

Appendix 2 to Report 200/2010

Torbay Strategic Assessment 2010

Paper SA1a

Analysis of Most Serious Violence offences

Key points

Most serious violent assaults are committed on young men in public places in town centres late at night. Alcohol appears to be a factor.

- 115 offences analysed in 2009/10.
- 22% (25 offences) were domestic abuse.
- Overall 81% of victims were male.
- Of female victims 68% were victims of domestic abuse. Of male victims 11% were victims of domestic abuse/
- Among domestic abuse assaults, 60% were female and 40% male.
- For non domestic abuse assaults 92% were male and 8% female.
- For non domestic abuse assaults 59% of male victims were under 30. Most of the male domestic abuse victims were over 30 (90%).
- 69% of offences took place in 3 wards in the town centres of Torquay and Paignton.
- Almost all domestic abuse offences (24/25) took place in a private place. The main location for non domestic abuse assaults was the street (39%), 23% took place in licensed premises with a further 7% in outdoor locations. 26% took place in a house or flat.
- 69% of non domestic abuse offences occurred between 9pm and 4am. 17% took place between 6pm and 9pm.
- While some caution must be taken with alcohol flags due to issues in 2009/10 with police MO codes, overall 63% of assaults had an alcohol flag and for domestic abuse it was 84% (21/25)

Age	Non DA		DA	
	Female	Male	Female	Male
14-17	0	8	0	0
18-24	4	28	5	1
25-29	0	12	2	0
30-39	0	15	5	2
40-49	2	10	2	3
50+	1	8	1	4
Total	7	81	15	10
Under 25	57%	44%	33%	10%
Under 30	57%	59%	47%	10%
over 40	43%	22%	20%	70%

male 92% 40%
 81% male overall

	All	DA	Not DA	% not DA
Tormohun	39	3	36	40%
Roundham-with-Hyde	19	3	16	18%
Wellswood	12	2	10	11%
St Marychurch	5	1	4	4%
Watcombe	7	3	4	4%
Berry Head-with-Furzeham	5	2	3	3%
Ellacombe	4	1	3	3%
Preston	4	1	3	3%
St Mary's-with-Summercombe	5	2	3	3%
Blatchcombe	4	2	2	2%
Cockington-with-Chelston	3	1	2	2%
Goodrington-with-Roselands	3	1	2	2%
Shiphay-with-the-Willows	4	2	2	2%
Clifton-with-Maidenway	1	1	0	0%
Total	115	25	90	

Beat	MSV	DA	Not DA
Torquay Town Centre	18	1	17
Torre	19	3	16
Wellswood	13	2	11
Paignton Town	11	3	8
Roundham East	7		7
St Marychurch	4		4
Ellacombe	4	1	3
Pendennis	3		3
Preston	4	1	3
Watcombe	5	2	3
Brixham Town	3	1	2
Foxhole	4	2	2
Higher Brixham	4	2	2
St Michaels	3	1	2
Chelston	2	1	1
Cockington	1		1
Furzham	2	1	1
Litch Field	2	1	1
Roundham West	1		1
St Marys	1		1
Willows	2	1	1
Primley	1	1	0
Shiphay	1	1	0
Grand Total	115	25	90

NON DA ASSAULTS

Hour Start	MSV	DA	Not DA
0	9	2	7
1	12	4	8
2	10	2	8
3	6		6
4	1		1
5	1	1	0
7	1		1
8	1		1
9	1	1	0
10	1		1
11	2		2
12	2		2
14	1		1
15	3		3
17	2	1	1
18	6	3	3
19	5		5
20	8	1	7
21	14	4	10
22	9	2	7
23	19	3	16
No value	1	1	0
Grand Total	115	25	90

Venue	all			DA			not da		
	FEMALE	MALE	Total	FEMALE	MALE	Total	FEMALE	MALE	Total
BEACH/COAST		1	1				0	1	1
CARPARK-OFF.		2	2				0	2	2
DWELLING HOUSE	6	13	19	5	4	9	1	9	10
FLAT/BEDSIT	7	18	25	6	6	12	1	12	13
HALLWAY/Common		1	1				0	1	1
AR		1	1				0	1	1
HOSTEL-NOT UNI/NU		1	1				0	1	1
HOTEL/LODGINGS	1	1	2	1		1	0	1	1
HOUSE DR/GARDEN	2	2	4	2		2	0	2	2
NIGHTCLUB	2	9	11				2	9	11
PARK		2	2				0	2	2
PUB.HS OR LIC.CLB	2	9	11	1		1	1	9	10
STREET/HIGHWAY/RD	2	33	35				2	33	35
YARD		1	1				0	1	1
Grand Total	22	93	115	15	10	25	7	83	90