

A snapshot of Adult Support & Protection 2024 - 2025



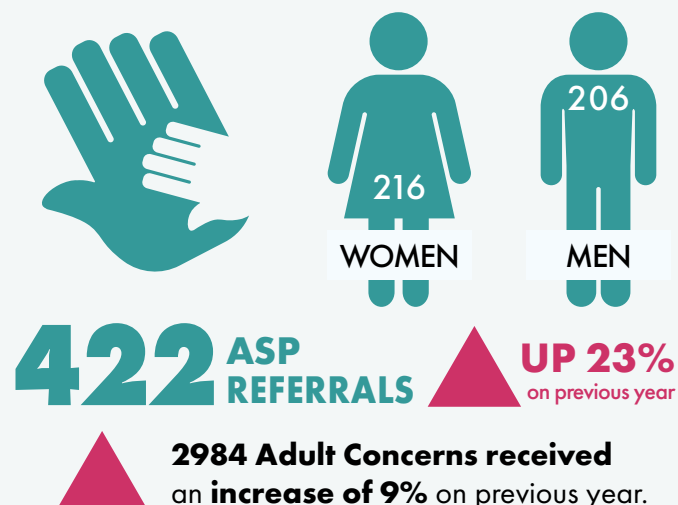
East Ayrshire Adult Protection Committee

Acting against harm

Protecting People Through Zero Tolerance of Harm

1 April 2024 – 31 March 2025

What we found...



Highest Categories of Harm:

34%	Physical Harm	▲
17%	Financial/Material Harm	▲
16%	Emotional/Psychological Harm	▼
15%	Self-Neglect	=
9%	Self-Harm	▼
4%	Neglect & acts of omission by others	▼
2%	Domestic Violence	
1%	Exploitation/Trafficking	

Client Category:



Risks:



What we did 2024 - 2025

- EAAPC Improvement Plan for 2023 – 2024 completed and new EAAPC Improvement Plan for 2025 – 2026 developed and in place from 1 January 2025.
- Annual 2024 multi-agency self-evaluation of ASP completed with a focus on self-neglect and ASP Planning Meetings. Learning from this has been built into our 2025 – 2026 EAAPC Improvement Plan.
- We continue to raise awareness on financial harm in older people and general awareness raising of adult support and protection, the two focuses of Adult Support and Protection Day in 2025.
- Learning Review for Adult O completed with Improvement Plan developed and being delivered.
- ASP Multi-Agency Planning Meeting Guidance reviewed and refreshed

Local Adult Protection Priorities

2025 - 2026

- Annual Multi-Agency Audit on ASP with a focus on Learning Disability to be completed in 2025 with any improvement activity to be built into the existing 2025 – 2026 EAAPC Improvement Plan.
- An analysis of Adult Protection and Child Protection Learning Review activity to be undertaken in order to outline themes emerging to enable us to understand common areas for future consideration
- Undertake a self-assessment using the Roadmap for Creating Trauma Informed and Responsive Change to understand the Committee's readiness to integrate a Trauma Informed Approach.
- Report on the impact of the promotion of the proactive role of the Neighbourhood Coaches across our multi-agency workforce in respect of sustaining tenancies.
- Explore face to face learning options to promote a clearer understanding of the impact of alcohol and drugs on an individual's ability to safeguard.

What can I do if I am worried?

Don't ignore it.

If you are worried that you or someone you know is being harmed; or is experiencing neglect, it is important to tell someone. That person can be a friend or a person you trust, or the contacts on this leaflet.

Do you need to give your name?

Any information you give will be treated with care. If you do not give your name, inquiries can still be made into the person's care and welfare.

Who can you tell?

If the person is in immediate danger, dial 999

Otherwise, contact your local social work services or you could speak to a health professional. They will all take your concerns seriously.

Social Work: Kilmarnock (including Annick & Irvine Valley) 01563 554200
Social Work: Southern (Cumnock/Doon Valley) 01290 427720
 Email: HSCPCustomerFirst@east-ayrshire.gov.uk

Ayrshire Out of Hours Social Work Service 0800 328 7758

Police Scotland (Non-Emergency) 101

Home Fire Safety visit 0800 0731 999 or text FIRE to 80800

Crimestoppers Report a crime anonymously 0800 555 111

NHS 24 - Freephone 111

East Ayrshire Independent Advocacy 01563 574442

East Ayrshire Carers Centre Kilmarnock 01563 571533
 Cumnock 01290 426404

3rd Party Reporting <http://www.scotland.police.uk/contact-us/hate-crime-and-third-party-reporting/>

For further information about Adults at Risk of Harm, Hate Crimes or Bogus Callers, visit www.east-ayrshire.gov.uk

Alternatively to invite someone to your group or organisation email HSCPASP@east-ayrshire.gov.uk

What we found in your area:



Cost of living

We realise that many people may be struggling with the increased cost of living at the moment and the impact this may be having on different aspects of everyday life.

[east-ayrshire.gov.uk/costofliving](https://www.east-ayrshire.gov.uk/costofliving)

wellbeing
in east ayrshire



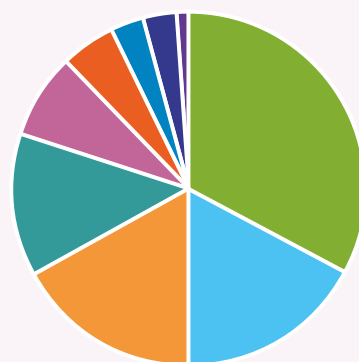
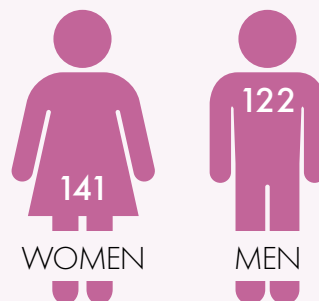
Visit our [wellbeing directory](https://www.east-ayrshire.gov.uk/SocialCareAndHealth/Wellbeing/Wellbeing.aspx) for more information and available supports

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Northern Locality

TOTAL REFERRALS: 263



33% Physical Harm

17% Financial/
Material Harm

17% Self-Neglect

13% Emotional/
Psychological Harm

8% Self-Harm

5% Neglect & Acts of
Omission

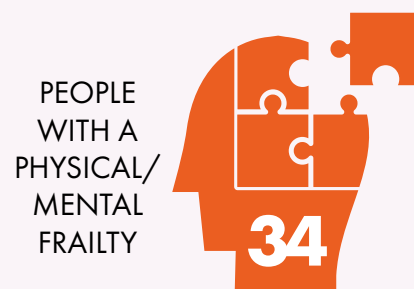
3% Sexual Harm

3% Domestic Violence

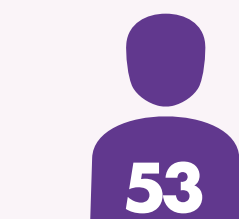
1% Exploitation/
Trafficking

Please note that this locality contains ACIRT who receive the majority of Adult at Risk Referrals

Client Category



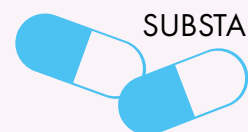
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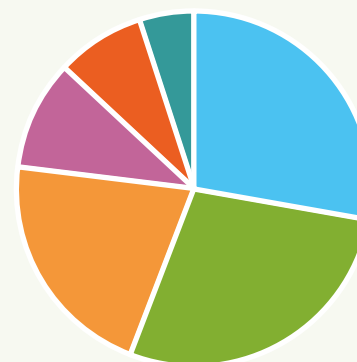
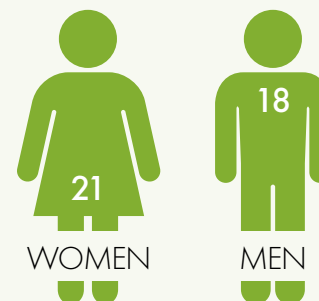
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Southern Locality

TOTAL REFERRALS: 39



28% Financial/
Material Harm

28% Physical Harm

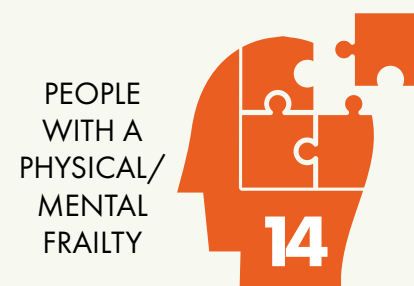
21% Self-Neglect

10% Self-Harm

8% Neglect & Acts of
Omission

5% Emotional/
Psychological Harm

Client Category



PEOPLE WITH A
PHYSICAL
DISABILITY



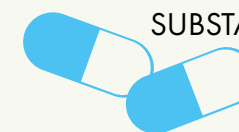
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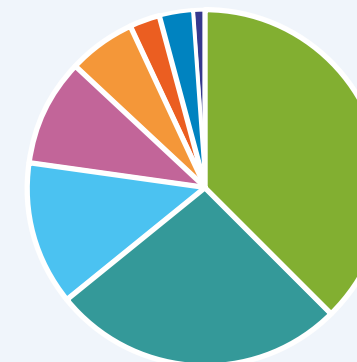
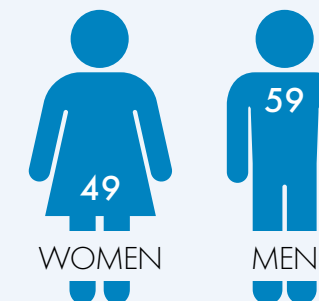
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Wellbeing & Recovery

TOTAL REFERRALS: 108



38% Physical Harm

27% Emotional/
Psychological Harm

13% Financial/
Material Harm

10% Self-Harm

6% Self-Neglect

3% Neglect & Acts of
Omission

3% Sexual Harm

1% Exploitation/
Trafficking

Client Category

62 LEARNING DISABILITY

29 MENTAL HEALTH

4 ASPERGERS/AUTISM

3 ALCOHOL RELATED BRAIN DISORDER

3 ALCOHOL/SUBSTANCE

