BORDERS ALCOHOL & DRUGS PARTNERSHIP
2014-15
HOW ARE WE DOING?

Whole Population
- 1% of population in Borders are estimated to have problem drug use
- 1,803 people had a motivational conversation about cutting down their alcohol
- 43% of population drink outwith recommended guidelines

Early Intervention & Prevention
- all licensed premises who had a test purchasing visit passed
- Fewer young people reported underage drinking: 14% in 2013, 17% in 2010
- 1 in 4 people at risk of drug overdose have been issued with naloxone medication

Treatment Services
- 582 people started treatment for their drug or alcohol problem
- 99% of people were seen within 3 weeks of being referred
- 11 clients started college and
- 9 supported into employment through employability support in adult services

Children and Families Service
- 89% of children and young people reported a reduction or stopped using alcohol and 67% for drugs
- 100% of parents reported improved parenting skills for their children

Workforce
- 331 members of staff received training on a range of drug & alcohol topics

Service Users
- A Service User Involvement Service is in place and a survey was carried out to find out more about their experiences in drug and alcohol services

Recovery
- 50 staff members, service users and family members contributed their views on how to make recovery possible through the first Recovery Conversation Cafe

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