Appendix 1
Grant Funded Bromsgrove Voluntary and Community Sector
Homelessness Prevention Performance (26/27, Quarter 1)

1.0 Support Provided in Quarter 1

CATEGORY		CABR	Maggs	GSA	Basement Project	YPPW	Foyer	St Pauls	Total
Number of People Supported									
Clients	No. People Supported	3	6	15	23	8	8	6	**69**
Support Provided									
Support to Access	Benefits	1	1	15	4	5	0	4	**30**
	ID/Bank A/C	0	0	11	22	7	0	4	**44**
Engaging With	Mental health services	0	0	5	12	0	0	1	**18**
	Substance Misuse services	0	1	4	0	0	0	3	**8**
	GP services	0	2	13	23	0	0	5	**43**
	Voluntary Services	0	0	6	3	0	0	0	**9**
	Other	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4

2.0 Outcomes

2.1 Mental Health Support Engagement

Mental health engagement outcomes were positive overall. 68% of individuals were either newly engaging with support services or maintaining existing engagement.

2.2 Substance Use Engagement

Substance use engagement outcomes were mixed during the reporting period. 41% of individuals achieved a positive outcome through either newly engaging with support services (11%) or maintaining existing engagement (30%). An equal proportion (41%) disengaged from support.

2.3 GP Engagement

GP engagement outcomes were exceptionally positive during the reporting period. A total of 92% of individuals either established or maintained engagement with their GP, with the majority (78%) successfully sustaining existing relationships with primary care services. A further 14% moved from being unengaged to being actively engaged.

2.4 Meaningful Activity Engagement

Meaningful activity engagement outcomes were mixed during the reporting period. Nearly half of individuals (47%) either established or maintained engagement in meaningful activities.

2.5 Offending

Outcomes relating to offending behaviour were positive during the reporting period. Almost half of all individuals (47%) demonstrated a positive behavioural change and ceased offending, while a further 47% maintained their non-offending status throughout the period.

2.6 Case Studies

Support Provider	Circumstances	Support Provided	Housing Outcome
Citizens Advice Bromsgrove and Redditch (CABR)	Working age parents, both with deteriorating health Health difficulties led to an inability to work The eldest son has a neurodiverse condition, and the other son does not work Situation led to mortgage arrears and risk to their home	Benefit advice and benefit appeal resulted in access to a higher level of personal independence payment and the health element of universal credit Debt advice to consider all options for clearing mortgage arrears	Time to consider options available to stabilise their housing situation and avoid the threat of losing their home, for example downsizing
Green Square Accord (GSA)	Evicted from a general needs tenancy due to a high level of rent arrears	Supported accommodation in a shared house	Settled into supported accommodation and avoided

	Significant physical and sexual abuse at a young age Moved in with grandparents when they were young. When they passed away was left without any family support? Physical health issues Very few independent living skills at 30 years old	Support to liaise with health services locally and specialist services Building a trusting relationship with support workers led to the first disclosure of abuse Developing independent living skills with support, for example, how to manage a tenancy, paying off arrears, cooking and cleaning Support to maintain a relationship with his uncle	homelessness and rough sleeping Developing the independent living skills he had missed as a young person making the prospect for future housing more sustainable Time to plan and move on in a planned way
Bdht Domestic Abuse Housing Officer	Family living in refuge accommodation as fleeing high risk domestic abuse Experienced strangulation and psychological domestic abuse Two children were displaced from their home and familiar surroundings	Multi-agency coordination of support from Women's Aid, the Police and from mental health services Well trained, trauma informed support for the whole family with a focus on moving the family into settled accommodation as quickly as possible	Moved to settled accommodation from the refuge, limiting the harm of living in temporary accommodation for the children and allowing the family to begin to build their life again