, extends the rights of individuals to see information held on them by public bodies.
FRANK		Drug communications website. www.talktofrank.com
GOSE	Government Office for the South East	
HMO	Houses in Multiple Occupancy	
IDAS	Island Drug and Alcohol Service	
IDVA	Independent Domestic Violence Advisors	Trained specialists whose goal is to ensure the safety of domestic violence victims. They assess the level of risk a client is in and deliver an appropriate service.
IOM	Integrated Offender Management	
ISVA	Independent Sexual Violence Advisors	Trained specialists whose goal is to ensure the safety of sexual violence victims.
LA	Local Authority	
LAA	Local Area Agreement	
LAC	Looked after Children	
LCJB	Local Criminal Justice Board	http://lcjb.cjsonline.gov.uk/Hampshire/home.html
LSCB	Local Safeguarding Children's Board	
LSP/ISP	Local Strategic Partnership/Island Strategic Partnership	Non-statutory bodies central to the delivery of the national strategy for neighbourhood renewal.
LTP	Local Transport Plan	Plan which looks at all aspects of transport issues for Isle of Wight and include the Road Safety Targets
MAPPA	Multi Agency Public Protection Arrangements	The MAPPA began operating in April 2001. This body places a duty on the police and the National Probation Service to assess and manage risks posed by offenders in every

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		community in England and Wales. In the most serious cases MAPPAs can recommend increased police monitoring, special steps to protect victims and the use of closely supervised accommodation. The work of the MAPPAs is available to the public in the form of the MAPPAs annual report published jointly by the NPS and the Prison Service.
MARAC	Multi Agency Risk Assessment Conference	These case conferences look into the worst cases of domestic violence/abuse.
NACRO	National Association for the Care and Resettlement of Offenders	Nacro is an independent voluntary organisation working to prevent crime. It works with ex-offenders, disadvantaged people and deprived communities to reduce offending. http://www.nacro.org.uk
NI	National Indicator	These are Government set Indicators that are used locally to measure performance.
NIM	National Intelligence Model	NIM is 'A Model for Policing' that ensures information is fully researched, developed and analysed to provide intelligence which enables senior managers to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Provide strategic direction ▪ make tactical resourcing decisions about operational policing and ▪ manage risk It will soon be used to inform the way Community Safety Partnerships work at an operational level.
NOMS	National Offender Management Service	NOMS is the system through which commissions and provides the highest quality

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		correctional services and interventions in order to protect the public and reduce re-offending.
NHW	Neighbourhood Watch	
NW	Neighbourhood Wardens	Uniformed semi-official people in residential areas with the aim of improving the environment, quality of life and safety.
OCU	Operational Command Unit	
PACE	Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984	
PAT	Problem Analysis Triangle	
PAYP	Positive Activities for Young People	The Positive Activities for Young People programme (PAYP) is a targeted programme which has provided diversionary activities since April 2003. Young people across the country aged 8-19, who are at risk of social exclusion and community crime, are able to participate in positive activities during the school holidays and access out of school activities throughout the year. Those young people who are most at risk are encouraged to engage in learning and/or employment with key worker support.
PCA	Parental Control Agreement	An ABC for children under the age of 10, where only the parents sign.
PCSO	Police Community Support Officers	Uniformed personnel employed by the police with some powers to increase visible presence on the street.

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PCT	Primary Care Trusts	PCTS are local organisations that work with local authorities and other agencies providing health and social care, sited within the NHS.
PDR	Performance Development Review	
PPO scheme	Prolific and other Priority Offenders Scheme	
PSA (or LPSA)	Public Service Agreement (Local Public Service Agreement)	PSAs set out each government departments' aim, objectives and key outcome-based targets. We are currently working to Local PSA round 2 targets.
PTCG	Partnership Tasking & Co-ordination Group	
RTC	Road Traffic Collision	
SA	Strategic Assessment	These documents highlight trends in crime types and the status against targets. It also highlights recommendation for action to address any issues. There will be both county and local level assessments.
SARA	Scanning, Analysis, Response, Assessment	A problem solving tool used by the police and community safety partners
SARC	Sexual Assault Referral Centre	A SARC is a one stop location where female and male victims of rape and serious sexual assault can receive medical care and counselling, and have the opportunity to assist the police investigation, including undergoing a forensic examination.
S17	Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act	Legislation which places duties on authorities to consider the crime and disorder implications of all their policy decisions. Also known as 'Mainstreaming'.

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SBD	Secured by Design	UK Police initiative supporting the principles of designing out crime.
SM	Substance Misuse	
SMART	Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Realistic, & Time-bounded	
SNT	Safer Neighbourhoods Team	Team of police, PCSOs and multi-agency partners working together to address local issues
SS	Street Scene	
TPT	Targeted Policing Team	
TUPE	Transfer Undertaken of Permanent Employees	
VFM	Value for Money	
YIP	Youth Inclusion Programme/Project	YIP seeks to reduce offending, truancy and exclusion in disadvantaged on disadvantaged neighbourhoods.
YISP	Youth Inclusion Support Partnership	Problem solving groups for 8-14 year olds.
YJB	Youth Justice Board	A non-departmental public body established under the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 aiming to prevent offending by children and young people.
YOS	Youth Offending Service	The YOS was established under the Crime and Disorder 1998 to coordinate the provision of youth justice services and to carry out the functions assigned to them in the youth justice plan.
YOT	Youth Offending Team	These are the area based local teams which are part of the YOS.