

SCOTTISH CRIME & DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENCY



Shared Responsibility - A Scottish Perspective

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Introduction

- Overview of SCDEA + Serious Organised Crime
- Divert and Why We Need a Different Approach
- Why Shared Responsibility?
- Examples of Pro-active Action and Partnership Working
- The Future

Policing, Local Government & Judicial Landscape in Scotland

- 8 Police Forces, Scottish Area British Transport Police plus Scottish Crime and Drug Enforcement Agency
- Crown Office & Procurator Fiscal Service
- 32 Local Authorities
- UKBA HMRC SOCA

Perception



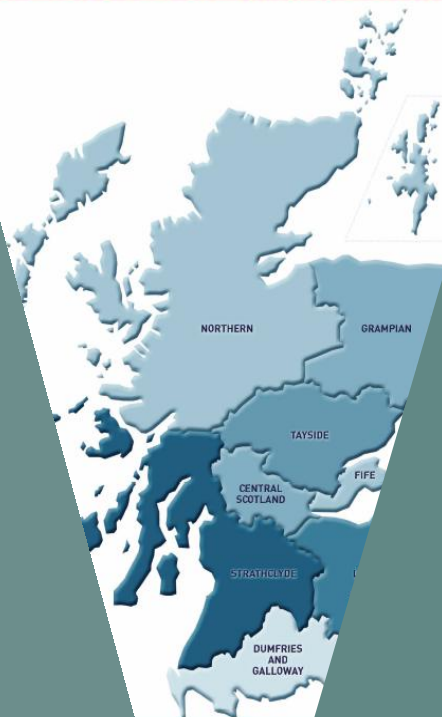
Motivation



THE EXTENT OF SERIOUS ORGANISED CRIME IN SCOTLAND

PRELIMINARY FINDINGS ON THE SCALE AND EXTENT OF SERIOUS ORGANISED CRIME IN SCOTLAND

Scottish Serious Organised Crime Group Mapping Project



LETTING OUR COMMUNITIES FLOURISH

A Strategy for Tackling
Serious Organised Crime in Scotland



REALITY

What is Serious Organised Crime?

- Involves more than one person
- Is organised, meaning that it involves control, planning and the use of specialist resources
- Causes, or has the potential to cause significant harm
- Involves benefit to the individual concerned, particularly financial gain

Shared Responsibility – A Scottish Perspective

30,414 square
miles

Population of
5.2 million

**10.5 tonnes
of heroin
annually**

**Largest consumer of
cocaine in world (per
head of population)**





Cocaine.

One line won't do any damage

Really?

- Why Shared Responsibility?
- Local/Global Aspect
- Outcomes
- Changing A Culture

Curriculum for Excellence



Health and Well Being - Key National Priorities

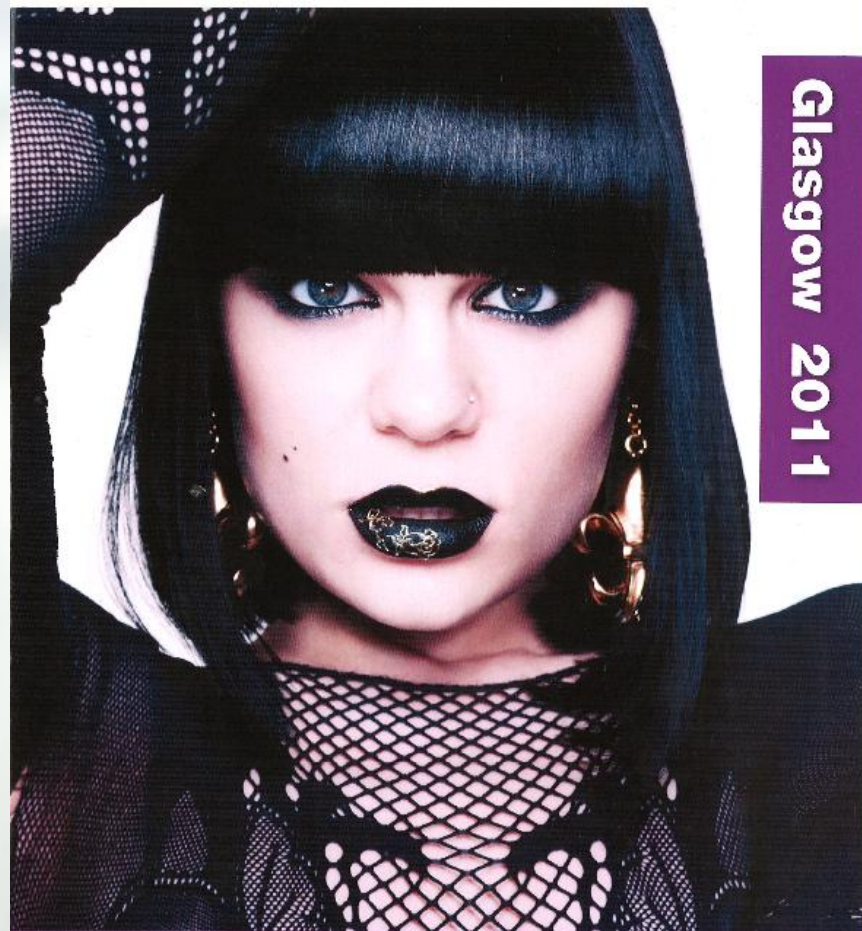
- Raise awareness and understanding of health and wellbeing in Curriculum for Excellence - especially 'Responsibility of All'
- Improve coherence with other policy areas
- Improve understanding and awareness of the contribution of HWB to improving the life chances of children + young people, and raising attainment
- Improve quality and consistency of delivery of HWB in schools across Scotland

- Education Scotland
- Blackburn Local Employment Scheme
- Whitburn Academy, West Lothian



- Glasgow Science Centre
- Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh
- Mayor of Dublin





Glasgow 2011

MOBO

AWARDS
IN ASSOCIATION WITH

Lebara
mobile

COCAINE - one LINE Won't DO ANY DAMAGE...



Really?

Did you realise Scotland is one of the world's highest users of cocaine.
Ever thought about the lethal impact of cocaine's journey to the streets of Scotland?

Ever thought of the harms, including violence, caused to Scottish communities by cocaine?

No? It's time to think differently.

Every line of cocaine consumed in Scotland contributes to...

ENVIRONMENTAL DEVASTATION

- Coca leaves are harvested and processed into coca paste before being sold on to drug trafficking groups. Processing labs are established with little regard for personal safety or environmental damage.
- These labs are always located near water sources and the chemicals used in processing are dumped into the water, altering ecosystems.
- In order to transform one hectare of coca plants into cocaine, 550 kilograms of pesticides, herbicides, fertilizers, gasoline, ammonia, cement and sulphuric acid, are needed.



For further information on this issue go to WWW.SCDEA.POLICE.UK

The Future

'This is a global problem affecting us all and we cannot simply arrest our way out of it'.

Opening speech by John Morton, Director of Immigration and Customs Enforcement for the Department of Homeland Security, 14 September 2011

You Can Influence Positive Change....

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Thank You

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