

PROJECT SUMMARY

PRESTON

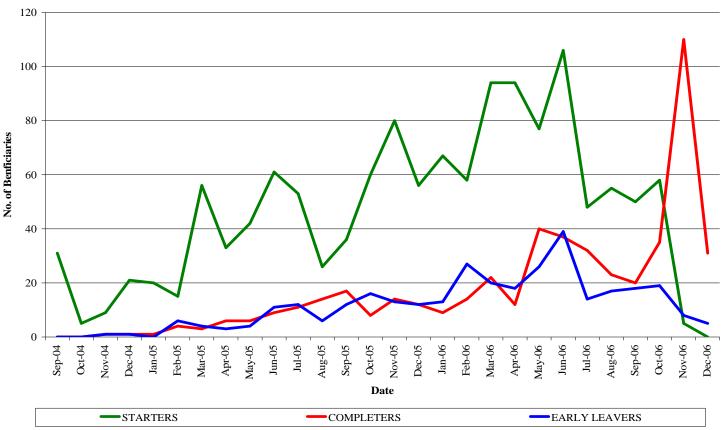
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Starters, Completers and Early Leavers Per Month

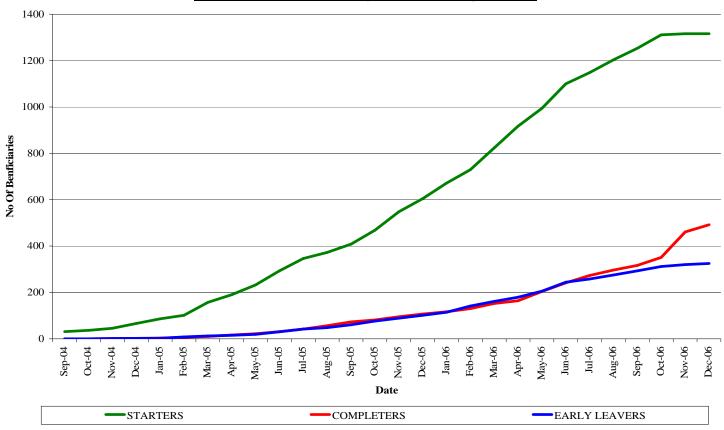


- o Most months, Preston started between 50 and 100 beneficiaries on the PS Plus 2 project.
- o During project closure in November 2006, 110 beneficiaries completed the project.





Cumulative Starters, Completers and Early Leavers

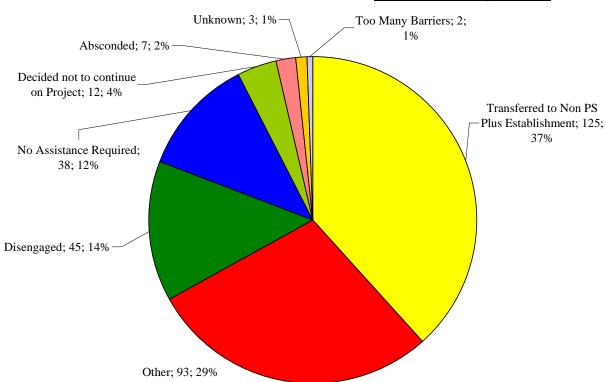


- o Over 1300 beneficiaries were started on PS Plus 2 in Preston.
- o Approximately 800 beneficiaries finished in Preston 492 completed the project and 325 left the project early.





Reasons for Early Leavers



Other reasons given for beneficiaries leaving the project early:

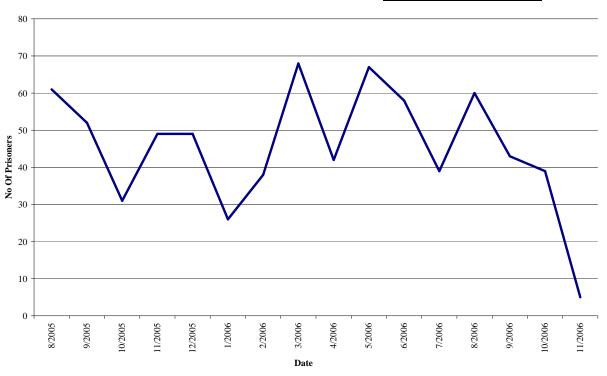
Reason for leaving	No. of beneficiaries
Bailed	5
Lifer	10
Mental Health Issues	6
Not motivated/focused towards employment	4
Unknown	29
Risk to staff	2
Sentence makes him ineligible	36
TOTAL	93

- o Of the 325 beneficiaries who left the project early, 37% (125) transferred to a non-PS Plus establishment.
- o 45 of the beneficiaries who left the project early were disengaged and 38 did not require any assistance from PS Plus.





Non-Starters Per Month



Reasons for prisoner not being started:

Reason	No. of Beneficiaries
Does not require PS Plus services at this time	268
No interest in project	217
Transferred to PS Plus establishment	98
Transferred before assessment entered	62
Other	38
No help required	26
Level of risk of harm	12
Does not meet eligibility criteria	6

- o Most months, over 30 prisoners were seen and deemed unsuitable for the project.
- o In total, 727 prisoners were not started on the PS Plus 2 project in Preston.
- 268 of the prisoners not started in Preston did not require PS Plus Services and 160 prisoners transferred before being started on the project (98 to a PS Plus establishment and 62 transferred before the assessment was entered).

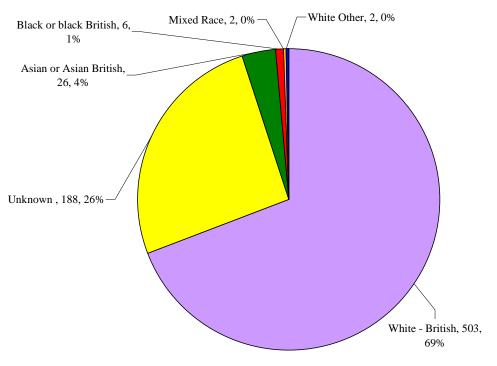






Ethnic Breakdown of prisoners not started

Nationality of Prisoners Not Started



Nationality	No. of beneficiaries	
United Kingdom	569	
Unknown	148	
Pakistan	3	
Iraq	2	
Irish Republic	2	
Antarctica	1	
India	1	
United States Of America	1	
TOTAL	727	

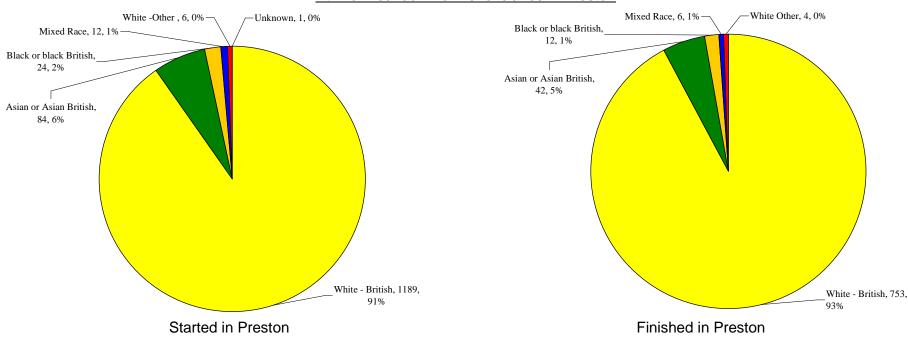
- The majority of the prisoners not started on the PS Plus project were White-British (69%) and from United Kingdom (78%).
- o The ethnic origin for 26% and the nationality of 20% of the prisoners not started was unknown.
- Ethnic minorities account for 5% (36 prisoners) of the prisoners not started.





Beneficiaries Started On PS Plus

Ethnic Breakdown of Beneficiaries in Preston



- o 91% (1189) of the beneficiaries who started and 93% (753) of the beneficiaries who finished in Preston were White-British.
- o 9% (126) of the beneficiaries who started and 7% (64) of the beneficiaries who finished in Preston were from ethnic minorities.
- The ethnic origin of one beneficiary who started in Preston is unknown.







Nationality Breakdown of Beneficiaries in Preston

Starting in Leicester

Nationality	No. of beneficiaries
United Kingdom	1008
Unknown	161
Britain	104
England	17
Other	13
Irish Republic	6
Pakistan	5
Scotland	3
TOTAL	1316

Finishing in Leicester

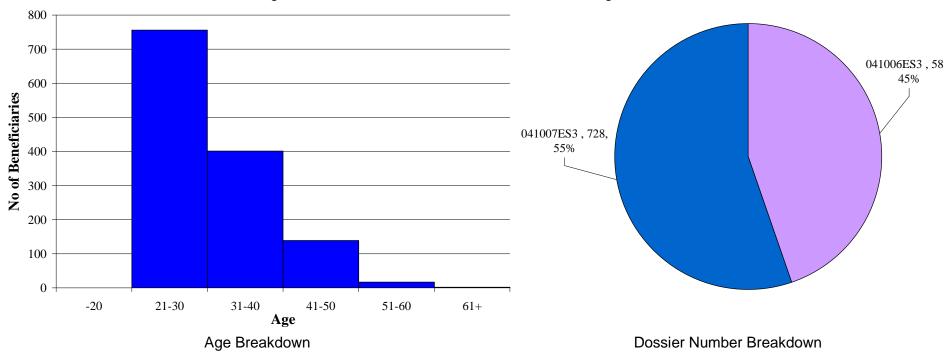
Nationality	No. of beneficiaries
United Kingdom	641
Unknown	97
Britain	45
England	14
Other	9
Irish Republic	5
Pakistan	3
Scotland	3
TOTAL	817

- o 86% (1129) of the beneficiaries who started in Preston stated that their nationality is United Kingdom, British or English.
- o 86% (700) of the beneficiaries who finished in Preston stated that their nationality is United Kingdom, British or English.
- The nationality of 161 of the beneficiaries who started in Preston and 97 of the beneficiaries who finished in Preston was unknown.





Age and Dossier Number of Beneficiaries on Starting PS Plus 2



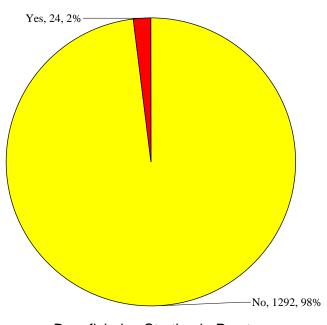
- The average (mean) age of the beneficiaries started in Preston is 30 years and 8 months. The average (mode) age group is 21-30 years old.
- o There are no beneficiaries in Preston below the age of 21.
- o 55% (728) of the beneficiaries are in the ESF Group 041007ES3 (male beneficiaries aged 28 and over).



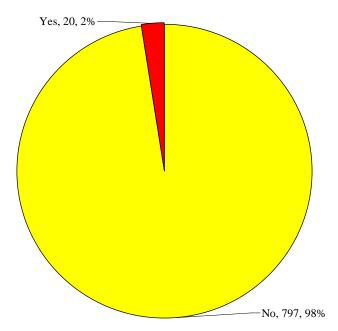




Disabled Beneficiaries



Beneficiaries Starting in Preston

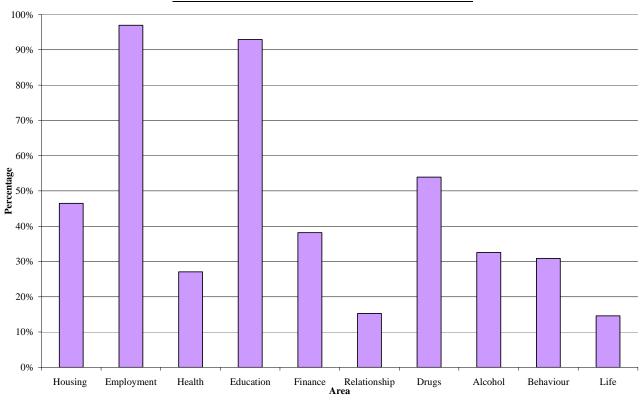


Beneficiaries Finishing in Preston

- o 2% (24) of the beneficiaries who started in Preston were classified as being disabled.
- o 2% (20) of the beneficiaries who finished in Preston were classified as being disabled.



Needs of the Beneficiaries Started in Preston

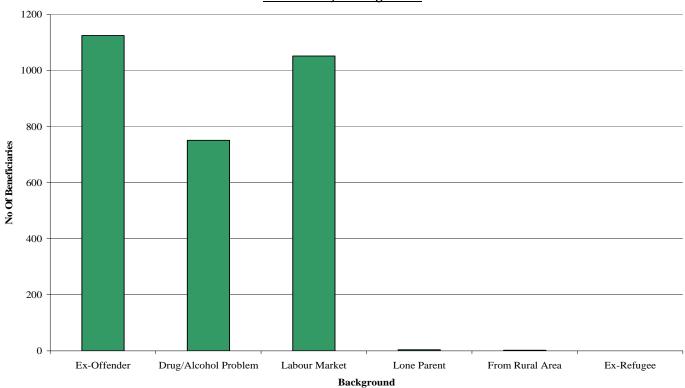


- Over 95% of the beneficiaries who started in Preston needed help with employment.
- o Over 50% of the beneficiaries who started in Preston needed help with drug issues.
- o Over 35% of the beneficiaries who started in Preston needed help with housing issues.





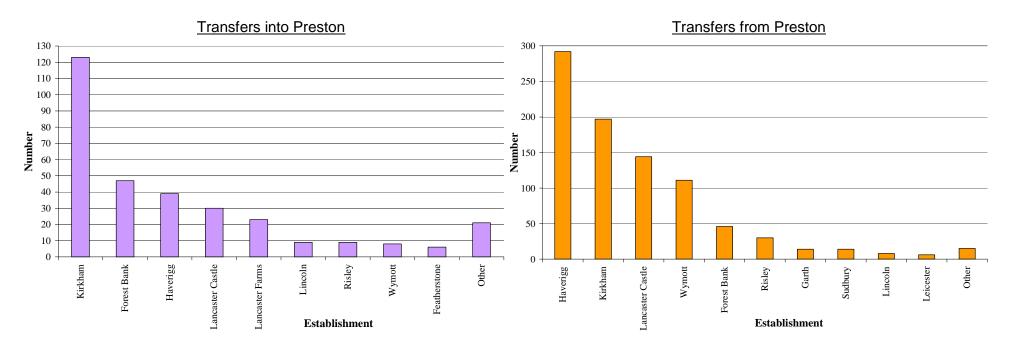
Beneficiary Background



- Over 1000 of the beneficiaries who started in Preston were ex-offenders and over 1000 were on the labour market.
- Over 700 of the beneficiaries who started in Preston had a drug or alcohol problem.
- o There were 4 lone parents and 2 beneficiaries from rural areas who started in Preston.



Transfers from other PS Plus Establishments

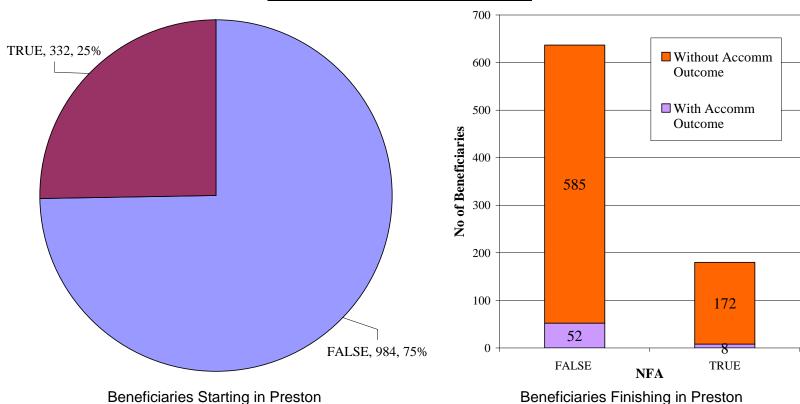


- o 315 beneficiaries have transferred into Preston 76% transferred to Preston from Kirkham, Forest Bank, Haverigg or Lancaster Castle.
- 877 beneficiaries have transferred from Preston 85% transferred from Preston to Haverigg, Kirkham, Lancaster Castle or Wymott.



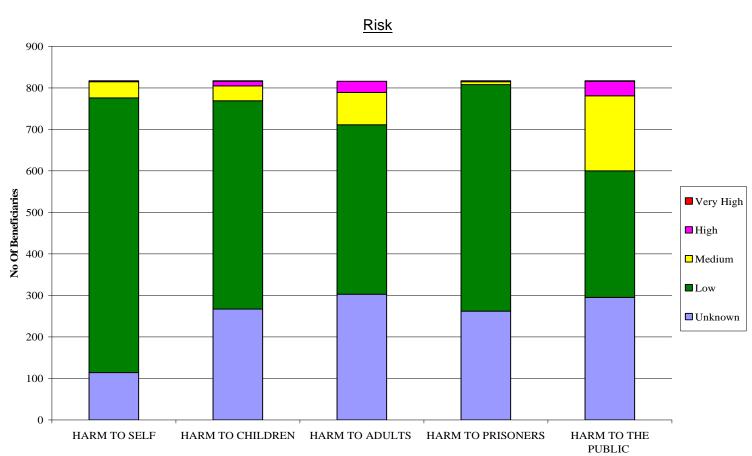


Beneficiaries that have No Fixed Abode



- o 25% (332) of the beneficiaries started in Preston were classed as having no fixed abode on starting the project.
- o 180 beneficiaries were classed as having no fixed abode on finishing the project. Of these, 8 had an accommodation outcome secured.





- o For the majority of the beneficiaries, the level of risk of harm is unknown.
- o Where risk is known, the majority of the beneficiaries are low risk prisoners.



Soft Outcomes Gained

Soft Outcome	No. of beneficiaries	Soft Outcome	No. of beneficiaries
IAG Assistance	130	Homeless Interview Secured	10
Attended ECDL	87	Fresh Start Interview	9
NVQs Gained While In Prison	82	Progress To Work Programme	8
Work Experience In Custody	68	Other Motivational Programme	7
Non-NVQs Gained While In Prison	53	FE College Interview	4
Accessed Beneficiary Fund	42	New Deal Interview	2
Advice On Disclosure	19	New Deal Programme	2
CV Assisted	19	Other Programme	2
Fresh Start Programme	14	CV Written on Own	1
Rent Arrears Addressed	14	Debt Management	1
Progress To Work Interview	13	Job Club	1

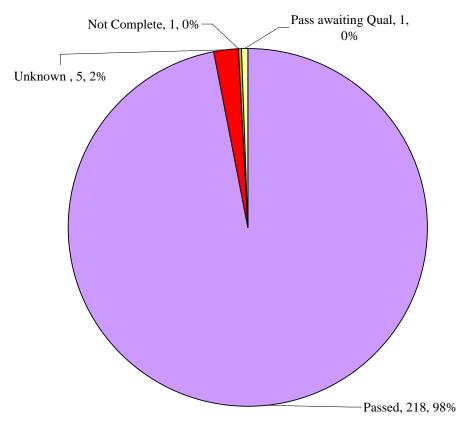
- o 588 soft outcomes were gained by Preston beneficiaries.
- o 130 beneficiaries received IAG assistance.
- o 87 beneficiaries attended ECDL.
- Beneficiaries in Preston attended 38 interviews Further Education, Fresh Start, Homeless, New Deal and Progress to Work interviews.
- $\circ \;\;$ 42 beneficiaries utilised the Beneficiary Access Fund.







Exam Results

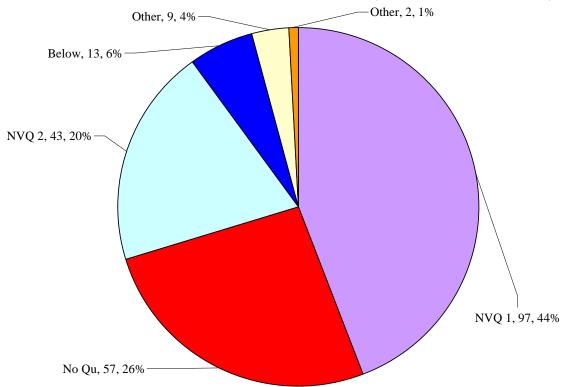


- o 98% (219) of the exams taken were passed.
- o The outcome of 5 exams (2%) was unknown.





NVQ Equivalence for Passed Subjects

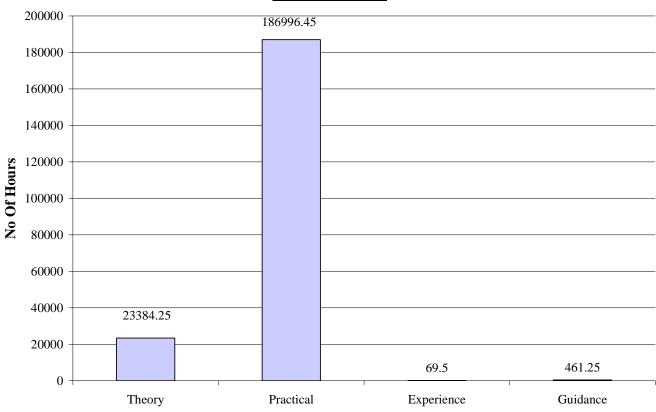


Subject	No. of beneficiaries
Literacy	66
Numeracy	52
Basic Food & Hygiene	33
Gen Prep for Work	15
CLAIT	10
ECDL	8
OCR CLAIT	7
C&G Painting And Decorating	5
BCS ECDL	4
BFH	3
Key Skills Communication	3
Other	13
TOTAL	219

- o 140 NVQ levels 1 and 2 have been gained by beneficiaries in Preston.
- o 118 adult literacy and numeracy courses have been passed by beneficiaries in Preston.



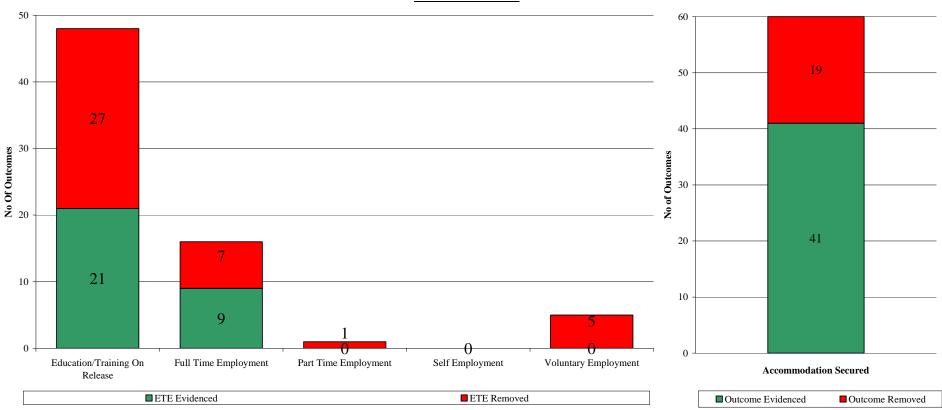
Timesheet Hours



- o 210,911 hours were collected from PS Plus beneficiaries.
- o 186,996 (89%) of the hours collected were for practical activities.



Hard Outcomes



- o 70 hard education, training and employment (ETE) outcomes have been recorded at Preston with evidence for 30 of these outcomes (43% evidence for outcome rate).
- o 60 hard accommodation outcomes have been recorded with evidence for 41 outcomes (68% evidence for outcome rate).

