

# Ipswich and East Suffolk Alliance



## Case Study:

# GRAB BAGS

A significant number of people treated in our acute hospital emergency departments are hard to reach, vulnerable, do not attend education or are in gangs.

The aim of the grab bag initiative was to deliver information about local services to these marginalised individuals.

The aim of the project is to target the victims of child sexual exploitation, 'County Lines' gang activity and children and young people who are missing from home.

Through working in partnership with Suffolk's young people we received a lot of feedback via 250 survey responses and 98 face-to-face discussions. The grab bag initiative was welcomed as a good idea by 93% of those spoken to, and they helped us understand how we could make the project meaningful and sustainable.

The aim of the grab bags is to inform and educate young people on the services available to them regarding a range of issues.

