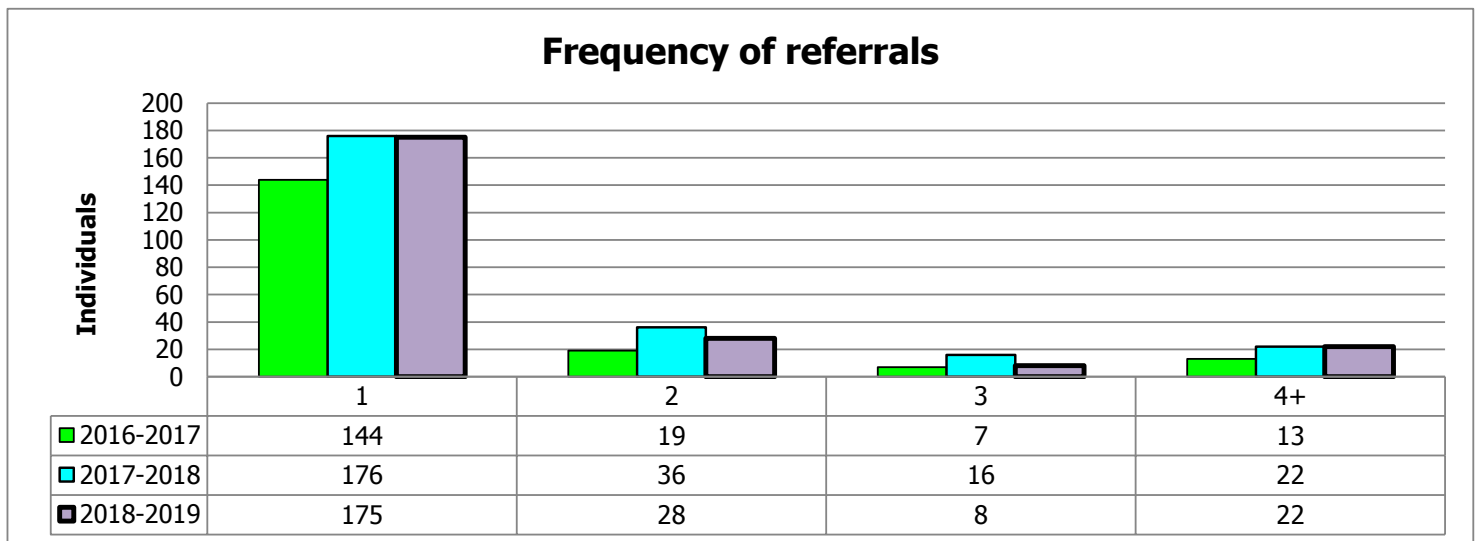


## YOUTH JUSTICE TEAM/POLICE EARLY ACTION TEAM (PEAT)

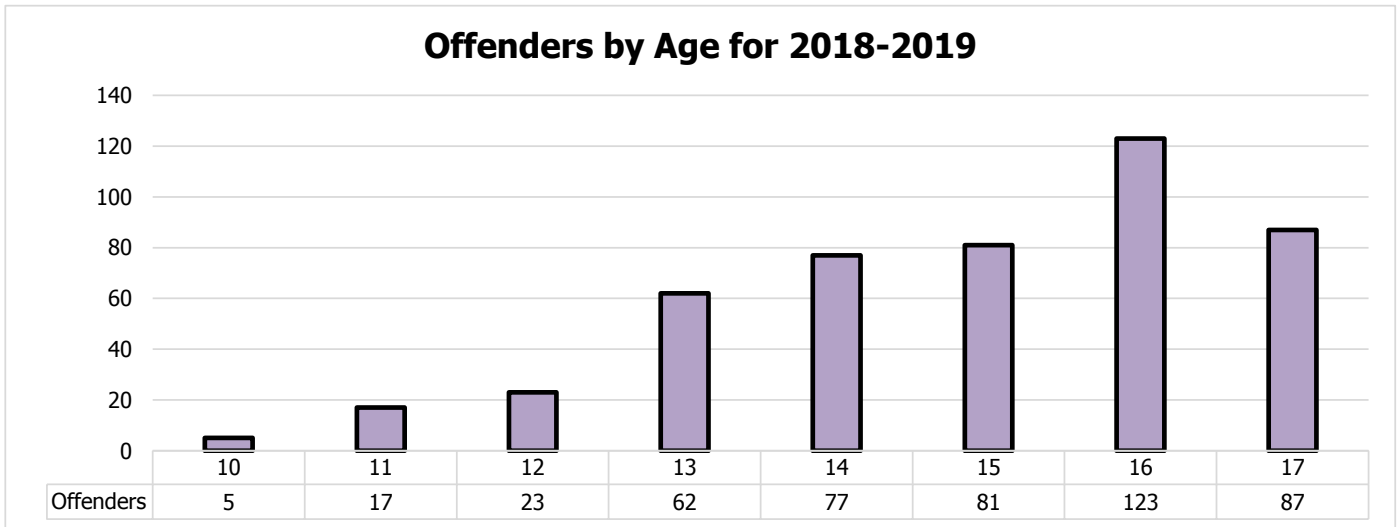
- The Youth Justice Team (YJT) was Constabulary-led and comprised seconded or agency staff from the Departments of Economic Development, Home Affairs and Health and Social Care (DHSC), as well as police officers.
- The YJT has been replaced during the 2018-2019 year by PEAT, a wholly Constabulary-staffed team which will be expanding during 2019-2020 with the wider remit to include offenders up to the age of 25.

From their data for the most recent year the following charts have been updated or replace previous charts (some comparisons were not possible to recalculate, due to changes in processes, and transfer of responsibilities to other departments):

**Frequency of referrals for criminal offending** (Number of times an individual was referred, in total 475 referrals made). Maximum referrals of any one individual in the year was on 23 occasions.



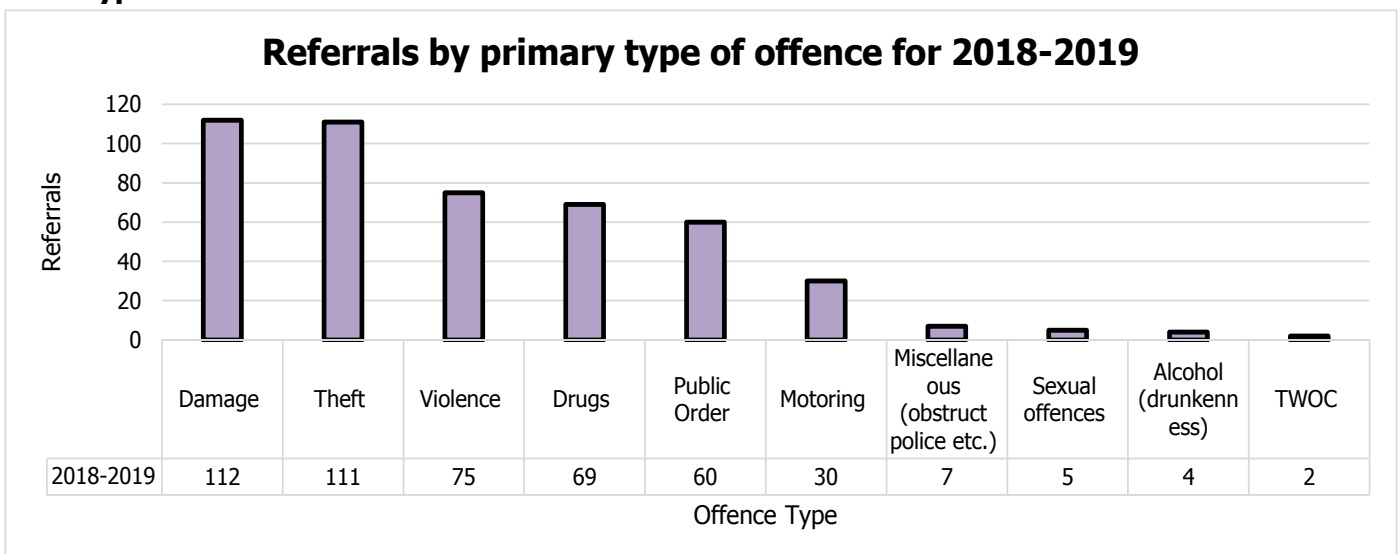
## Age of Offenders



## Looked After Children

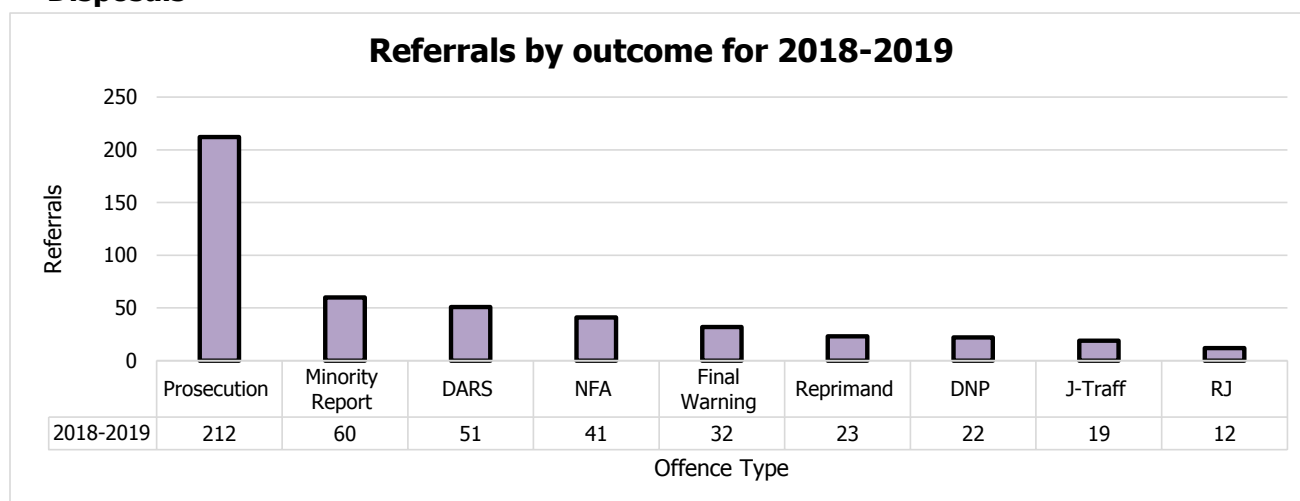
85 offences (18% of total) were committed by children in the care of social services (looked after children).

## Types of Offence



Of the Violence referrals, 15 were Assaults on Police, resulting in 12 prosecutions and 2 final warnings.

## Disposals



**DARS:** Drug Arrest Referral Scheme, **NFA:** No Further Action, **DNP:** Detected No Proceedings, **J-Traff:** Juvenile Traffic Scheme **RJ:** Restorative Justice

The figure for referrals resulting in Prosecution (45% of all offences dealt with by Prosecution) is skewed by the small number of offenders with prolific referrals, who had exhausted all alternative interventions possible to YJT/MAPPU. Excluding these 8 individuals, who together accounted for 124 offences, leaves only 88 referrals resulting in Prosecution (25% of offences dealt with by Prosecution).

### LINK scheme

There were 132 link related referrals to YJT / PEAT for anti-social and non-criminal behaviour. From these referrals 99 stage 1 letters were sent, 4 stage 2 letters were sent and 2 stage 3 letters were sent. There was also 3 letters sent out in relation to children smoking.