

**EU Project: Mentoring and
Integrated Offender Management**

**Action Learning Set 5
The Knowsley Way:
Measuring Impacts**

CCSE in Collaboration with KMBC



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Manual Data Collection Issues

- Inconclusive/ lacks robustness
 - Complex interventions
 - Sporadic recording
- New UK CJ context
 - Transforming Rehabilitation
 - National Probation Service
 - Community Rehabilitation
- Impacts on context/referrals

Plan E!

- Process evaluation
 - What works for whom and when
 - Policy transferability
- Case studies
 - Complexity of influences
 - Arrest and reconviction data
- Demonstrates impacts short of full desistance
 - Unlike outcome evaluation

Process Evaluation: Prison LifeChange Programme

- Cohort focus groups
 - Explores impacts
 - Appraises modules
- Detailed description
 - Contextualises findings

Case Studies: Intervention & Impacts

- Constructing case ‘worms’
 - Arrest, conviction, prison data
 - MALS intervention data
 - Potentially 7 pathways data
- 15 cases to date
 - Track back 3 years pre MALS contact
- Complex case tracking
 - Range of data sources

Case Studies: An example

- Can we manage one ‘worm’ to show how this will work?
 - Arrest, conviction, prison data
 - MALS intervention data
 - Potentially 7 pathways data