

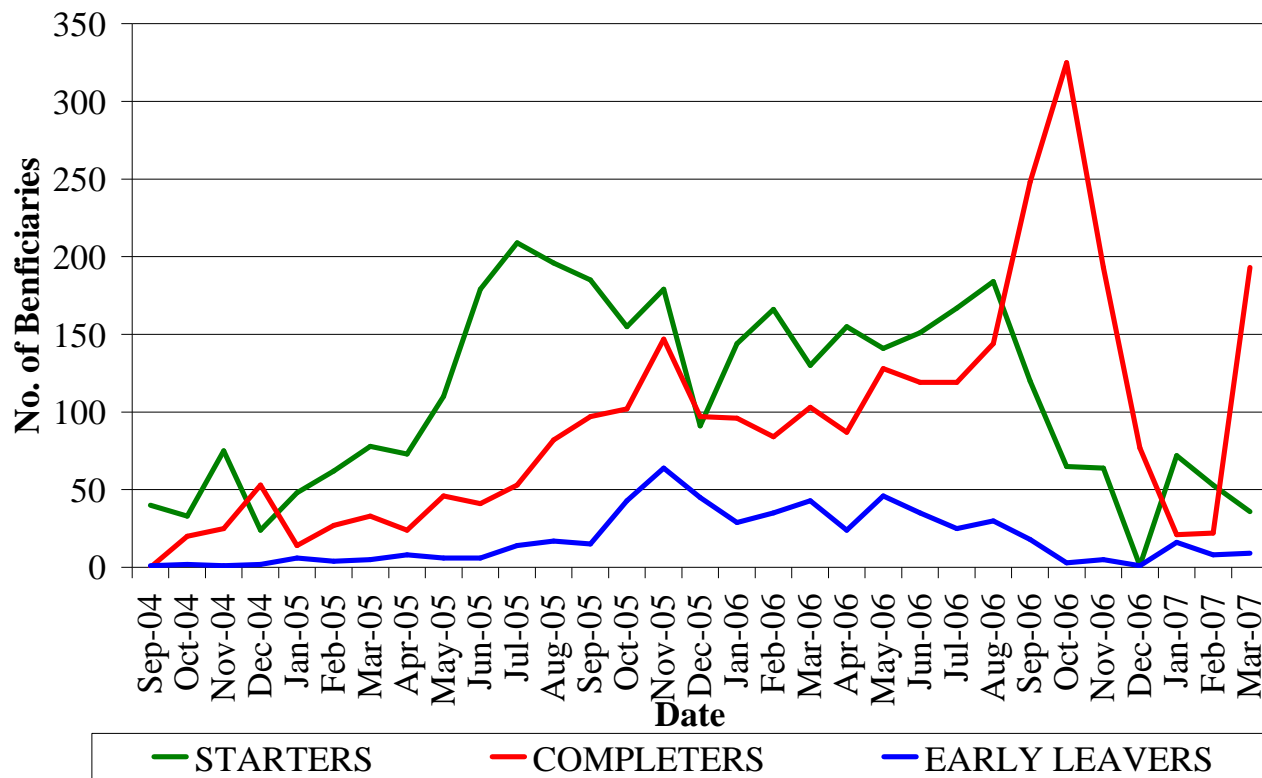


PROJECT SUMMARY

Dossier 041009ES – Female Beneficiaries

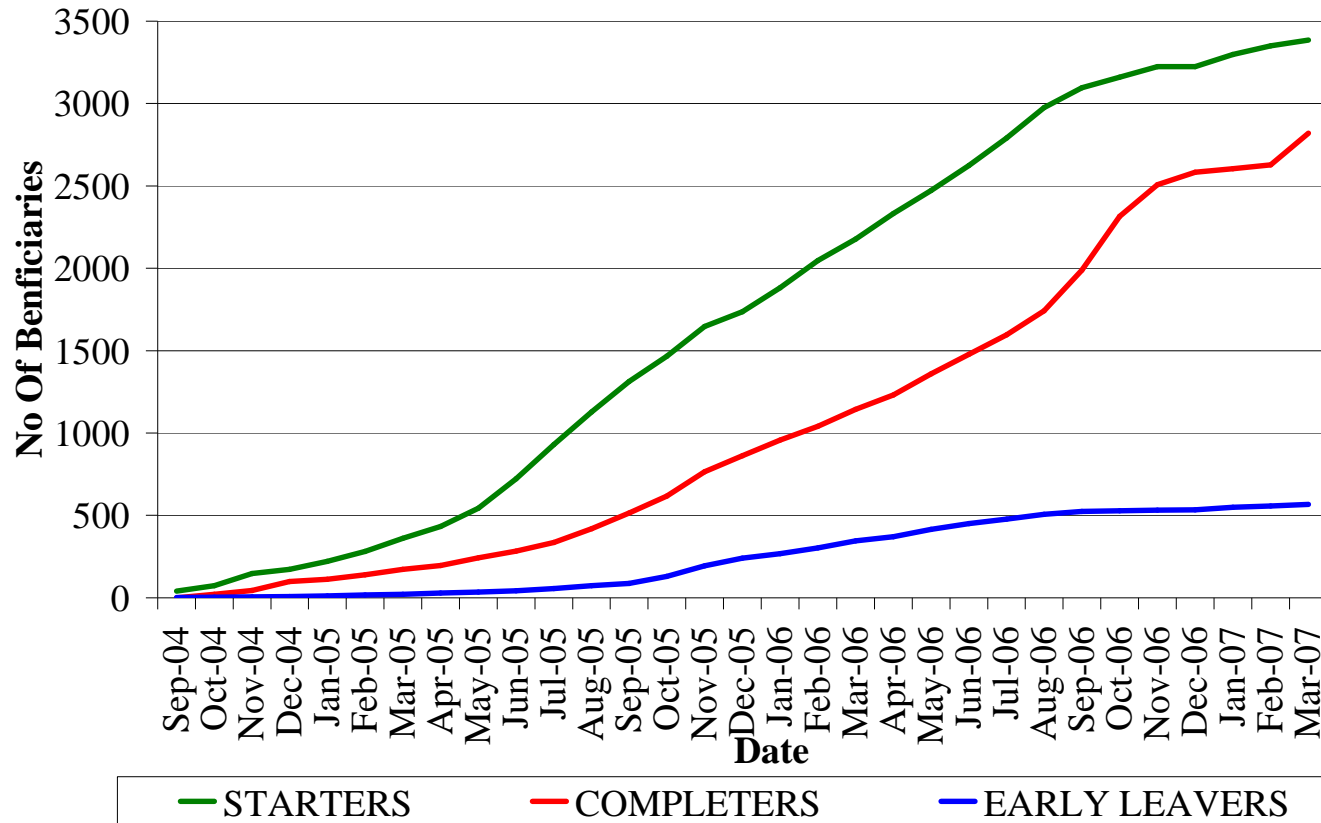
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Starters, Completers and Early Leavers Per Month



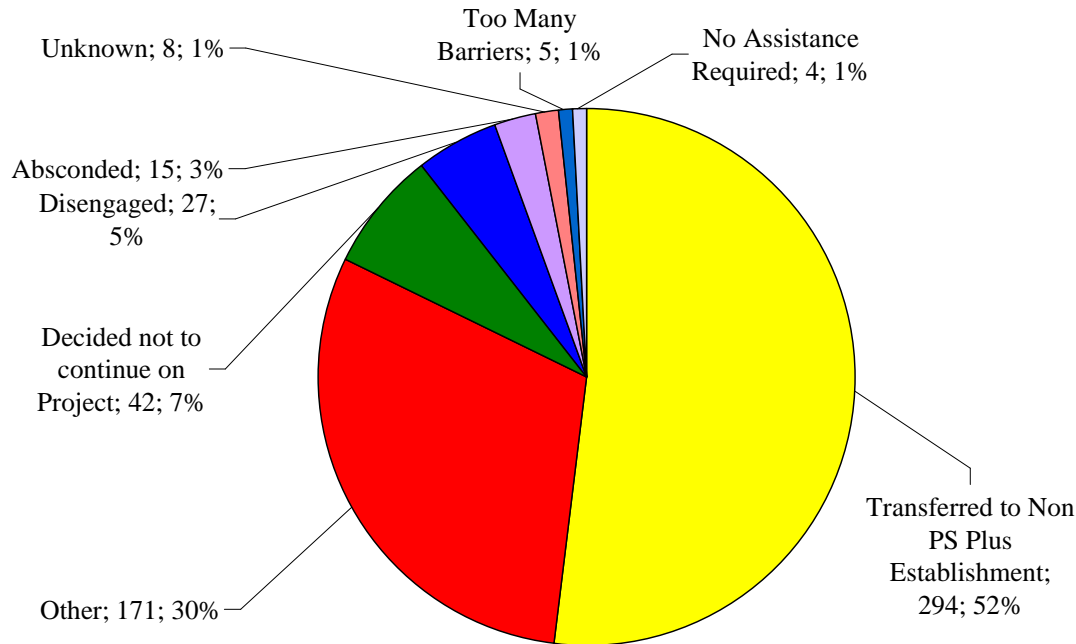
- Most months, between 100 and 200 beneficiaries were started on dossier 041009ES.
- The number of beneficiaries completing each month steadily increased to approximately 150 in August 2006. The number of completers then dramatically increased during the last seven months of the project.

Cumulative Starters, Completers and Early Leavers



- 3383 beneficiaries were started on dossier 041009ES.
- Of these, 2817 completed the project when their sentence expired and 566 left the project early.

Reasons for Early Leavers



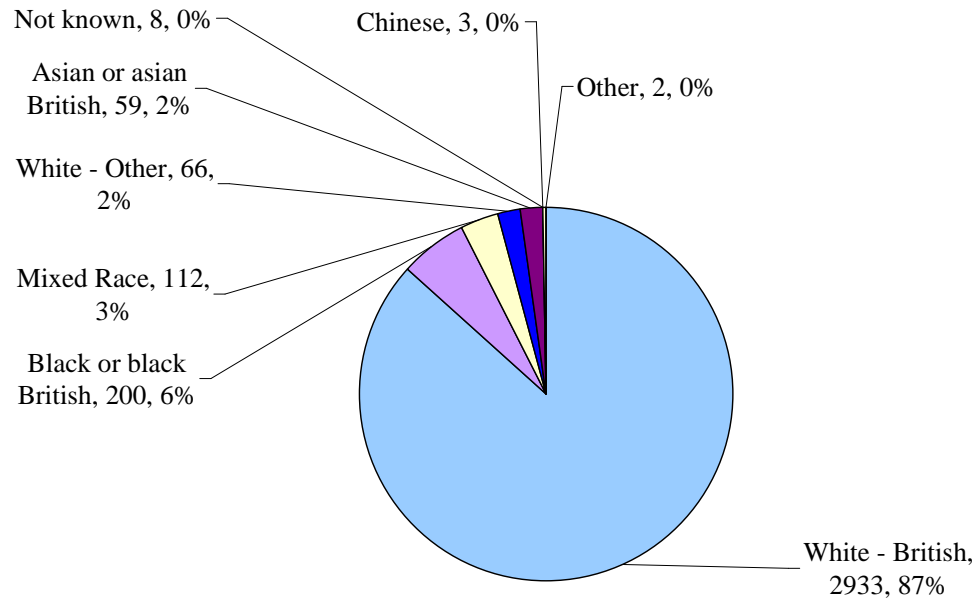
Other reasons given for beneficiaries Early Leaving the project:

Reason for leaving early	No. of beneficiaries
Discharged/Bailed etc	56
Ineligible (age/sentence length etc)	24
Other	24
Did not require/want PS Plus services	20
Ineligible (foreign national/deportee)	18
Went onto another ESF project	13
Unknown	9
Lack of motivation/cooperation/bad behaviour	4
Health issues (physical & mental)	2
Risk Issues	1
TOTAL	171

- Of the 566 beneficiaries who left the project early, 52% (294) transferred to a non-PS Plus establishment.
- 7% (42) of early leavers decided not to continue on the project.
- For 33% (56) of the beneficiaries who left early, the beneficiary was discharged from court/bailed.

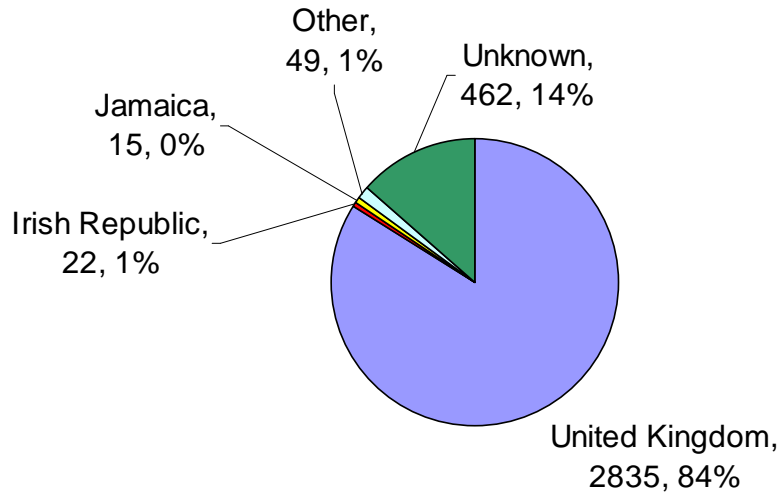
Beneficiaries Started On PS Plus

Ethnic Breakdown of All Beneficiaries



- 87% (2933) of the beneficiaries started on dossier 041007ES3 were White-British.
- 13% (442) of the beneficiaries started on dossier 041007ES3 were from ethnic minorities.
- The ethnic origin of 8 beneficiaries was not known.

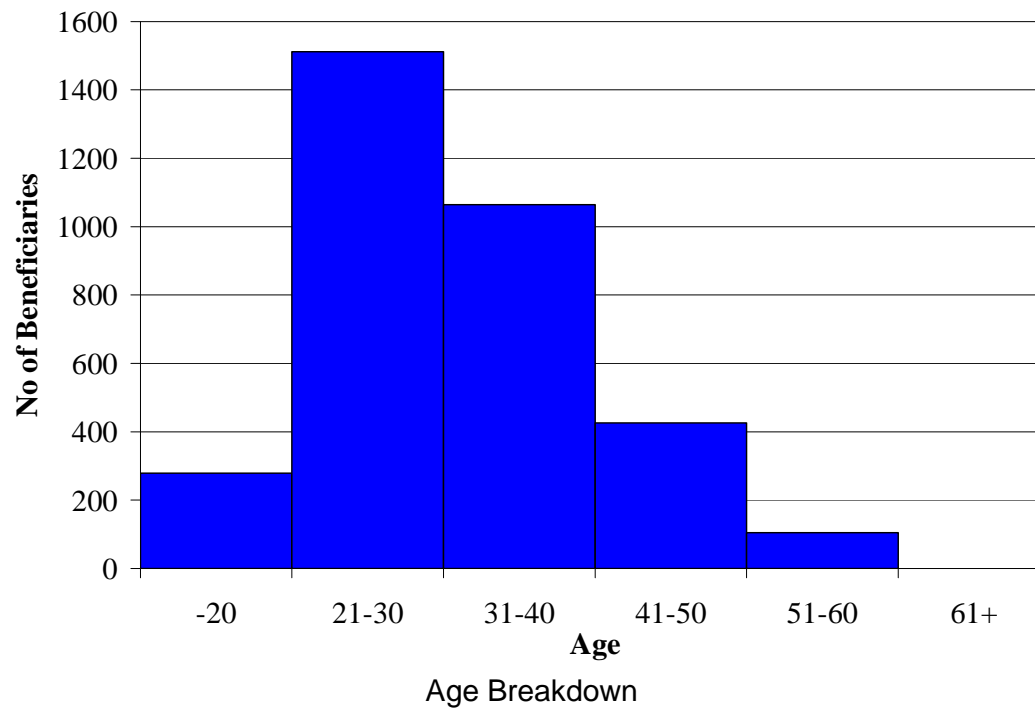
Nationality Breakdown of All Beneficiaries



Nationality	No. of beneficiaries
United Kingdom	2835
Irish Republic	22
Jamaica	15
Other	49
Unknown	462
TOTAL	3383

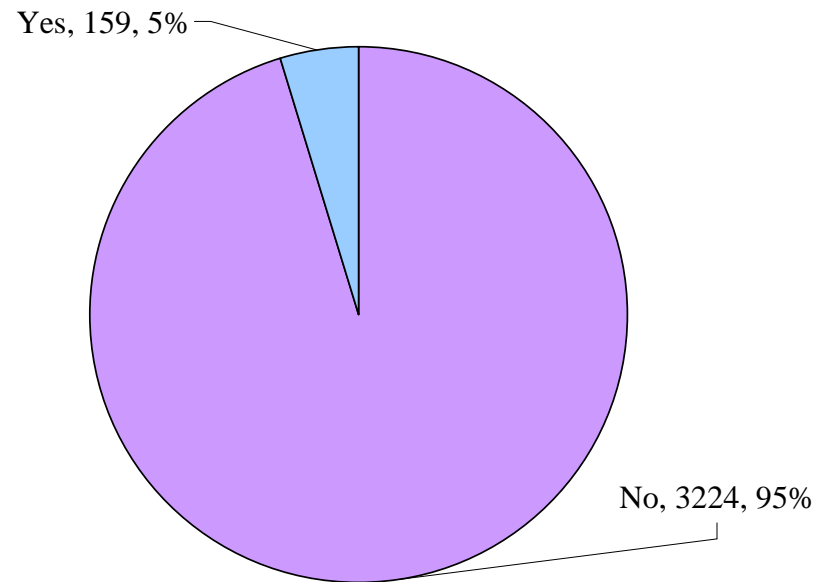
- 84% (2835) of the beneficiaries started on dossier 041009ES were from United Kingdom.
- The nationality of 14% (462) of the beneficiaries on dossier 041009ES was unknown.

Age and Dossier Number of Beneficiaries on Starting PS Plus 2



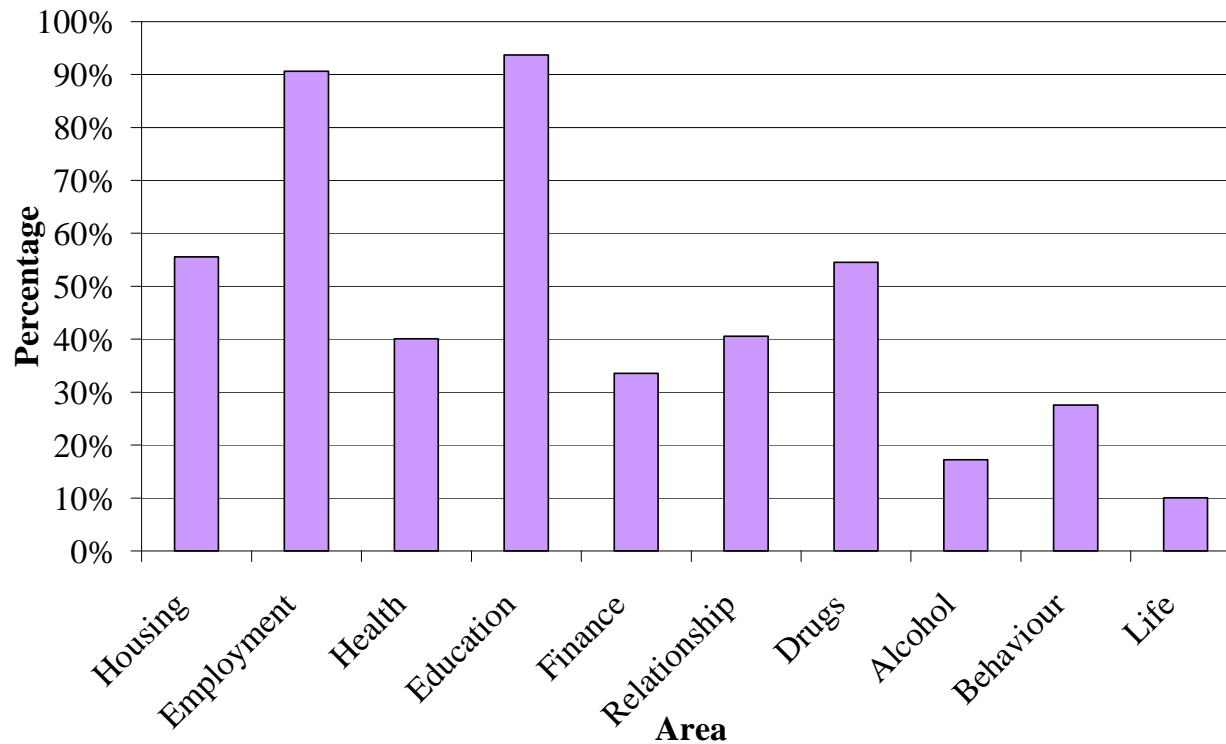
- The average (mean) age of the beneficiaries started on dossier 041009ES project was 31 years and 3 months.
- The average (mode) age group is 21 – 30 years old.

Disabled Beneficiaries

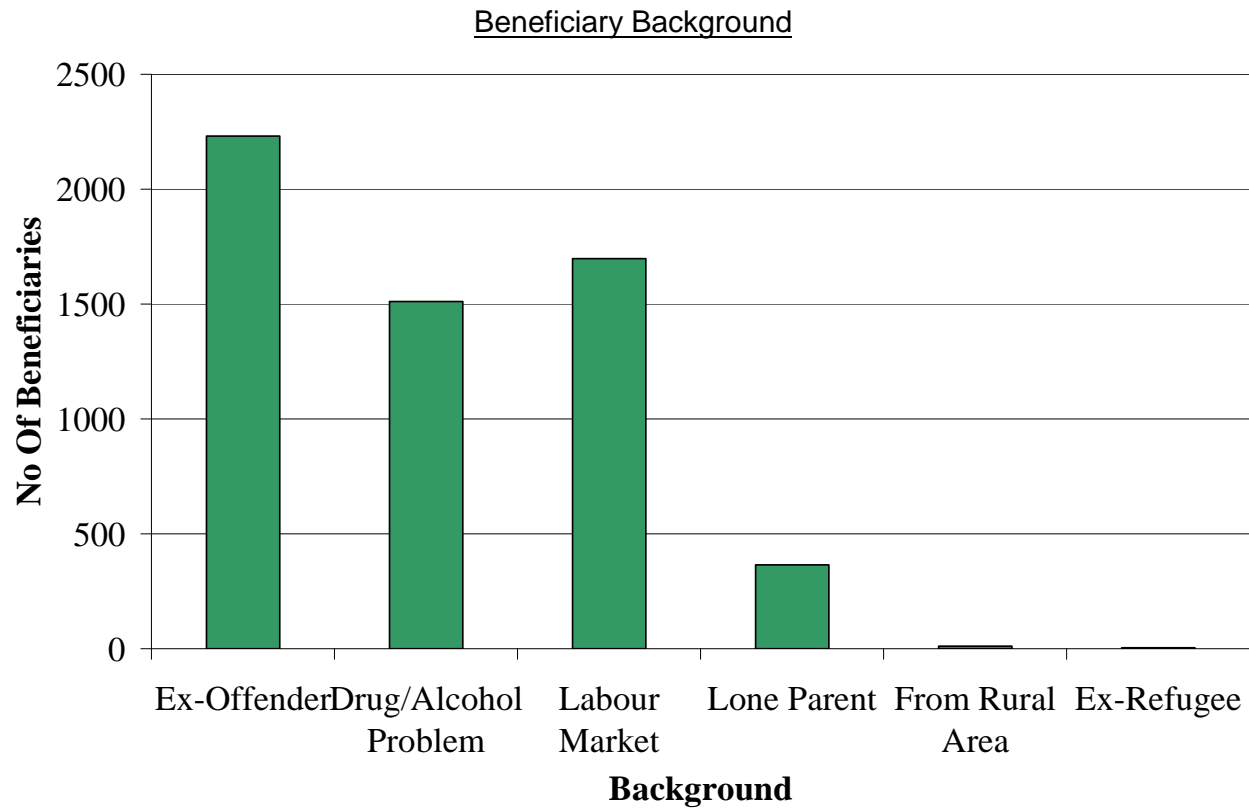


- 5% (159) of the beneficiaries on 041009ES project were classified as being disabled.

Needs of the Beneficiaries Started on 041009ES

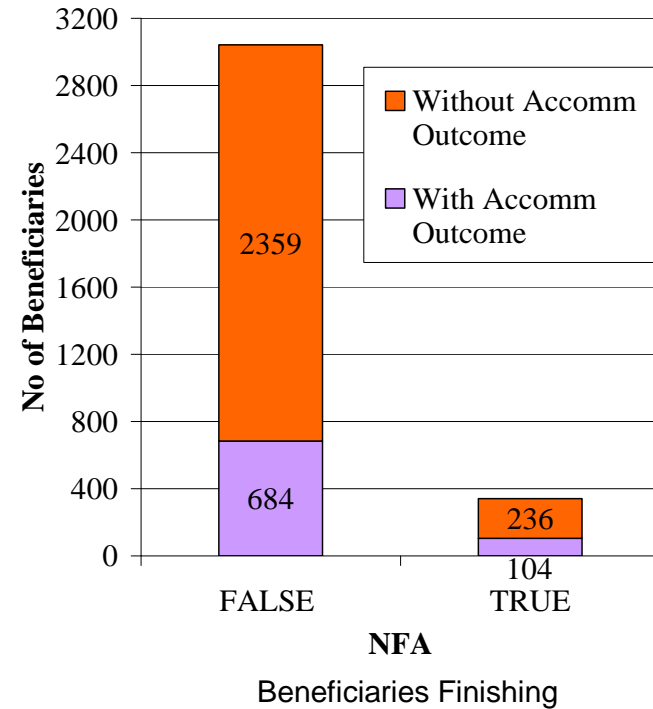
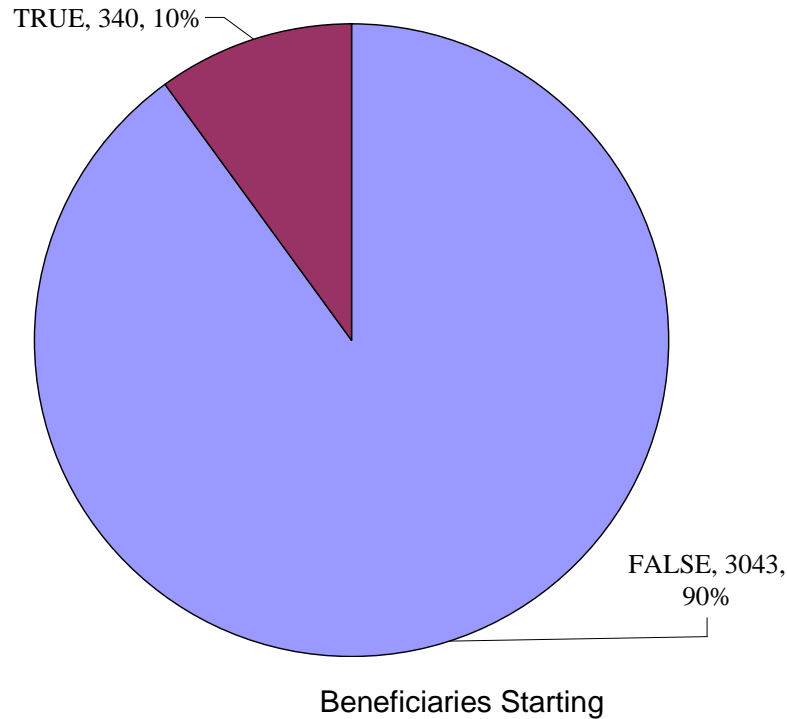


- Over 90% of the beneficiaries on dossier 041009ES needed help with education and over 90% needed help with employment issues.
- Over 50% of the beneficiaries on 041009ES needed help with housing and over 50% needed help with drugs issues.
- 40% of the beneficiaries on 041009ES needed help with health issues.

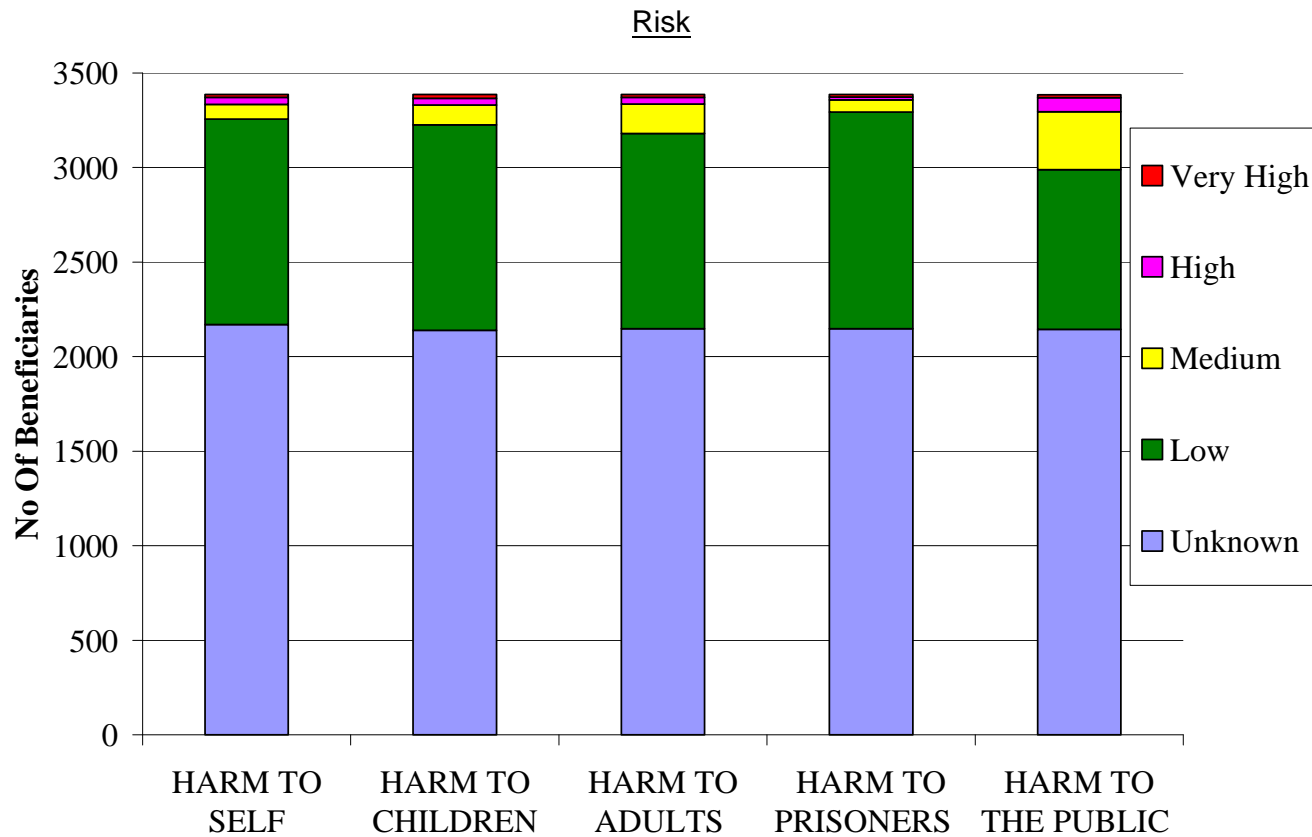


- Over 2200 of the beneficiaries on dossier 041009ES were ex-offenders.
- Approximately 1500 of the beneficiaries on dossier 041009ES had a drug or alcohol problem.
- Nearly 400 of the beneficiaries on dossier 041009ES were lone parents.

Beneficiaries with No Fixed Abode



- 10% (340) of the beneficiaries on dossier 041009ES were classed as having No Fixed Abode on starting the project.
- Of these, 104 beneficiaries had an accommodation outcome secured. A further 684 beneficiaries who were not classified as having no fixed abode also gained an accommodation outcome.



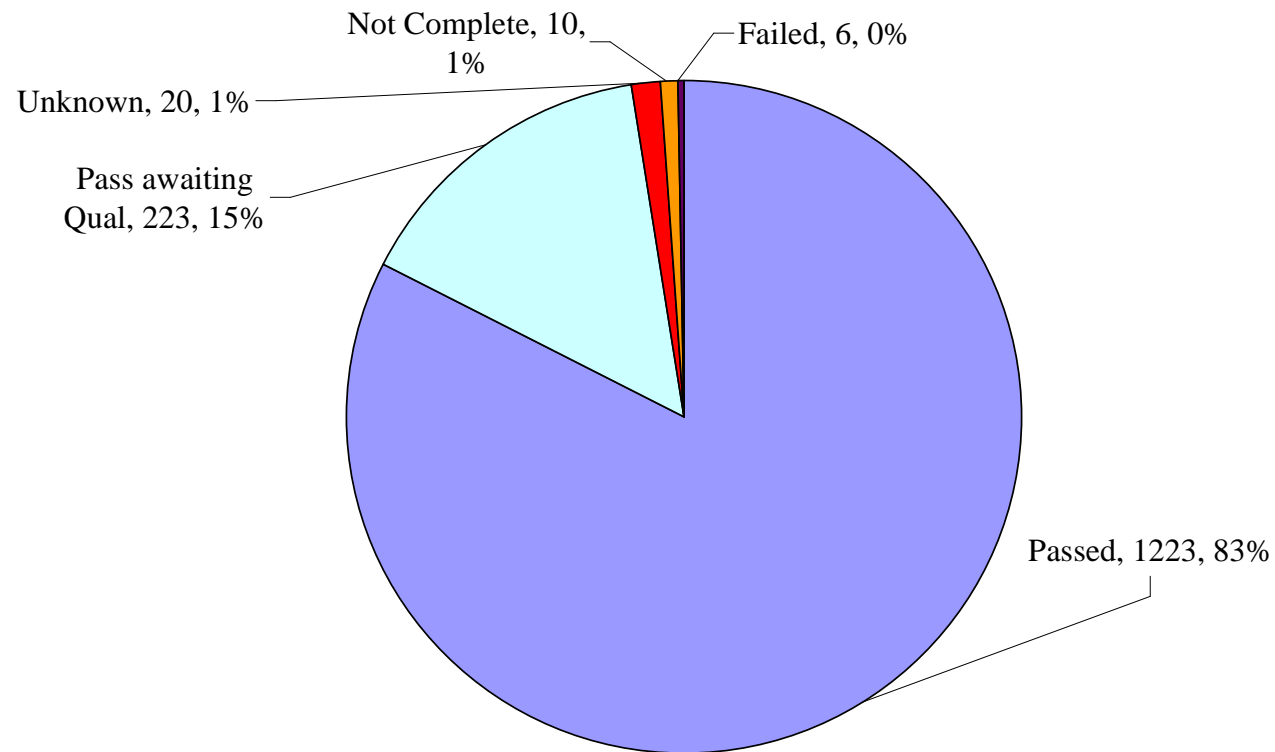
- For approximately 2150 beneficiaries, their risk of harm was unknown.
- Where risk was known, the majority of beneficiaries were of low risk.

Soft Outcomes Gained

Soft outcome	No. of beneficiaries	Soft outcome	No. of beneficiaries
IAG Assistance	951	Temporary Accommodation	112
Advice On Disclosure	556	Progress To Work Programme	97
CV Assisted	531	Work Experience On Release	76
Fresh Start Interview	527	Progress To Work Interview	69
Non-NVQs Gained While In Prison	460	Accessed Beneficiary Fund	60
Work Experience In Custody	434	Homeless Interview Secured	55
Fresh Start Program	324	Other Motivational Programme	48
Rent Arrears Addressed	279	Debt Management	44
FE College Interview	255	New Deal Interview	31
Attended ECDL	253	New Deal Program	27
NVQs Gained While In Prison	243	FOR Motivational Programme	26
Job Club	239	Other Program	21
Job Interview	239	CV Written on Own	20
		TOTAL	5977

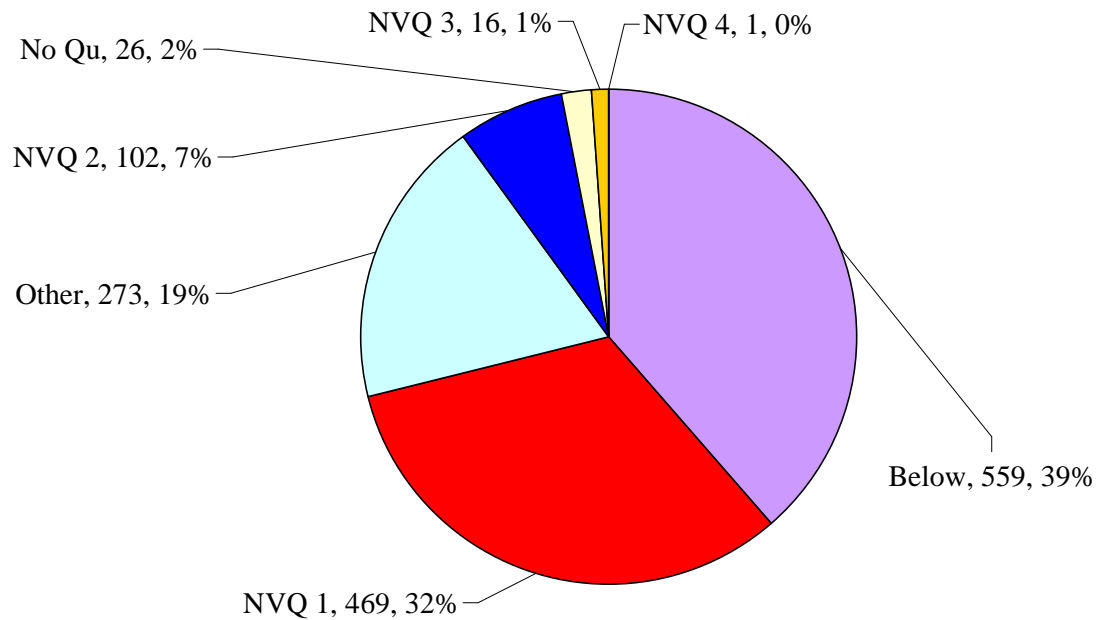
- 5977 Soft outcomes were gained by beneficiaries on 041009ES.
- 951 beneficiaries gained IAG assistance.
- 703 beneficiaries received a formal qualification.
- 551 beneficiaries either independently wrote a CV or gained assistance in writing a CV.
- Beneficiaries on 041009ES attended 1176 interviews – Further Education, Fresh Start, Homeless, Job, New Deal and Progress to Work interviews.

Exam Results



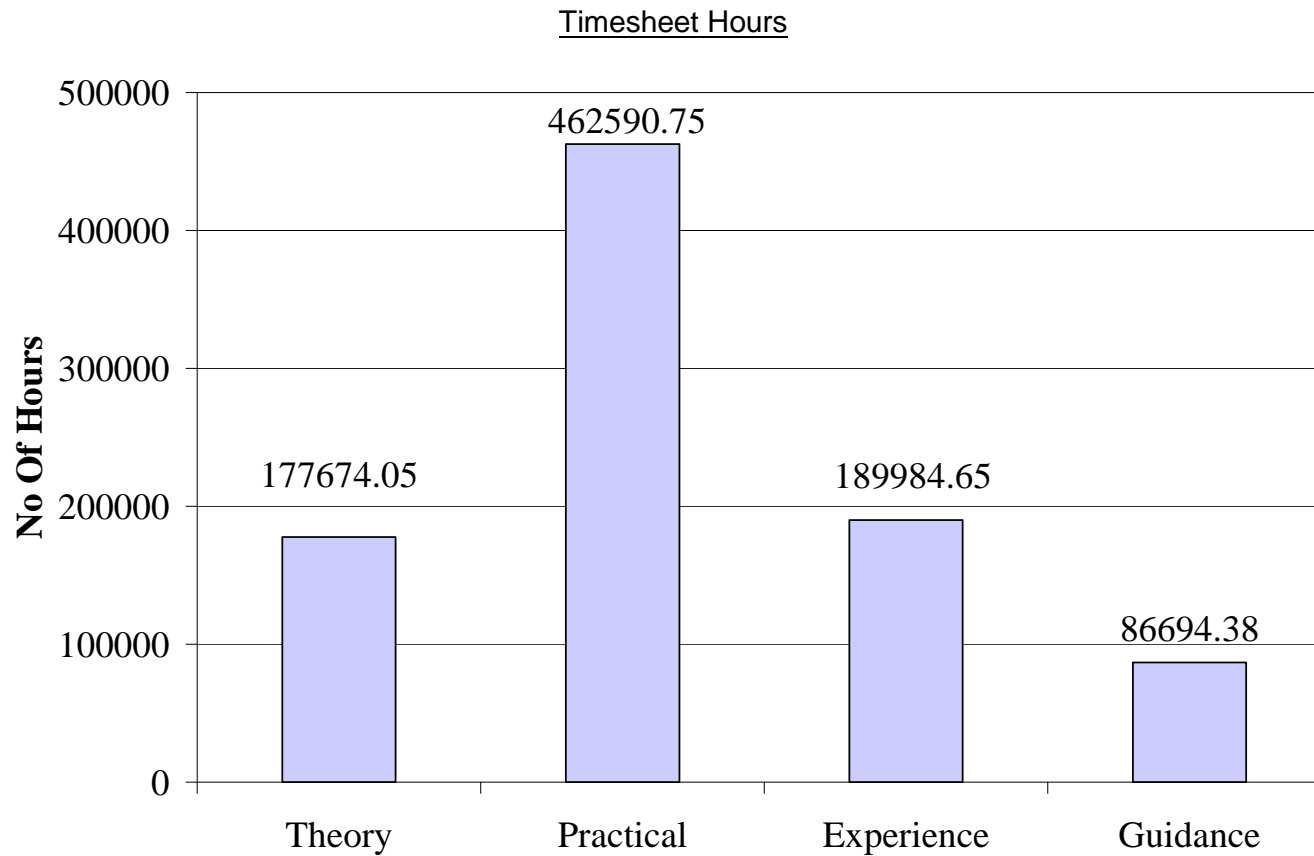
- 98% (1446) of the exams taken by beneficiaries on dossier 041006ES have been passed.
- Where known, only 6 exams were failed.

NVQ Equivalence for Passed Subjects



Subject passed	No. of beneficiaries
IT (ECDL/CLAIT etc)	457
Other	235
Literacy/English	164
Numeracy/Mathematics	162
Food Hygiene/Safety	145
Preparation for work	63
Administration	62
Hairdressing	42
Social & Life Skills	39
Art	30
Customer Care	25
Sport/Gym/Fitness	22
TOTAL	1446

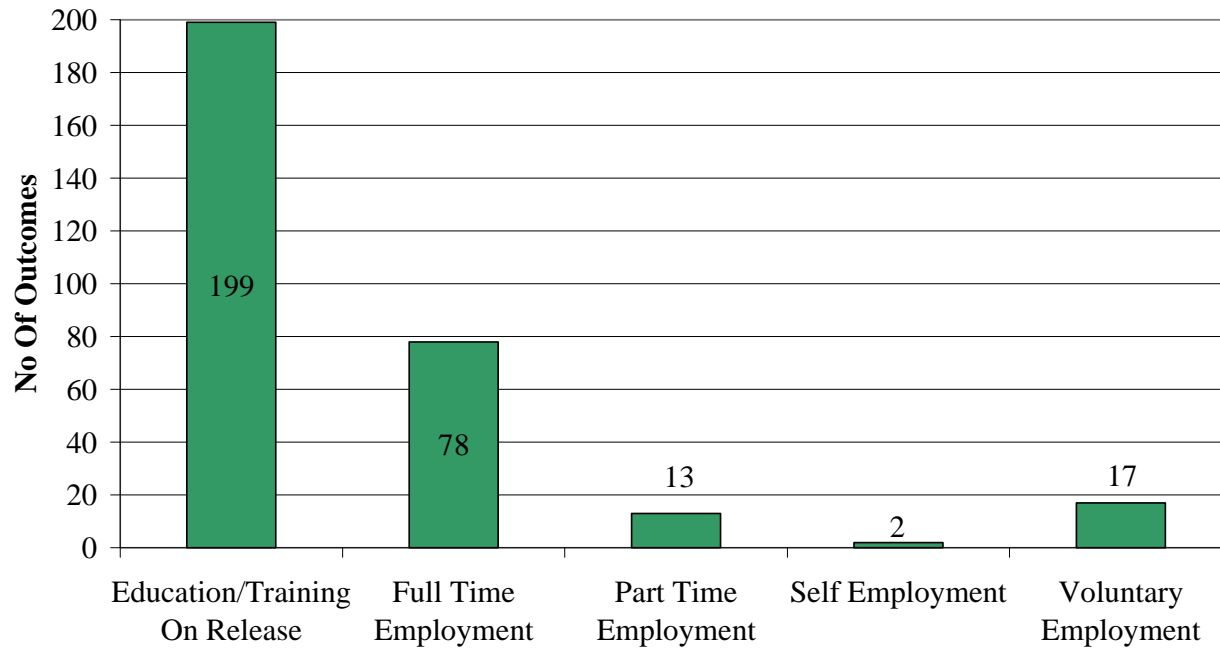
- 588 NVQ levels 1, 2, 3 or 4 have been gained by beneficiaries on dossier 041009ES.
- 326 adult literacy and numeracy courses have been passed by beneficiaries on dossier 041009ES.
- 457 beneficiaries passed a course in computing.



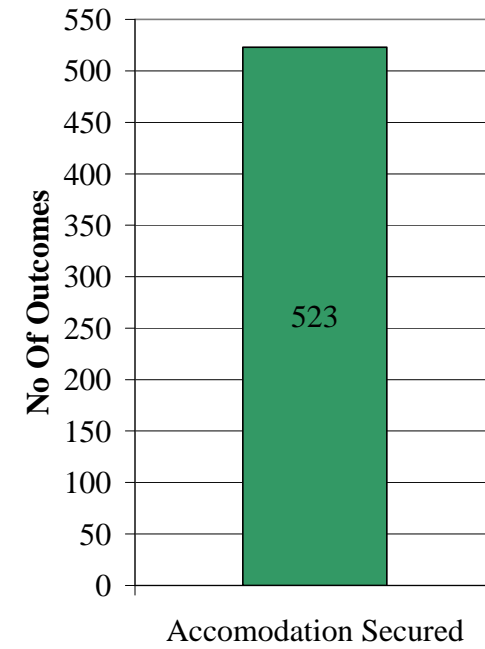
- 917,000 hours were collected from PS Plus beneficiaries on 041009ES.
- 463,000 (50%) hours were collected for practical activities.

Hard Outcomes

ETE Evidenced



Outcome Evidenced



- 309 hard education, training or employment (ETE) outcomes were evidenced for beneficiaries on dossier 041009ES.
- 523 hard accommodation outcomes were evidenced for beneficiaries on dossier 041009ES.