

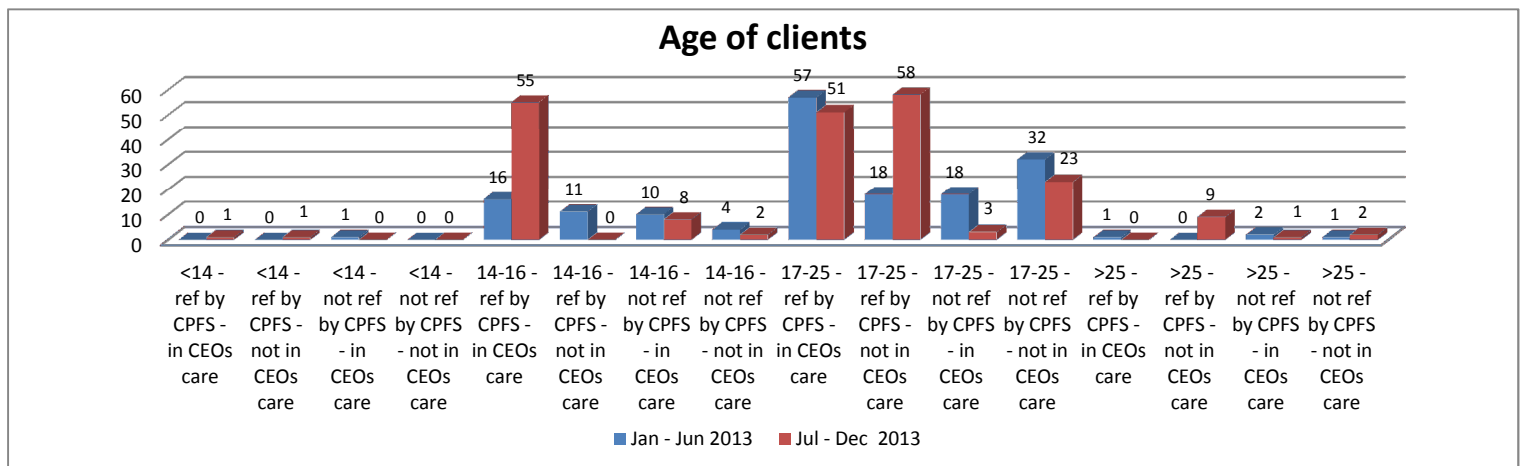
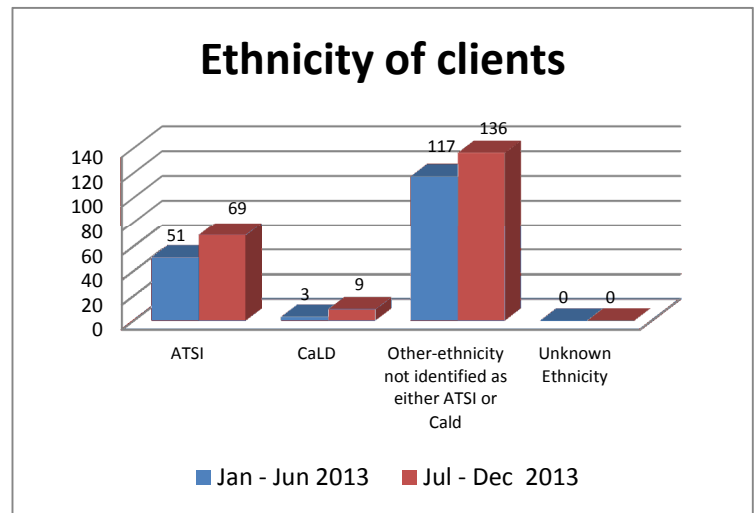
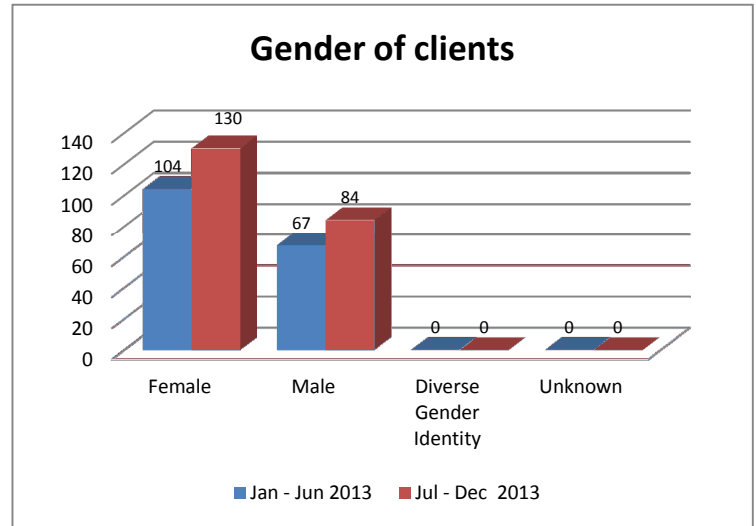
# NON GOVERNMENT POLICY AND FUNDING SUMMARY OF SERVICES REPORT

## LEAVING CARE SERVICES – JULY TO DECEMBER 2013

**Leaving Care Services** provide advocacy, support and assistance to young people who are preparing to leave or have left the care of the CEO. The Transitional Support Services – Moving to Independence service also provides support to young people preparing to leave or have left periods of supported accommodation, to assist with transitioning to independent living and prevent future homelessness. These services are located in the Peel District (1), Southwest District (1), as well as Metrowide (1) and Statewide (1) Services.

REPORTING PERIOD	Jan – Jun 2013	Jul – Dec 2013
<b>Number of funded services<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>
Number of services with unavailable data	0	0
Total Financial Year Funding	<sup>2012/13</sup> \$1,334,978	<sup>2013/14</sup> \$2,288,327
Number of one-off contacts	49	57
Number of CPFS referrals	129	165
Total number of cases <sup>c</sup> worked on	175	382
Number of clients <sup>d</sup>	171	214

Services Provided	Number	
	Jan – Jun 2013	Jul – Dec 2013
Provision Information	1,233 (22.1%)	1,158 (24.1%)
Informal counseling/Therapy/Mediation	1117 (20.0%)	809 (16.9%)
Individual Advocacy	886 (15.9%)	769 (16.0%)
Personal Development & Support	821 (14.7%)	692 (14.4%)
Training & Employment Advice	713 (12.8%)	651 (13.6%)
Training Independent Living Skills	508 (9.1%)	425 (8.9%)
Recreation Leisure Activities	135 (2.4%)	136 (2.8%)
Referral to income support/financial assist	40 (0.7%)	46 (1.0%)
Referral to Health Service	45 (0.8%)	42 (0.9%)
Referral to Other Services	16 (0.3%)	21 (0.4%)
Other Services Provided	20 (0.4%)	2 (0.0%)
Ref. Crisis Accommodation	20 (0.4%)	28 (0.6%)
Ref. Legal Advice	17 (0.3%)	14 (0.3%)
Vocational/on the job Training	14 (0.3%)	6 (0.1%)
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,585 (100.0%)</b>	<b>4,799 (100.0%)</b>



<sup>a</sup> One Service is NAHA funded.  
<sup>b</sup> A one-off contact refers to casual or one-off assistance provided to a client. Data for this item is collected during a 2 week sample period.  
<sup>c</sup> A case refers to ongoing assistance provided to a client. The support/assistance from a service provider generally entails one hour or more of worker's time.  
<sup>d</sup> Clients refers to young people aged 14 to 17 years in the care of the CEO who are preparing to leave care and young people aged 18 to 25 who have been in the care of the CEO  
 Sources: Progress Reports & Contract Information Management System (CIMS), Jul – Dec 2013 (May 2014)