



Trends in police contact with persons with mental illness

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Methodology

1. Addresses
2. Caution Flags
3. Search Terms



Characteristics of individuals involved with London Police Service, 2000 compared to 2011



GROUPS								
	Definite-PMI		Probable-PMI		Possible-PMI		Non-PMI	
	2000 n=794	2011 n=960	2000 n=517	2011 n=883	2000 n=178	2011 n=543	2000 n=112,738	2011 n=107,045
Demographics								
Age (mean)	37	40	35	37	37	38	38	39
Gender male	63%	63%	74%	74%	81%	76%	60%	57%
Caution Flags								
Contagious disease	4%	9%	5%	14%	2%	12%	0.1%	0.4%
Violent	37%	39%	42%	47%	17%	42%	3.4%	3.8%
Domestic violence	3%	10%	4%	16%	2%	15%	0.4%	1.4%



Frequency of police interaction by category 2000 and 2011



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	2000 n=794	2011 n=960	2000 n=517	2011 n=883	2000 n=178	2011 n=543	2000 n=112,738	2011 n=107,045
Mean	6	6	5	8	4	9	2	2
Median	3	3	3	3	2	3	1	1
>5 interactions	28%	29%	28%	37%	17%	38%	4%	4.7%



Type of involvement with police by category, 2000 and 2011



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Violence	28%	25%	31%	27%	21%	29%	10%	10%
Property	25%	23%	24%	30%	24%	31%	25%	20%
Administration of Justice	10%	15%	10%	20%	5%	21%	2%	3%
PON/Bylaw	20%	17%	22%	26%	34%	29%	22%	16%
Drugs/alcohol	9%	11%	11%	14%	14%	21%	3%	4%
Other	90%	92%	86%	90%	76%	91%	65%	73%





Time to reoccurrence (in days) by category, 2000 and 2011

Percentile	Definite PMI			Probable PMI			Possible PMI			General Population		
	25%	50%	75%	25%	50%	75%	25%	50%	75%	25%	50%	75%
2000	9	75	298	8	63	8	17	92	326	130	----	----
2011	8	64	292	4	48	245	5	39	178	100	----	----



Cost per PMI category

