



Community Payback Rapid Deployment Projects Management Information release to 17th October 2023

Main Points

Between 19th June 2023 and 20th August, 129[r] people completed 1229[r] hours of unpaid work on the Community Payback Rapid Deployment project pilots (Project Clean Streets).

For the subsequent period between 21st August 2023 and 17th October 2023, 123 people completed 962 hours of unpaid work on the Rapid Deployment project pilots.

Over the period 19th June 2023 to 17th October 2023, 225 distinct people completed a total of 2191 hours.

These data are provisional Management Information and are subject to potential revision in future releases. Data in this release are revised for accuracy and definition from the publication of 24th August 2023 and to cover an extended period to 17th October 2023.

For each time period only unique persons completing hours on the Rapid Deployment project pilots have been counted. As a result, a person could appear in each distinct timeframe, however would only be counted once in the combined period.

1. Introduction

This ad-hoc statistical release shows the number of people who have completed Community Payback hours on the rapid deployment, Project Clean Streets pilot.

Rapid Deployment pilots see Probation Community Payback teams working in partnership with 6 Local Authorities to rapidly clean up instances of Anti-Social Behaviour as part of the government's action plan. The work includes clearance of fly tipping sites, litter picking and graffiti removal within 48 hours of notification.

A person may complete multiple work sessions as part of their Community Payback.

These data are published at a national level and are Management Information. While the data have been checked for quality, suitability, and accuracy, they are subject to potential revisions in either definition or values in subsequent releases.

Previous publications covering Community Payback can be found here:

[Prison and Probation Performance Statistics - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/prison-and-probation-performance-statistics)

2. Data Reporting

All figures in this publication are supported by sufficient volumes of underlying data (for statistical purposes this will be at least 30 observations). Data are displayed nationally, covering England and Wales. Further Information

2.1. *Explanatory notes*

Data in this report are drawn from administrative IT systems; namely National Delius (nDelius), the current probation case management system.

Although care is taken when processing and analysing the returns, the information collected is subject to the inaccuracies inherent in any large-scale recording system. While the figures shown have been checked as far as practicable, they should be regarded as approximate and not necessarily accurate to the last whole number.

[r] indicates revised figures.

3. Statistical Code of Practice

This publication has followed the principles and practices from the Code of Practice:

3.1. *Trustworthiness*

The data in this publication have been produced with the most recent data available. The Probation Service have had the opportunity to scrutinise the data, and a rolling programme of auditing the data source ensures that inaccurate data is identified and removed from publication. In some cases, where the information cannot be assured as accurate, data are presented as no better source of information is available. Such information is always clearly labelled.

3.2. *Quality*

Appropriate data sources were used for these data, identified through engagement with probation staff and colleagues in Her Majesty's Prison and Probation Service (HMPPS) HQ. This release is published for transparency and represents the Ministry of Justice's ambition to work in partnership with Local Authorities as part of the government's action plan on Anti-Social behaviour.

Figures have been drawn from administrative IT systems and, as with any large-scale recording system, are subject to possible errors with data entry and processing. The Probation Service are responsible for ensuring the accuracy of their data. These data are Management Information and are subject to potential revision in future releases.

3.3. *Value*

These data are published to provide an early view of the Community Payback Rapid Deployment pilots. Making this information accessible provides Ministers and the public with an overview of initial outcomes of these pilots.

Data can be published in Open Document format to ensure compatibility across different systems. Information is also available on the Justice Data website that enables users to access all data used to assess probation performance.

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