

Luton Drug and Alcohol Partnership

Performance Information
Third Quarter 2006 - 7

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Partnership People

- Users – families – parents – carers
- Communities
- Voluntary Agencies
- Health Services
- Borough Council
- Police, Probation Court and Prisons

STRATEGIC AIMS

- Young People
- Communities
- Adult treatment
- Tackling Supply and Availability

Exclusion and Stereotypes

- Drug abuse
- Addict junkie
- Prostitute
- Alcoholic
- Crack Head
- Substance misuse



Inclusion and Diversity

- Problematic drug and alcohol use
- Experimenters
- Recreational user – binge drinkers
- Controllers
- Drifters
- Drug/alcohol use and drug/alcohol user
- Sex worker

YOUNG PEOPLES STRATEGIC AIMS

- Preventing young people becoming problematic drug users of the future
- Protecting young people under 25 from the harmful effects of alcohol

Funding for YP Services

Life Long Learning – PHSEC and Drugs
Young Peoples Substance Misuse Grant
Allocation £213,000

Department of Health £135,000

Charity donations supports PUKÉ and
young peoples mental health worker

Young People under 18

Between 01/04/2006 and 31/12/2006

Drugs

	Qtr1	Qtr2	Qtr3
Number of YP's receiving harm reduction	14	6	21
Number of YP's receiving ongoing interventions	23	14	22
Number of YP's completing interventions	7	12	7

Alcohol

	Qtr1	Qtr2	Qtr3
Number of YP's receiving harm reduction	3	8	8
Number of YP's receiving ongoing interventions	15	10	7
Number of YP's completing interventions	0	0	0

ADULT TREATMENT STRATEGIC AIMS

- Reducing problematic drug use through effective treatment
- Commissioning alcohol prevention, early intervention and treatment services

Adult Drug Treatment

To increase those in drug treatment places 100% by 2008
from 1998 baseline

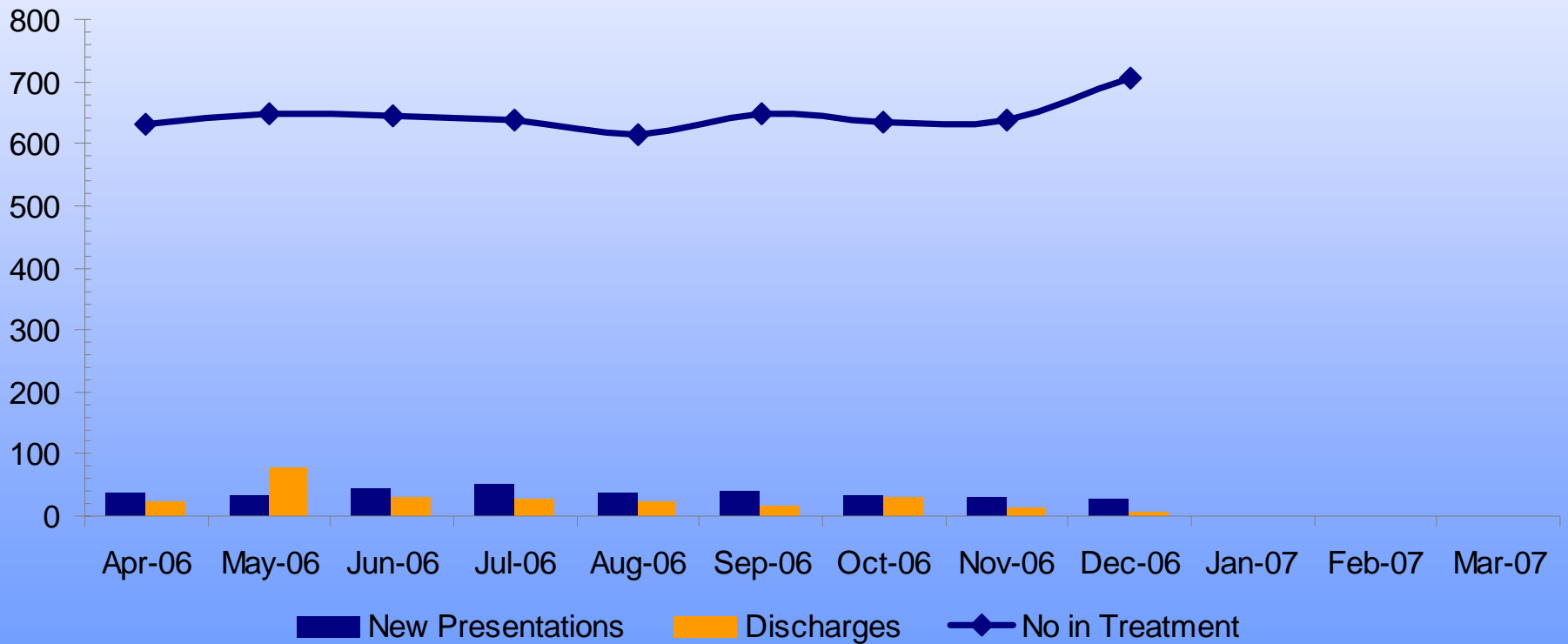
PSA target

Luton Performance

31/03/1998	48	
31/03/2005	632	1317%
31/12/2006	705	1469%

Adult Drug treatment

Between 01/04/2006 and 31/12/2006



Adult Drug Treatment

Retention in Treatment of Clients in Structured Services

Retention Group	No of Clients	%age
0 to 6 Weeks	76	8%
6 to 12 Weeks	100	11%
12 Weeks to 6 Months	146	15%
6 to 9 months	109	12%
9 to 12 months	74	8%
Over 12 months	438	46%
Grand Total	943	

Funding for adult drug services

- DH Pool Treatment Budget £1.6m
- LBC community care for residential rehab for drugs £50,000
- PCT funding £650,000
- Drugs Intervention Programme £750,000
- Marsh Farm outreach worker

Adult Alcohol Treatment

Structured Activity Summary as of 31/12/2006

Active	300
Discharges	134

Retention in Treatment of Clients in Structured Alcohol Services

Retention Group	No of Clients	%age
0 to 6 Weeks	41	9%
6 to 12 Weeks	20	5%
12 Weeks to 6 Months	35	8%
6 to 9 months	30	7%
9 to 12 months	37	9%
Over 12 months	271	62%
Grand Total	434	

Funding for adult alcohol services

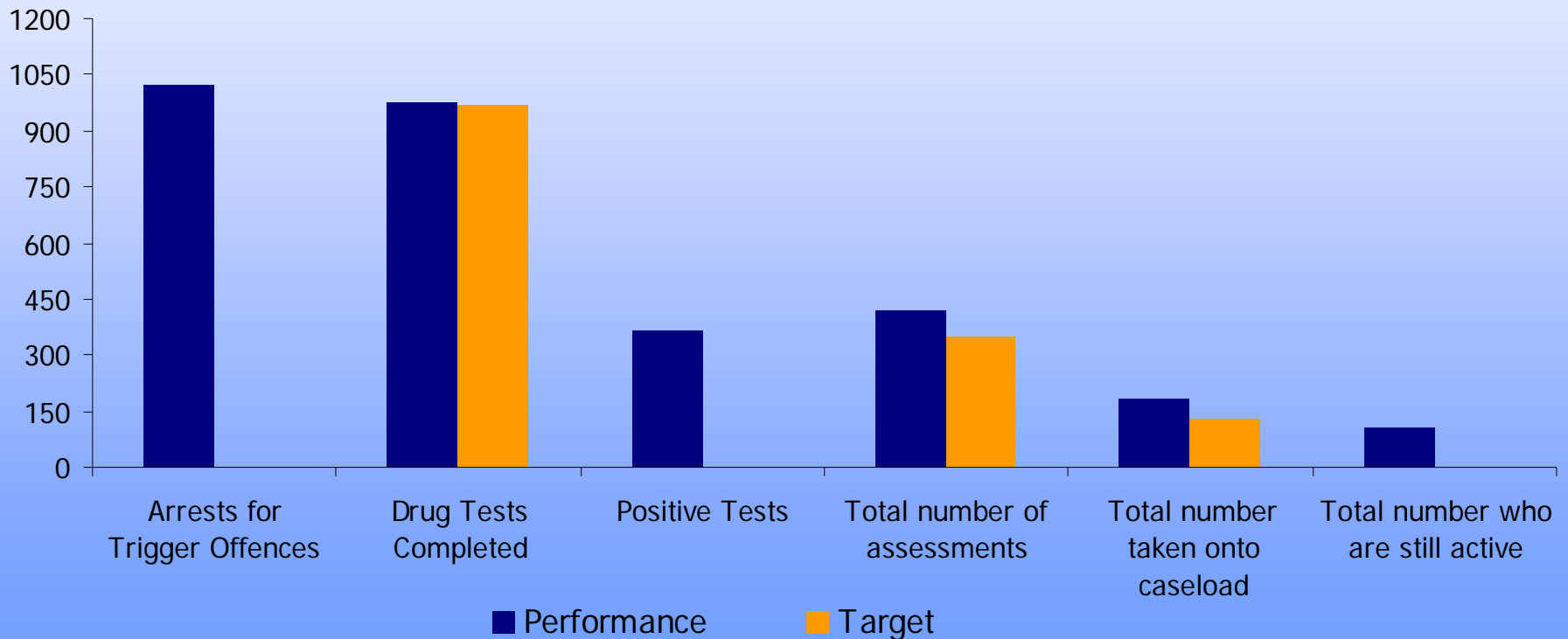
- No central ring fenced funding
- PCT funding £550,000
- LBC contribution to JKP £75,000
- Adult Care Services
- LBC community care funding for residential rehabilitation £75,000
- Marsh Farm outreach funding

COMMUNITIES STRATEGIC AIMS

- Strengthening communities to resist drugs
- Encouraging the alcohol industry locally to take an active role in reducing harm

Drugs Intervention Programme

Activity between April and September 2006



TACKLING SUPPLY AND AVAILABILITY STRATEGIC AIMS

- Reducing the supply of illegal drugs
- Using enforcement powers and legislation to reduce alcohol related harm

Tackling Supply

- Recent drug operations have recovered considerable amounts of cannabis
- Actions against kerb crawlers include CCTV, prosecutions, cautions and warning letters.

By using enforcement powers reducing alcohol related harm

- Continued reduction in crime from Friday to Sunday in the Luton Safe town centre area
- 60 people are currently banned from the town centre because of alcohol related behaviour