

PROCEDURE

Title:	CRIMESTOPPERS	
Practice / Business Area:	Intelligence	
Department Responsible:	Force Intelligence & Organised Crime Unit (FIOCU)	
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SOUTH WALES POLICE PROCEDURE OBJECTIVE:		
To keep South Wales safe by ensuring that all Crimestoppers intelligence is obtained, managed and actioned ethically in line with national legislation and guidance, protecting the integrity and reputation of SWP and reducing potential risk to our staff and our communities.		
GUIDANCE:		
All aspects of this Guidance and Procedure are mandatory therefore please refer to Procedure.		
GENERIC RISK ASSESSMENT:		
No H&S risk assessment required.		
PROCEDURE:		
<p>The information provided to us by our communities is vital and demonstrates the level of trust and confidence they have in our ability to respond to their needs. There will be occasions when members of our communities wish to remain anonymous when providing information. The national charity Crimestoppers has established structures in place to act as a conduit for this information and is contracted by SWP to carry out this function.</p> <p>Staff need to ensure that the <i>Intelligence Triage model</i> is adhered to in regard to all crimestoppers intelligence received and must ensure that it is managed, disseminated and actioned in a professional and sensitive manner. The procedure needs to include the following elements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ All staff (dependent upon role) must receive appropriate levels of training to ensure correct application of the ITM. ➤ All staff must comply with the procedure outlined within the ITM, which includes the recording, risk assessment and actioning of intelligence. ➤ Force Intelligence systems have been updated to accommodate the requirements of ITM and allow for monitoring of performance and compliance. <p>Crimestoppers most wanted appeals allows Crimestoppers to be able to facilitate rewards for significant police appeals for tracing wanted persons.</p> <p>Crimestoppers enhanced rewards is able to facilitate rewards for other significant police appeals e.g. wanted persons; identity sought; whereabouts sought etc.</p> <p>Crimestoppers focussed campaigns allows for crime prevention and awareness raising information to be given out to the community to address crimes of a local / particular</p>		

nature, through the use of media and marketing campaigns.

The Detective Inspector FIB represents the force at quarterly all-Wales and national Crimestoppers partnership meetings where force Crimestoppers returns / successes are presented.