

HEALTH PROMOTION SERVICE – QUARTERLY REPORT (Q2)

PROJECT TITLE – Healthy Gay Cornwall				
	Outcomes and behavioural goals planned	Outcomes and behavioural goals achieved	Variance	Action Plan to address any variance
July – Sept 11 (Q2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Condom Distribution service – 4500 Q2 (To provide free condoms and lube, by post and to gay venues) 	1536 condoms/lube – monthly mailout 960 condoms/lube – website requests 1300 loose condoms – Pride bags 260 loose lube – Pride bags 864 loose condoms – pride stall 250 condoms/lube – pride giveaway wallets 1000 condoms/lube – Qdos Total: 6170 condoms / 4000 lube	+1670 condoms +4000 lube	May possibly see dip in Q3 as a result
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Social/Support events: Group engagement sessions with men that have sex with men (MSM) in social environments, reducing isolation, social opportunities and intervention opportunities – 3 	2 events @ The Brea Inn, Brea, total of 23 men attended, topics discussed include HIV, PEP, Healthy Eating, GMFA courses, Safer drinking, Viagra use, poppers use, transgender awareness.	-1 (August cancelled due to pride event)	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Face to face sessions: One to One (one hour) motivational 	4 sessions	+1	

	change/advice, information & guidance sessions with MSM - 3			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Service presentation to professionals: One hour presentation re: Healthy Gay Cornwall to promote service user uptake and partnership working - 2 	1 – Gay Police Association, 9 attendees – overview of service and issues faced, and policing approach	-1	Lack of demand this quarter. Re-promote in next quarter
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safer Cruising: Outreach sessions in areas where men meet for sex with other men, offering information and advice around safer sex, crime reduction and personal safety – 8 	4 sessions – area in West Cornwall (Kehelland) where issues had been identified by community (complaints made to Police by Parish councillor on behalf of community about men meeting for sexual purposes). Spoke to 4 men in total, little evidence of excessive activity, issues now appears to have resolved.	-4	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • www.healthygaycornwall.org.uk: Project website: Safer sex, community & event information, ordering of condoms etc – 1500 visitors 	Website re-branded to re-focus on HIV and STI prevention. Link to website featured on BBC news website. 1638 Visitor Numbers	+138	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Printed resources - distribution of appropriate information resources, ensuring men know about risk reduction, service access, where to get support etc – 2000 distributed 	<p>200 HGC service guides 150 HGC Pride Flyers 330 FS Mags 500 Safer Cruising cards 250 mens social leaflets 330 Power Talking leaflets 500 Power Talking cards 150 LGBT Friendly booklets 200 GU service leaflets 25 The Manual booklets 500 LGBT Cornwall service flyers Total = <u>3135</u></p>	<p>+1135</p>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Event Outreach - LGBT and wider community events where project has a presence to encourage one to one engagement with service – 1 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cornwall Pride – 27th August Sexual health outreach testing project. Utilised Youth Cornwall bus, working in partnership with RCHT Sexual health team, to test people at event for HIV/Syphilis/Hep A&B/Chlamydia, and vaccinate for HEP B. 18 people tested/vaccinated. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stall to promote awareness (see resources distributed) in partnership with KPS, Brook, Chlamydia screening, YP alcohol and sexual health workers, and related 	<p>+1</p>	

		<p>volunteers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Questionnaire – baseline needs assessment of awareness in pop. Of HIV – 150 respondents – results to be published in Q3 • Presence on Pride parade – worker interviewed for BBC Spotlight to raise awareness of HIV/testing project • News articles in West Briton, Packet & Western Morning News <p>Bedruthan Steps Hotel – event to raise awareness of health issues with hotel staff – 50 attended</p>		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rainbow Source radio show weekly LGBT community radio show, to reduce isolation, information giving, community engagement and capacity building, wider audience engagement regarding reducing homophobia – 9 	<p>6 shows – covered issues around HIV infection rates, Pride/community testing, obesity issues for men, isolation issues for older gay men, learning disabilities.</p>	-3	Illness and station equipment failure.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Testing sessions: partnership with Hub sexual 	<p>1 – Pride event (see above)</p>	-3	Pride event became focus rather than

	health staff to educate and encourage HIV screening for hard to reach groups – 4			smaller less publicised sessions.
Partners worked with this Q, incl HPS	Brook, Devon & Cornwall Police, Intercom Trust, Eddystone Trust, RCHT Sexual health (The Hub) KPS, GMFA, Cornwall College, Chlamydia Screening Service, The Source FM, Cornwall Council/Youth Service			
	Outcomes and behavioural goals planned			
Oct – Dec 11 (Q3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Condom Distribution service – 2500 Q3 • Social/Support events – 3 Q3 • Face to face sessions - 3 Q3 • Workshop Training sessions (professionals) – 1 Q3 • Workshop/Training sessions (community) – 1 Q3 • Service presentation to professionals - 2 Q3 • Safer Cruising – 3 Q3 • www.healthygaycornwall.org.uk – 1500 visitors Q3 • Printed resources – 500 distributed Q3 • Event Outreach – 1 Q3 • Rainbow Source radio show – 9 Q3 • Community Testing sessions – 4 Q3 			