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| Universal Credit | Direct | WR62 | Universal Credit direct measure - to be developed. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Indirect | WR63 | Universal Credit indirect measure - to be developed. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Personal Independence payments | Direct | WR26 | Information on numbers of clients approaching Stockton District Advice and Information Service (SDAIS) for advice | ANEC | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 12,483 | 3077 | ✗ | There have been almost 5% more clients approaching SDAIS for advice in quarter one than in the same period last year (2,935). | |
| | | WR27 | The number of applicants approaching the Welfare Rights service as a result of welfare reforms | | CEC | Quarterly | TBC | TBC | 56.0% (974 clients) | 270 | N/A | Of the 632 contacts for the Welfare Rights Service 270 were as the result of the impact of welfare reform measures, equating to 42.7% of all contacts. The largest proportion of clients approaching the service were for information, advice and support for Employment and Support Allowance (replaced Incapacity / Sickness benefits) and Personal Independence Payment (replaced Disability Living Allowance). Additionally, the service is now starting to receive queries regarding the impact of Universal Credit although the proportion remains low at this stage (20 clients equating to 3.2% of contacts). Comparative figures are not available for Q1 2013/14. | |
| | | WR28 | The number of cases referred to SDAIS for assistance from Welfare Rights | | RES | Quarterly | TBC | TBC | 201 | 44 | ✓ | Welfare Rights have referred 27% less cases to SDAIS for assistance than in the same period last year (56). | |
| | | WR29 | Requests to councils / other agencies on advice debt management and also support with on line access | ANEC2 | RES | | | | | | | | Information is provided on requests made to through various Council services and SDAIS services. Details are recorded against these specific measures. |
| | | WR43 | % of residents who think their personal financial circumstances will get worse over the next 12 months | | RES | Annual | Not applicable | 33% | 29% | Not applicable (annual update) | Not applicable | Survey results are expected later in the year. | |
| | Indirect | WR15 | Approaches for housing advice (in relation to debt, rent arrears, mortgage arrears, domestic violence, HB/CTB issues and 16/17 yr olds asked to leave home) | | DNS | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 899 | 204 | ✗ | 204 approaches for housing advice, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Debt /affordability = 56 (DHP = 52) Rent arrears both private and social = 30 Mortgage arrears/possession = 24 Domestic abuse = 35 16 & 17 year olds asked to leave = 7 This compares with 188 approaches in the same quarter last year. | |
| | | WR24a | Discretionary Housing Payments: Number and amount of DHP awards - broken down into claimants affected by: Benefit Cap; Removal of Spare Room Subsidy; Local Housing Allowance Restrictions; Combination of Welfare Reforms; Not affected by HB reforms | | DNS | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | Accompanying table with year end report | See table | Not applicable | Total no paid = 246 (comapred with 142 last year) Total amount paid = £143,657 (compared to £39,634 last year) See table for breakdown | |
| | | WR24b | Discretionary Housing Payments: Budget spend to date; spend as percentage of budget; number of applications; number of awards; changes to any critieria. | ANEC2 | DNS | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | Accompanying table with year end report | See table | Not applicable | Budget: £446,762. Spend Q1: £172,184 = 38.54% of budget. Applications received: 361; paid: 246. Changes to criteria: NIL See table | |
| | | WR36 | Back on Track pilot - Total number of applications | ANEC2 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 1,401 | 259 | ✗ | There has been a 31% increase in the total number of applications compared with the same period last year (197). The increase is due to the increase in number of applications for settlement grants. | |
| | | WR47 | Number of calls answered by Customer Services about Council Tax or Benefits | ANEC | RES | Quarterly | | 91,081 | 89575 | 23800 | ✗ | The number of calls about council tax and benefits has increased by 2,346 (11%) compared to the same period last year. | |
| WR50 | In year collection performance - the percentage of Council Tax that was due for the year and actually collected in-year | | RES | Quarterly | 98% | 98% | 97% | 29% | = | The collection performance rate at the end of quarter one is very similar to the same period last year which was 28.79%. | | | |

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| Under occupation | Direct | WR15 | Approaches for housing advice (in relation to debt, rent arrears, mortgage arrears, domestic violence, HB/CTB issues and 16/17 yr olds asked to leave home) | | DNS | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 899 | 204 | ✗ | 204 approaches for housing advice, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Debt /affordability = 56 (DHP = 52) Rent arrears both private and social = 30 Mortgage arrears/possession = 24 Domestic abuse = 35 16 & 17 year olds asked to leave = 7 This compares with 188 approaches in the same quarter last year. |
| | | WR10 | Number of clients coming to Stockton District Advice and Information Service (SDAIS) for the first time for assistance on new debts and clients coming to SDAIS for assistance with new debts | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 2525 | Data not yet available | N/A | SDAIS have reported that with the switch to their new (national) case recording system they have not been able to find a way to determine the stats previously recorded under WR10 but are continuing to look at this. |
| | | WR11 | Total amount of outstanding debt for clients of SDAIS taken on for debt casework | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | 16,521,531 | 19,220,398 | 3,030,472 | ✓ | There is a significant decrease on the amount of debt reported by clients of SDAIS compared with last year (4,565,875). |
| | | WR16 | Number of bids on Choice Based Lettings for property types vs availability | | DNS | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | Accompanying table with year end report | See table | Not applicable | See table below. |
| | | WR17 | Level of social housing rent arrears (percentage) net of outstanding Housing Benefit | ANEC | DNS | Quarterly | N/A | 104.31% | 97.83% | 98.39% | ✓ | 98.39% compared to 111.23% last year. Figures relate to Tristar Homes only. Figure is reported from the week when benefit is received, as the only 'true' week. (outturn may be in excess of 100% due to the rent collected including payments for arrears, overpayments/accounts in credit, court costs. |
| | | WR18 | Number of households in rent arrears | | DNS | Quarterly | 7,727 | 7,514 | 4,165 | 4,513 | ✓ | Figures relate to Tristar Homes properties only. This figure accounts for 45.43% of total households. To break this down further there are 736 households in arrears over £500, which is equivalent to 16.31% of households in arrears and 7.42% of all properties. Figures are a snapshot, not cumulative. |
| | | WR19 | Number of rent arrears eviction court claims | | DNS | Quarterly | 383 | 340 | 672 | 151 | ✗ | 151 including private, social and accelerated landlords, as well as mortgage arrears eviction claims, compared to 95 during the same period last year. |
| | | WR20 | Number of landlord rent arrears repossession court orders | ANEC | DNS | Quarterly | 352 | 259 | 142 | 46 | ✓ | Outright orders (exc. Suspended orders) = 46 including private, social and accelerated landlords (exc. Mortgaged 27) compared to 62 during the same period last year. |
| | | WR13 | Mental Health - People in contact with mental health services per 100,000 population | ANEC2 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | N/A | 2,116 | N/A | Public Health England have reported that for the Hartlepool and Stockton CCG in quarter 1 2013/14, there were 2,116 people in contact with mental health services per 100,000 population. This is similar to the rate in England of 2,176. This is the most up to date information available and a comparator to the previous year is not available. |
| | | WR21 | Number affected by under occupation | ANEC | DNS | Quarterly | N/A | 2,690 (April 2012 figure) | 2,137 | 2,055 | ✓ | 2055 people affected by under occupation, compared with 2268 at the same time last year. |
| | | WR22 | Percentage of tenancies failing within the first 12 months | ANEC | DNS | Quarterly | 8.0% | 9.2% | 11.3% | 10.7% | ✗ | 10.74% of starter tenancies failing within the first 12 months, this compares with 8.90% reported for the same period last year. Welfare reform has clearly had a detrimental impact on this measure, as well as affordability. Affordability and demand are the two major factors that are affecting the sustainability of tenancies. |
| | | WR23 | Numbers waiting for 1, 2 or 3 bedroom properties, including the length of waiting time | ANEC | DNS | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | Accompanying table with year end report | 3,247 | N/A | 3,247 waiting for 1, 2 and 3 bedroom properties. Comparative figures are not available for Q1 2013/14. Waiting times are included on the separate table below . |
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| | | WR25 | Proportion of households approaching the authority and accepted as statutory homeless | ANEC2 | DNS | Quarterly | 2.9% | 1.3% | 1.0% | 0.1% | ✓ | 692 households approaching the local authority and accepted full duty to one case April - June 2014, which equates to 0.1%. This is a reduction than for the same period last year (1.2%). There can be a range of advice and other resolutions to the households approaching the service, with acceptance as being statutory homeless just one of those resolutions. |
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| | Indirect | WR30 | The number of child protection plans (existing cases) | | CESC | Quarterly | N/A | 274 | 369 | 276 | ✓ | At Q1, 276 children were the subject of a child protection plan. This compares to 2013/14 Q1 performance of 356 showing a significant reduction in cases. |
| | | WR32 | Family Welfare Support contacts (contact/caseload count for Sure Start's Welfare Right worker) | | CESC | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 83 | Data not yet available | N/A | Data not yet available. To be reported at Q2 |
| | | WR33 | The number of children taken into care (existing cases) | ANEC | CESC | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 204 | 37 | ✓ | During Q1 there were 37 new admissions to care. This is a significant reduction on Q1 2013/14 performance of 64 new admissions. The majority of these are short term admissions (less than 3 months) and are due to single period of accommodation under Section 20 of the Children Act. These are generally young people with complex needs / behavioural problems. |
| | | WR37c | Back on Track pilot - Number of awards for: - rent in advance | ANEC2 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 1,381 | 191 | ✗ | There has been a 15% increase in the number of applications for crisis support compared with the same period with last year (166). Given that it was a new scheme last year this is not a particularly significant increase. |
| | | WR47 | Number of calls answered by Customer Services about Council Tax or Benefits | ANEC | RES | Quarterly | | 91,081 | 89,575 | 23,800 | ✗ | The number of calls about council tax and benefits has increased by 2,346 (11%) compared to the same period last year. |
| | | WR48 | Number of face to face enquiries about Council Tax or Benefits | ANEC | RES | Quarterly | | 43,604 | 53,165 | 12,573 | ✓ | The number of face to face enquiries about council tax and benefits has decreased by 1,519 (10.8%) compared to the same period last year. |
| | | WR61 | Number of new households accessing a foodbank | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | N/A | 152 | N/A | This is a new indicator therefore previous outturns for comparison are not available. SDAIS have set up a food bank project and at the end of the project we will have a better idea about how many households are accessing food banks. The outturn for quarter one refers to the number of referrals SDAIS have made during the quarter to a food bank. Please note the methodology of this measure will be changing throughout the year as more agencies become part of the project therefore a trend will not be available at this early stage. |

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| | | WR37b | Back on Track pilot - Number of awards for: - settlement support | ANEC2 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 767 | 214 | ✗ | There has been a 449% increase in the number of applications for settlement support compared with the same period as last year (39). The numbers last year reflected that it was a new scheme for the borough and therefore the significant increase reflects a greater awareness of the local scheme. |
| | | WR37c | Back on Track pilot - Number of awards for: - rent in advance | ANEC2 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 164 | 73 | ✗ | There has been a 421% increase in the number of awards for rent in advance compared with the same period last year (14). The numbers last year reflected that it was a new scheme for the borough. Having secured funding to be used as Back on Track, Housing Options has to date been able to help clients with either rent in advance payments to secure privately rented accommodation, or pay shortfalls for clients to be placed in supported accommodation (this payment is made when there is a delay in the individual's benefit). |
| | | WR38 | Back on track pilot budget | ANEC1 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 731,244 | 78,250 | ✗ | The budget profile for Q1 2013/14 was based on the take up of the DWP Crisis Loans and Community Grants scheme and set at £731,244 for the year. The levels of take up however were far smaller when it became a local scheme so the budget profile passed across to the deliverer was reduced accordingly this year to reflect spend levels in Q4 2013/14. |
| | | WR39 | Back on track pilot spend | ANEC2 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 204,664 | 86,841 | ✗ | There has been a significant increase in the spend compared with the same period last year (£15,825). However the take up last year reflected that it was a new scheme for the borough and therefore the increase reflects a greater awareness of the local scheme. |
| | | WR40 | Back on Track pilot - spend as a percentage of budget for quarter | ANEC2 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 27.99% | 110.00% | ✗ | The budget for the quarter had been based on quarter 4 2013/14. The spend will be taken into account in the October Cabinet report on the scheme which will look at the approach going forward. |
| | | WR41 | Number of Back on Track loan defaults | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | | | = | The number of loans issued has been minimal indicating a lack of any affordability in the client group. |
| | | Indirect | WR61 | Number of new households accessing a foodbank | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | N/A | 152 | N/A |
| Local Council Tax Support Scheme | Direct | WR10 | Number of clients coming to Stockton District Advice and Information Service (SDAIS) for the first time for assistance on new debts and clients coming to SDAIS for assistance with new debts | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 2,525 | Data not yet available | N/A | SDAIS have reported that with the switch to their new (national) case recording system they have not been able to find a way to determine the stats previously recorded under WR10 but are continuing to look at this. |
| | | WR12 | Estimated loss to Stockton-on-Tees economy due to welfare reforms and equivalent per working age adult (16-64) | | RES | | N/A | N/A | | | | ANEC in conjunction with the ILG are undertaking a longitudinal study to understand the impact on the Stockton Economy and the Region. Information will be released periodically and when available will be reported to members. |
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| | | WR49 | Number of Taxation face-to-face queries coming into Kingsway House | | RES | Quarterly | 1,111 | 981 | 1,579 | 455 | ✗ | The number of face to face queries coming into Kingsway House has increased by 60 (15%) compared to the same period last year. As statistics relating to the nature of visits are no longer maintained, it is not possible to confirm what percentage were Welfare Reform related. |
| | | WR50 | In year collection performance - the percentage of Council Tax that was due for the year and actually collected in-year | | RES | Quarterly | 98.10% | 98.20% | 96.90% | 28.91% | = | The collection performance at the end of quarter one is very similar to the same time last year (28.79%). |

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| | | WR51 | Long term collection performance - the percentage of Council Tax that was due for the year that was collected after 3 years | | RES | Annually | 98.74% | 99.03% | 99.17% | 99.10% | = | The collection performance at the end of quarter one is very similar to the same period last year (99.07%). |
| | | WR52a | Enforcement activity per thousand dwellings: · Summonses | ANEC2 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | 113.5 | 208.3 | 1.7 | ✓ | Although enforcement activity per thousand dwellings has only increased marginally, the percentage of those that we have requested a deduction from benefit by way of recovery, has increased by around 30% mainly due to Council Tax Support claimants. In addition, we have sent less cases to the bailiff for recovery due to the changes to the Enforcement (Bailiff) Regulations that came into force on the 6th April 2014, which has reduced the cases that are deemed appropriate due to the revised fee structure. |
| | | WR52b | Enforcement activity per thousand dwellings: · Bailiff referrals | ANEC2 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | 60.7 | 39.5 | 6.1 | ✗ | |
| | | WR52c | Enforcement activity per thousand dwellings: · Attachment of Earnings Orders | ANEC2 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | 28.2 | 19.8 | 14.6 | ✗ | |
| | | WR52d | Enforcement activity per thousand dwellings: · Deductions from benefit | ANEC2 | RES | Quarterly | N/A | 40.7 | 87.1 | 14.6 | ✗ | |
| | | WR53 | Council Tax Support Claimants - the percentage of Council Tax from those on Council Tax Support that was due for the year and actually collected in-year | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 84.40% | 24.12% | = | The collection performance for the support claimants at the end of quarter one was very similar figure to the same time last year (24.80%). |
| | | WR54a | Council Tax Support Claimants - Enforcement activity per thousand dwellings: · Summonses | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 624.1 | 530 | ✗ | Enforcement activity per thousand dwellings for support claimants has increased by around 31% from the same period last year. The percentage of those that we have requested a deduction from benefit by way of recovery, has increased by around 38% due to it being the most appropriate option to recover. Bailiff referrals remain at nil due to a reluctance to refer those affected by the Welfare Reforms for this type of recovery until all other options have been exhausted. Welfare visits have also been carried out in order to try and engage with this customer group. |
| | | WR54b | Council Tax Support Claimants - Enforcement activity per thousand dwellings: · Bailiff referrals | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | | | = | |
| | | WR54c | Council Tax Support Claimants - Enforcement activity per thousand dwellings: · Attachment of Earnings Orders | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 4.9 | | = | |
| | | WR54d | Council Tax Support Claimants - Enforcement activity per thousand dwellings: · Deductions from benefit | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 411.9 | 50.1 | ✗ | |
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| Satisfaction | Direct | WR42 | % of residents who think that the economy in the local area is really struggling or not doing well | | RES | Annual | Not applicable | 81% | 68% | Not applicable (annual update) | Not applicable | Survey results are expected later in the year. | |
| | | WR44 | % of residents who never or rarely feel optimistic about the future | | RES | Annual | Not applicable | 24% | 6% | Not applicable (annual update) | Not applicable | Survey results are expected later in the year. | |
| | | WR45 | % of the residents affected by the economic climate in the last 12 months | | RES | Annual | Not applicable | 53% | 68% | Not applicable (annual update) | Not applicable | Survey results are expected later in the year. | |
| | Indirect | WR46 | % of residents who agree that Stockton-on-Tees is a place where people from different backgrounds get on well together | ANEC2 | RES | Annual | Not applicable | 59% | 62% | Not applicable (annual update) | Not applicable | Survey results are expected later in the year. | |
| Other / General | Direct | WR04 | Annual Population Survey working age employment rate | | DNS | Quarterly | 68.7% | 69.4% | 71.2% (Jan-Dec 2013) | 70.2% (April 2013 - March 2014) | ✗ | The latest statistics for April 2013 to March 2014 show 70.2% of the working age population were employed. This is a small reduction of 1% point on the figure of 71.2% reported last quarter for January to December 2013 but is 0.8% points higher than the rate of 69.4% for April 2012 to March 2013. | |
| | | WR05 | Working age population self-employed | | DNS | Quarterly | 6.0% | 6.6% | 7.6% (Jan-Dec 2013) | 7.1% (April 2013 - March 2014) | ✗ | The latest statistics for April 2013 to March 2014 show 7.1% of the working age population were self-employed. This is a small reduction of 0.5% points on the figure of 7.6% reported last quarter for January to December 2013 but is 0.5% points higher than the rate of 6.6% for April 2012 to March 2013. | |
| | | WR06 | Job Seeker's Allowance Claimant Count (aged 16-64) | ANEC | DNS | Quarterly | 5.9% | 5.7% | 4.6% | 4.0% | ✓ | The percentage of working age Job Seeker's Allowance claimants reduced from 5.4% (6,685) in June 2013 to 4.0% (4,975) in June 2014. In the last three years, the highest percentage of Stockton working residents claiming Job Seeker's Allowance was 5.9% in February 2012, so recent results are positive. We are on track to achieve the year-end target of 4.1%. | |
| | | WR07 | Young Person (18 - 24) Job Seeker's allowance claimant count | | DNS | Quarterly | 13.3% | 11.9% | 9.0% | 7.4% | ✓ | The percentage of young person (18-24) Job Seeker's Allowance (JSA) claimant count reduced from 11.2% (2,000) in June 2013 to 7.4% (1,325) in June 2014. In the last three years, the highest percentage of 18-24 year old Stockton residents claiming Job Seeker's Allowance was 13.5% in February 2012, so recent results are positive. We are on track to achieve the year-end target of 8.2%. | |
| | | WR08 | People (aged 16-64) who have been Job Seeker's Allowance claimants for over 12 months | | DNS | Quarterly | 1.4% | 2.0% | 1.7% | 1.5% | ✓ | The percentage of working age Job Seeker's Allowance claimants over 12 months reduced from 2% (2,490) in June 2013 to 1.5% (1,875) in June 2014. | |
| | | WR09 | Young Persons (aged 18-24) who have been a Job Seeker's allowance claimant for over 12 months | | DNS | Quarterly | 1.9% | 3.1% | 2.3% | 1.8% | ✓ | The percentage of young person (18-24) Job Seeker's Allowance claimants over 12 months reduced from 3.1% (560) in June 2013 to 1.8% (320) in June 2014. | |
| | | WR12 | Estimated loss to Stockton-on-Tees economy due to welfare reforms and equivalent per working age adult (16-64) | | RES | | N/A | N/A | | | | | ANEC in conjunction with the ILG are undertaking a longitudinal study to understand the impact on the Stockton Economy and the Region. Information will be released periodically and when available will be reported to members. |
| | | WR34 | Percentage of children living in poverty | | RES | Annual | 21.6% | N/A | N/A | N/A | Data not yet available | | HMRC have not provided an update on this measure. |
| | | WR56 | Number of clients visiting Stockton District Advice and Information Service (SDAIS) for debt related matters | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 4,432 | 496 | ✗ | | There have been almost 10% more clients visiting SDAIS for debt related matters than in the same period last year. |
| | | WR57 | Number of clients visiting Stockton District Advice and Information Service (SDAIS) with pay day loans | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | 124 | 37 | ✗ | | There have been 37% more clients visiting SDAIS with pay day loans than in the same period last year. |
| WR60 | DWP sanctions (measure to be developed) | | | | | | | | | | Details of latest release of information contained in main report. | | |

| Reform topic | Impact of reform | Ref. | Description of measure | Are ANEC monitoring? | Responsibility | Frequency | 2011/12 | 2012/13 | 2013/14 | Q1 2014/15 | Comparison to first three months in 2013/14 | Q1 Comments |
|--------------|------------------|------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| | Indirect | WR61 | Number of new households accessing a foodbank | | RES | Quarterly | N/A | N/A | N/A | 152 | N/A | This is a new indicator therefore previous outturns for comparison are not available. SDAIS have set up a food bank project and at the end of the project we will have a better idea about how many households are accessing food banks. The outturn for quarter one refers to the number of referrals SDAIS have made during the quarter to a food bank. Please note the methodology of this measure will be changing throughout the year as more agencies become part of the project therefore a trend will not be available at this early stage. |
| | | WR01 | Level of reported acquisitive crime, including burglary, theft, shop-lifting and vehicle theft | ANEC | DNS | Quarterly | 6,066 | 5,812 | 5,826 | 1,340 | ✓ | 1,340 acquisitive crimes reported during April - June 2014, compared with 1,513 during the same period last year. This represents an 11.4% reduction. |
| | | WR02 | Number of accident and emergency presentations as a result of domestic violence | | DNS | Quarterly | N/A | 116 | 100 | 36 | ✗ | 36 accident and emergency presentations as a result of domestic violence during April - June 2014, compared with 21 during the same period last year. This represents an increase of 71%. |
| | | WR03 | Incidents of domestic violence resulting in a recorded crime | ANEC | DNS | Quarterly | N/A | 1,036 | 761 | 127 | ✓ | 127 incidents of domestic violence resulting in a recorded crime reported April - June 2014, compared to 197 during the same period last year. This represents a 35.5% reduction. |
| | | WR14 | Percentage of residents with bad or very bad general health | | RES | Annual | N/A | 6% | 9% | Not applicable (annual update) | Not applicable | The results of the Viewpoint Survey are expected to be available in the Quarter 2 report. |
| | | WR59 | Animal Welfare (measure to be developed) | | | | | | | | | Information on data collected has been received. An appropriate measure will be developed and reported at Qtr 2. |

Key:
 ANEC Information that we are already collecting that ANEC have requested.
 ANEC2 Possible additional data required by ANEC for regional monitoring work that Stockton were not already collecting (as at June 2013).
 Not applicable e.g. measure is cumulative or updated annually/ biannually
 N/A Data not available

Comparison symbols
 ✓ Tick for an improvement / positive shift
 = Equals sign for static / no movement
 ✗ Cross for a decline / negative shift

