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The scheme will target a small group of chaotic heroin-dependent offenders for whom all traditional treatments have failed.

Read more:

https://www.cleveland.pcc.police.uk/Newsand-Events/News-Archive/2018/Agencies-joinforces-to-tackle-drug-addiction-in-Middlesbrough.aspx pic.twitter.com/hdB5F4X3iT

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Looking forward to seeing how this progresses. Comprehensive strategic direction to tackle the most chaotic drug addicts might just work. Good luck @Cleveland_PCC



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Trying to tackle drug dependency #innovativethinking #Drugs



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@Cleveland_PCC Barry Coppinger, said "It's clear that for a small group of addicts the current strategies are not working and if we don't try something new the cycle of offending and the enormous costs to society will simply continue...



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Barry and I are very much from different political worlds and don't agree often but I applaud what he's trying to do with this and sincerely hope it is a great success. Good luck @Cleveland PCC



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'If we don't try something new the cycle of offending & enormous costs to society will simply continue & in all likelihood increase'

Multi-agency pilot to be launched by @Cleveland_PCC to help hard-core addicts & reduce pressure on NHS and police

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Hope Humphreys

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Yes, more health issue than criminal one, for sure. What about mental health of those criminalised/imprisoned for breaking unscientific, arbitrary, inhumane laws? Those who cannot get jobs, whose bright futures are tarnished forever, who live with the stigma of such cruel persecution?!

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Neil Wood from @UKLEAP giving his unique insight from his days as an undercover police officer to raise important questions about the effectiveness of drug enforcement: "this is a health issue." #ycriyd

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Thank you for taking steps to address #drugaddiction in Middlesbrough @Cleveland_PCC! We fully support you!



"For a fraction of the cost of their offending we can give these people hope... protect the public and local economy and free up vital NHS and police resources"

We commend @Cleveland PCC in his stance supporting an evidenced, health focused response to problematic drug users.





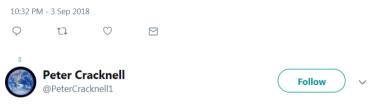


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@snoozlessnow Replying to @Cleveland_PCC

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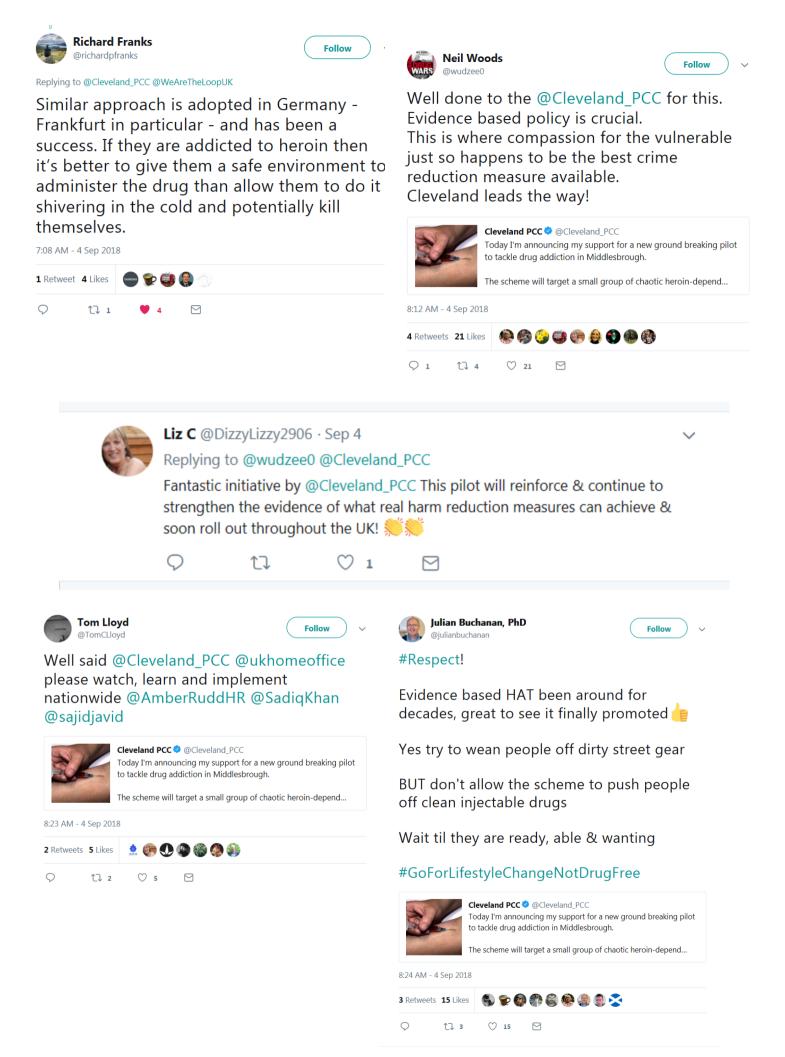
Great idea 🙎 as long as it's delivered in a highly effective way. A community based rehab and addicts have to follow strict conditions to have access to the heroin. If it's done properly it should work. For the Diehards they will probably just die! #WillSaveMoney



Replying to @Cleveland_PCC

Thank you for have the courage to address the #drugs issue in an intellegent way.











Following

A very good drugs initiatve from @Cleveland_PCC Barry Coppinger which shoud make savings and help tackle the most series of issues:



Replying to @Cleveland_PCC @tomleruez

Support from our local Police and Crime Commissioner is positive news for the Cleveland community



