

Data Collection and Monitoring Task and Finish Group

Teams Meeting, 21 April 2021

Summary of Meeting

1. Welcome and Introductions

Welsh Government (WG) welcomed attendees to the meeting.

2. Minutes from the last meeting

The minutes of the last meeting of 29 September 2020 were agreed.

3. Update on baseline collections

WG and police representatives provided updates on the progress of the police baseline data collection. They are ensuring the project is being carried out safely, ethically and complies with data protection legislation.

WG and social services representatives provided an update on the social services baseline collection. Initial data has been submitted to WG and is currently being processed.

4. Post-commencement data collections (CPS & HMCTS)

The CPS explained their proposed method of collecting data which would monitor the impact of the Act on the CPS and HMCTS. It was agreed that this method would be sufficient to cover both organisations. WG will work with CPS to refine and implement the chosen method.

5. Update on the Act and Task & Finish groups

WG gave an update on the work of the other Task and Finish groups.

6. Update on the Comms plan

WG gave an update on the planned communications campaign.

7. Any other business

WG thanked the group for their ongoing work and agreed to arrange the next meeting.