


<p>Non-Executive Report of the:</p> <p>Health Scrutiny Subcommittee</p> <p>20/09/2018</p>	
<p>Report of: Community Safety Service, LBTH</p>	
<p>Domestic Violence Deep Dive</p>	

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Summary

This report presents a deep dive of key domestic violence issues and challenges in Tower Hamlets. This report reviews the provision in place to identify and manage residents at risk of domestic violence, and provides details of reporting levels in the borough. Furthermore, it provides an overview of 'turn away' rates in Tower Hamlets, details the impact universal credit has had on domestic violence and reviews the provision of domestic violence services for residents with no course to public funds.

Recommendations:

The Health Scrutiny Sub-Committee is recommended to:

1. Note the report and comment on the effectiveness of domestic violence services in the borough.