

## Addiction Services

# Sheffield Non-Opiates Service

## Who are we and what do we do?

The Non-Opiates Service is a team of workers trained to offer assessment, support and interventions to people using any non-opiate drug. We offer services from our base on Sidney St in Sheffield City Centre and outreach into other services and communities around the city.

## What is a Non-Opiate?

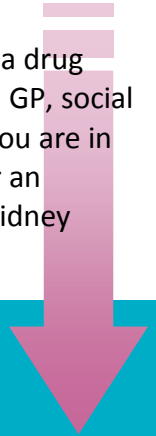
Non-Opiates is a term used to describe all drugs other than opiate based drugs like heroin or codeine. So, things like: cannabis, amphetamines, steroids, cocaine and crack cocaine, new psychoactive substances (or 'legal highs'). Some non-opiate drugs are illegal, others are legal—but if your use is affecting your life or the life of those around you it is problematic and may be time to ask for help...

## Need some support?

If you think we could help you, or someone you know, with a drug problem you can **ask a professional for a referral**. This could be a GP, social worker, pharmacist, probation worker or any other professional you are in contact with. You can also **refer yourself by calling** and asking for an appointment that suits you, or you can **drop in** to the service on Sidney Street, and someone will assess your needs there and then.

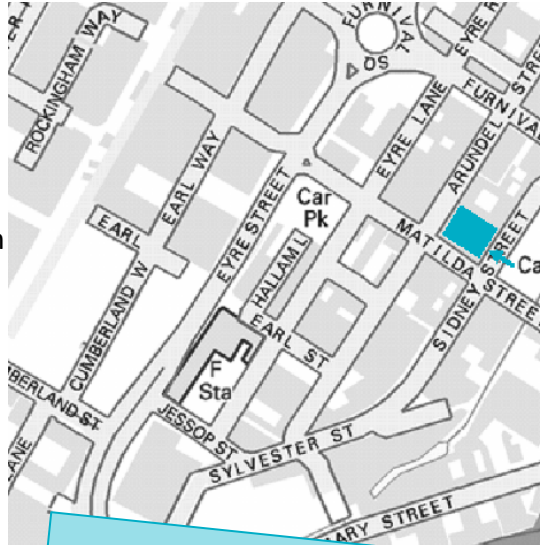
## Open Access & Assessment

Anyone who is referred to the service or drops in to Sidney St will have an initial and comprehensive assessment of their need—taking into account their whole health and social support needs—not just their drug misuse.



The Non-Opiates Service provides a range of support and interventions from Sidney St and from other locations across the city. Call us to find out where you can access services nearer you.

- ⇒ Assessment of need, including current drug/alcohol use, drug history, physical and mental health, social situation and risk assessment
- ⇒ Harm reduction advice, education and information including access to specialist nurses
- ⇒ Care planning for recovery
- ⇒ Brief interventions to support making changes to drug use
- ⇒ 6 to 12 week packages of psychosocial interventions or 'talking therapies'
- ⇒ Access to a range of learning programmes for service users and family members
- ⇒ Facilitated access to mutual aid and other recovery activities and opportunities
- ⇒ Needle Exchange facilities at Sidney St and from mobile services



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