



- Mayor's Safer Communities Fund

The Mayor's Safer Communities Fund continues to deliver projects to tackle poor mental health. Details of projects funded can be found here ([Mayor's Safer Communities Fund - West Yorkshire Combined Authority \(westyorks-ca.gov.uk\)](https://www.westyorks-ca.gov.uk/mayors-safer-communities-fund))

The Mayor's Safer Communities Fund GR1 awarded on 1 March 2022 – 39 projects were awarded a total of £208,254.93 with 29 projects focussing on Mental Health (£158,813.21).

### **EQUALITY, DIVERSITY, AND INCLUSION**

With a diverse population distributed across urban and rural areas, understanding the needs of our communities can be complex. It is crucial that we are engaged with all our communities to understand their needs so we can serve them well. The health needs of people in the criminal justice system are increased by additional social needs and inequalities, unemployment, rough sleeping, lack of education, training and social isolation.

### **ATTACHMENT**

[Chief Constables report – Mental Health](#) (PDF 225KB)