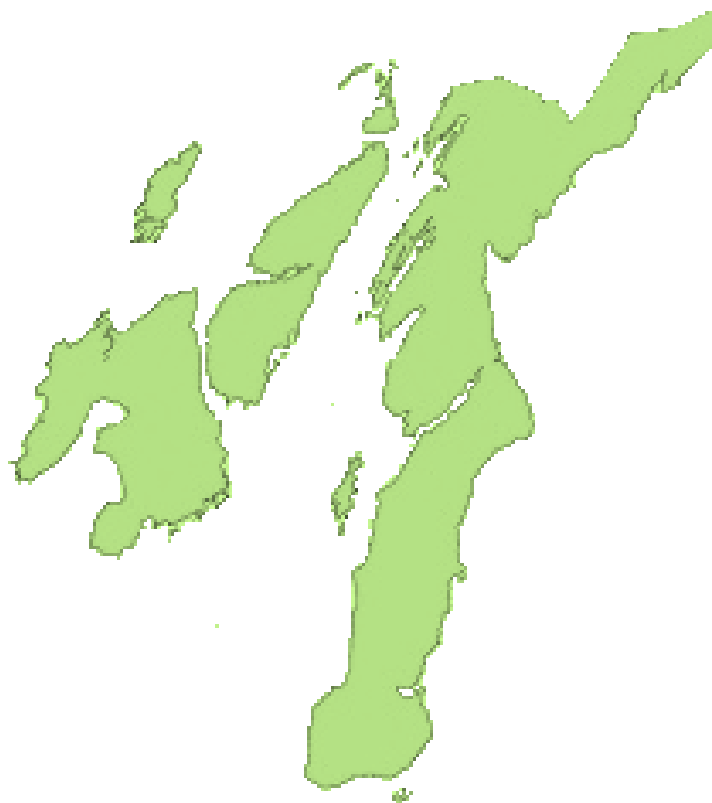




Argyll & Bute Alcohol and Drug Partnership

Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay Locality

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In 2018 Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay had an estimated population of 20,053; this is a drop in population of 463 since 2014. The following charts show the age and gender percentages. The population is 51.0% female and 57.4% of the population is 45 or older, for comparison the 2018 population of Scotland is 51.3% female and 46.5% of the population is 45 or older..

Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay Age Chart 2018

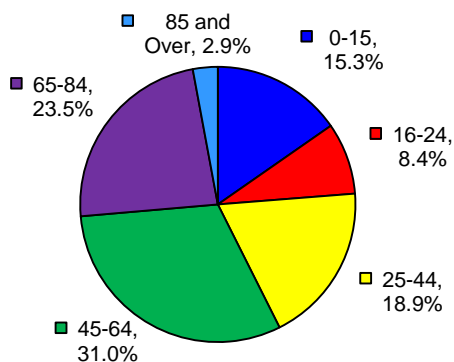


Chart 2: ACaDMe Database and National Records of Scotland

Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay Gender Chart 2018

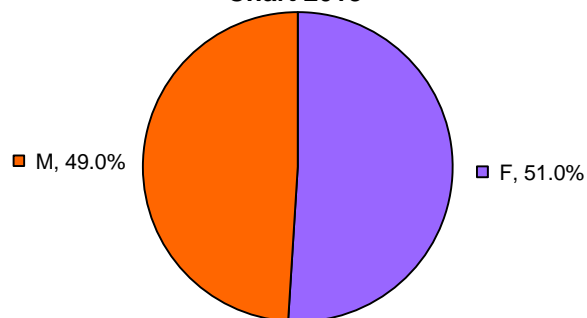


Chart 1 ACaDMe Database and National Records of Scotland

All death and hospital admission figures represent the rate per 100,000 of population, numbers are shown in brackets. As numbers of alcohol and drug related deaths are low a small increase will show as a large rate change. Although the hospital charts show admissions the figures are based on discharge diagnosis as people are often admitted without the diagnosis being known. The rate for the admissions charts are calculated using the number of stays so there may be multiple admissions for the same patient.

In 2018, there were 29.9 (6) alcohol related deaths, a decrease of 25.1 compared with 2017. Chart 3 shows the rate for each year from 2014 to 2018, the Argyll & Bute rate of alcohol related deaths is included as a comparison, and this demonstrates that the death rate in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay has been higher than Argyll & Bute since 2016. The rate is consistently higher than Scotland.

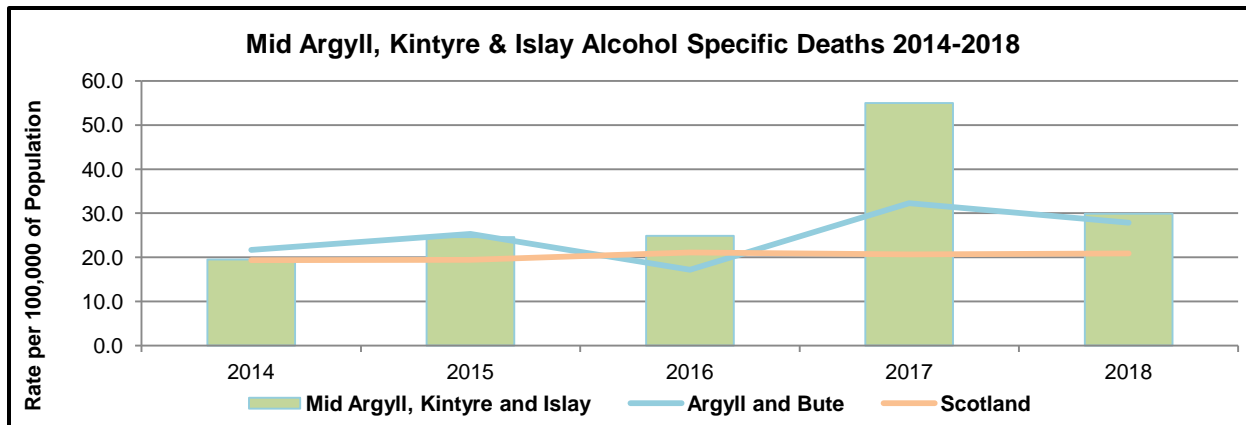


Chart 3: ACaDMe Database and National Records of Scotland

Chart 4 shows the Acute (SMR01) alcohol related hospital admissions for Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay. In 2018, there were 643.3 (129) alcohol related hospital admissions, an increase of 53.2 (11) compared with 2017. The Argyll & Bute rate of alcohol related admissions is included as a comparison, this show that the admission rate in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay is usually lower than the rate for Argyll & Bute, the exception being 2016. The rate is lower than the Scottish rate except for in 2015 and 2016.

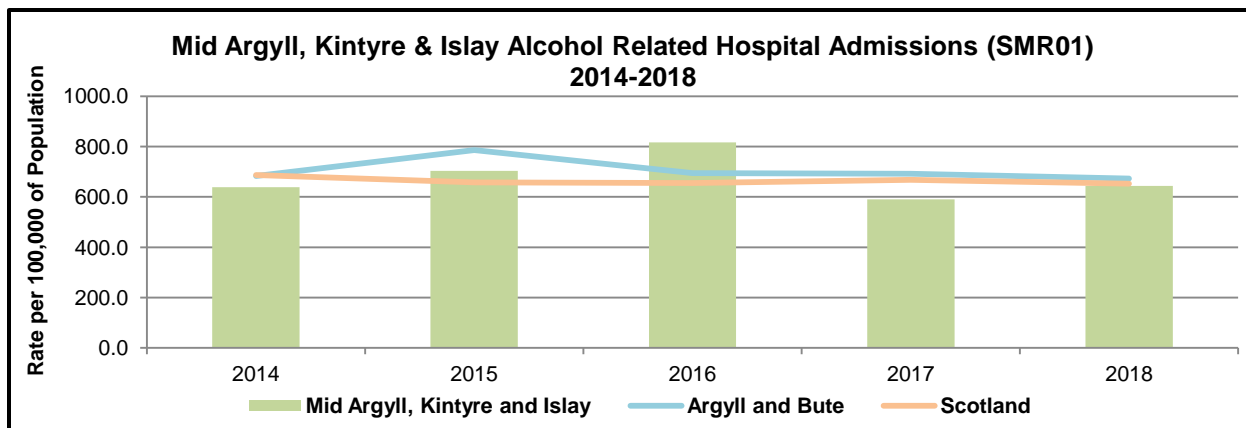


Chart 4 - ACaDMe Database and National Records of Scotland

Chart 5 shows the Mental Health (SMR04) alcohol related hospital admissions for Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay. In 2018, there was a rate of 34.9 (<10) alcohol related hospital admissions in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay, a decrease of 0.1 compared with 2017. The Argyll & Bute rate of alcohol related admissions is included as a comparison, this show that the since 2014, when it was lower, the rate of admission in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay has been higher than Argyll & Bute. The rate in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay has been lower than the rate for Scotland each year except for 2016.

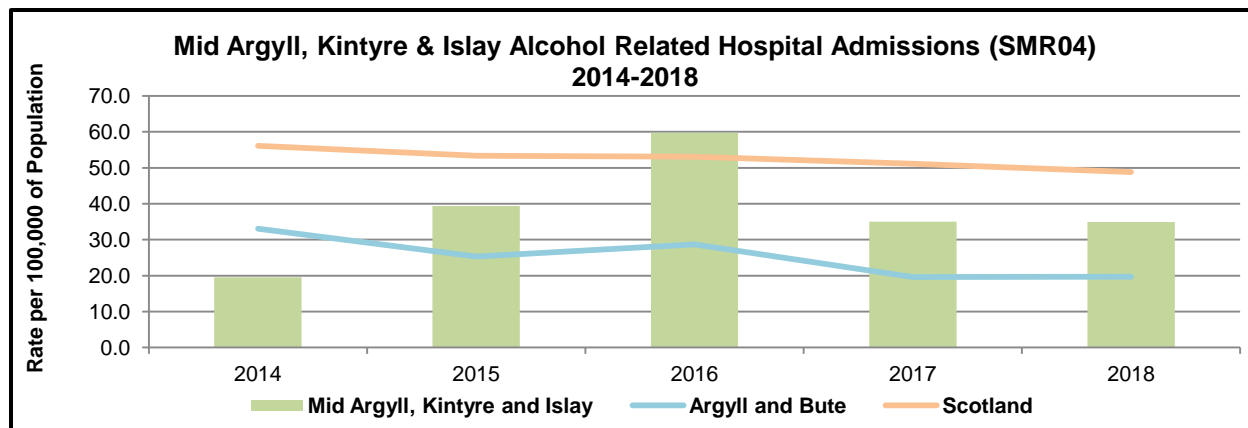


Chart 5 - ACaDMe Database and National Records of Scotland

The following table shows information on licensed premises in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay by Datazone. The table was produced by The Centre for Research on Environment Society and Health (CRESH) in 2015 as part of a larger study on over provisioning in Scotland. It should be noted that although some licensed premises combine on and off sales the CRESH data doesn't show this. The shaded rows in the table are the areas where the total number of licensed premises is higher than the Scottish average for a Datazone.

Datazone and Name	Locality	Availability within 800 m of population centre		
		Total	Off-Sales	On-Sales
S01000723 Whisky Isles	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	0	0	0
S01000720 Kintyre Trail	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	0	0	0
S01000803 Mid Argyll	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	0	0	0
S01000802 Mid Argyll	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	0	0	0
S01000714 Kintyre Trail	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	0	0	0
S01000725 Kintyre Trail	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	0	0	0

S01000763 Mid Argyll	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	0	0	0
S01000721 Kintyre Trail	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	1	1	0
S01000801 Mid Argyll	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	1	0	1
S01000791 Greater Lochgilphead	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	2	0	2
S01000711 Kintyre Trail	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	2	0	2
S01000755 Whisky Isles	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	2	1	1
S01000726 Whisky Isles	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	3	1	2
S01000789 Greater Lochgilphead	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	4	2	2
S01000722 Whisky Isles	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	5	2	3
S01000724 Whisky Isles	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	6	2	4
S01000793 Greater Lochgilphead	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	9	2	7
S01000718 Campbeltown	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	9	4	5
S01000807 Loch Awe	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	9	3	6
S01000795 Greater Lochgilphead	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	9	2	7
S01000794 Greater Lochgilphead	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	9	2	7
S01000739 Kintyre Trail	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	13	3	10
S01000738 Kintyre Trail	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	13	3	10
S01000712 Campbeltown	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	20	4	16
S01000713 Campbeltown	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	20	4	16
S01000717 Campbeltown	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	22	7	15
S01000715 Campbeltown	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	24	6	18
S01000716 Campbeltown	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	25	7	18
S01000719 Kintyre Trail	Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay	25	7	18

Table 1 - Highlighted rows are higher than the Scottish average

Richardson EA, Hill SE, Mitchell R, Pearce J and Shortt NK (2015) Is local alcohol outlet density related to alcohol-related morbidity and mortality in Scottish cities? *Health and Place* 33: 172-180

Chart 6 shows that 1 Alcohol Brief Intervention was carried out in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay between January and December of 2018.

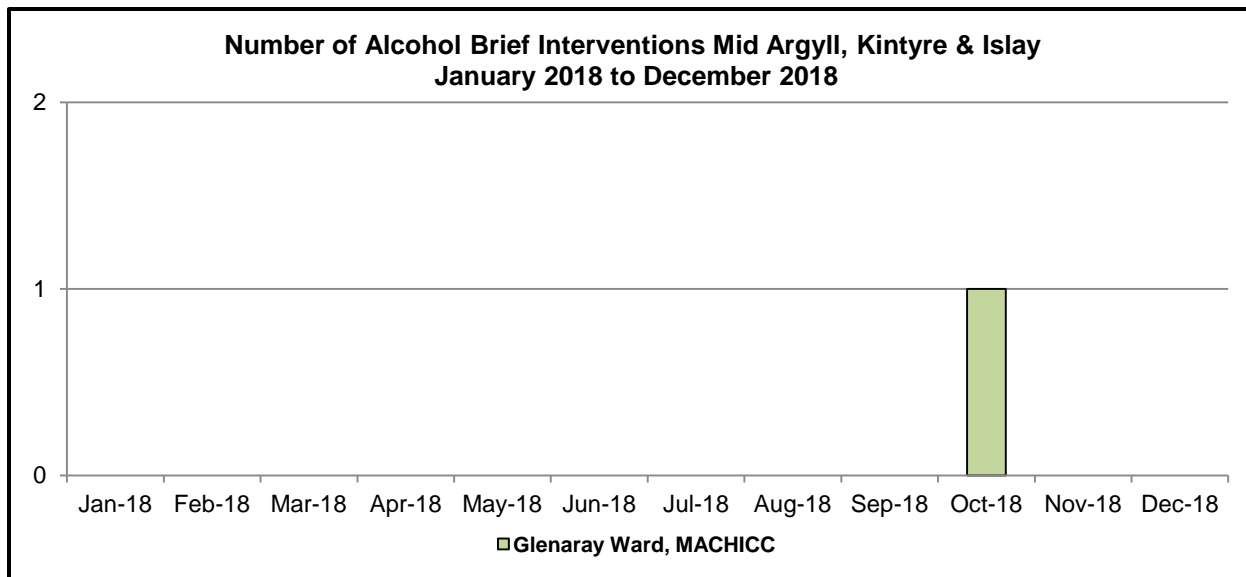


Chart 6 – Figures supplied by Joyce Ackroyd, Health Improvement Administrator

Chart 7 shows the drug related deaths for Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay. In 2018, there was a rate of 15.0 (<5) drug related deaths in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay, an increase of 5.0 compared with 2017. The Argyll & Bute rate of drug related deaths is included as a comparison, this show that the death rate in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay is usually higher than the Argyll & Bute rate, though this was not the case in 2014 and 2016. The rate is usually lower than the Scottish rate, though this was not the case in 2015.

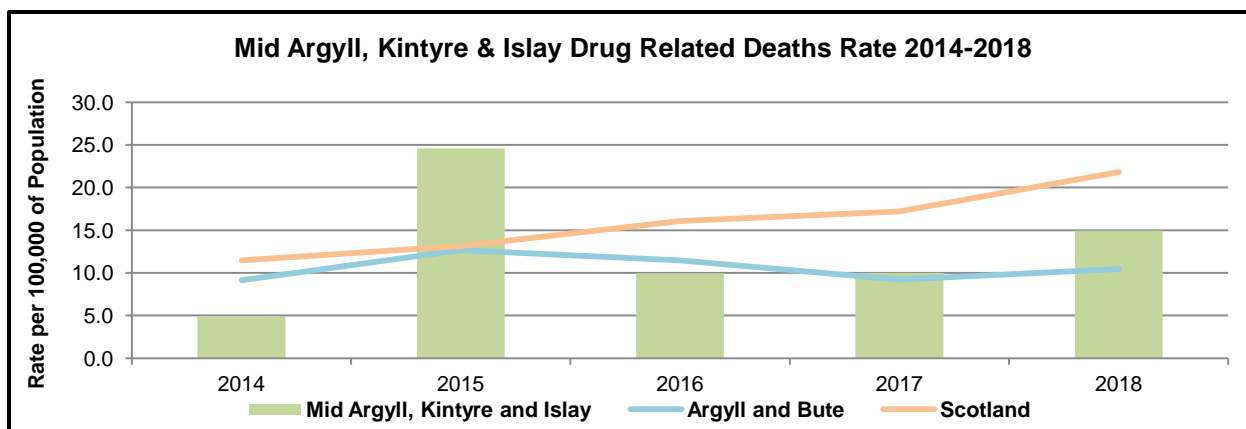


Chart 7: - ACaDMe Database and National Records of Scotland

Chart 8 shows the Acute (SMR01) drug related hospital admissions for Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay. In 2018, there were 15.0 (<10) drug related hospital admissions in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay, a decrease of 10.0 compared with 2017. The Argyll & Bute rate of drug related admissions is included as a comparison, the rate in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay is consistently lower than the rate for Argyll & Bute and Scotland.

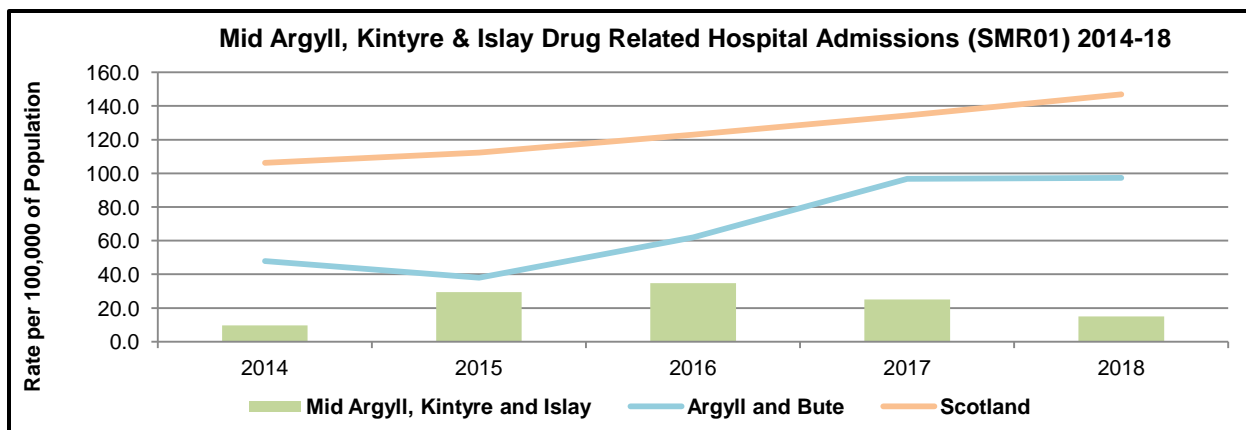


Chart 8 - ACaDMe Database and National Records of Scotland

Chart 9 shows the Mental Health (SMR04) drug related hospital admissions for Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay. In 2018, there were 24.9 (<10) drug related hospital admissions in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay, an increase of 14.9 compared with 2017. The Argyll & Bute rate of drug related admissions is included as a comparison, this show that the admission rate in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay is sometimes higher and sometimes lower than Argyll & Bute and is consistently lower than Scotland.

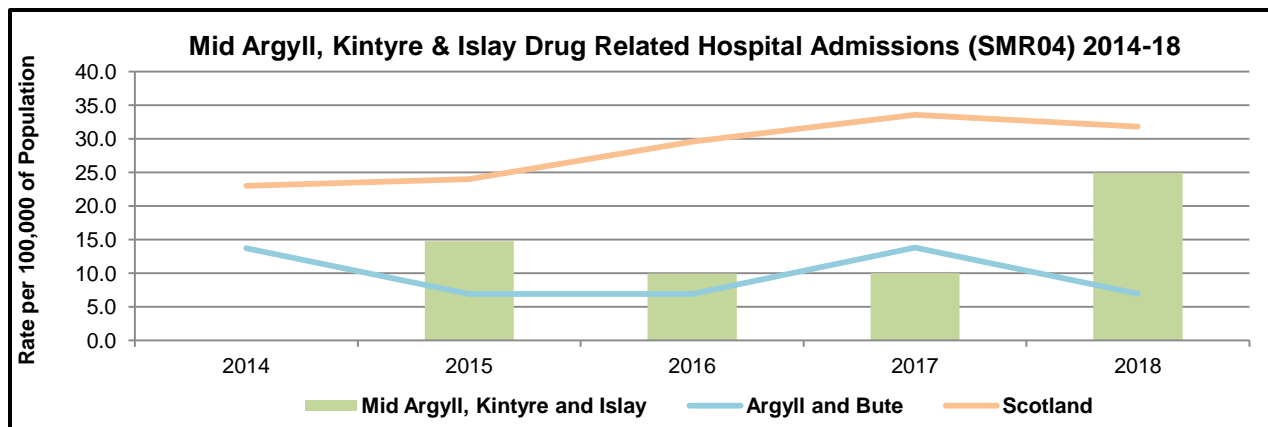


Chart 9 - ACaDMe Database and National Records of Scotland

Chart 10 shows the number of people who have been referred to ABAT or Addaction in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay in 2018 based on whether they have started treatment, are awaiting treatment or never accessed treatment. Of those referred in Mid Argyll, Kintyre & Islay 73% start treatment and 17% didn't follow through with the referral and enter treatment.

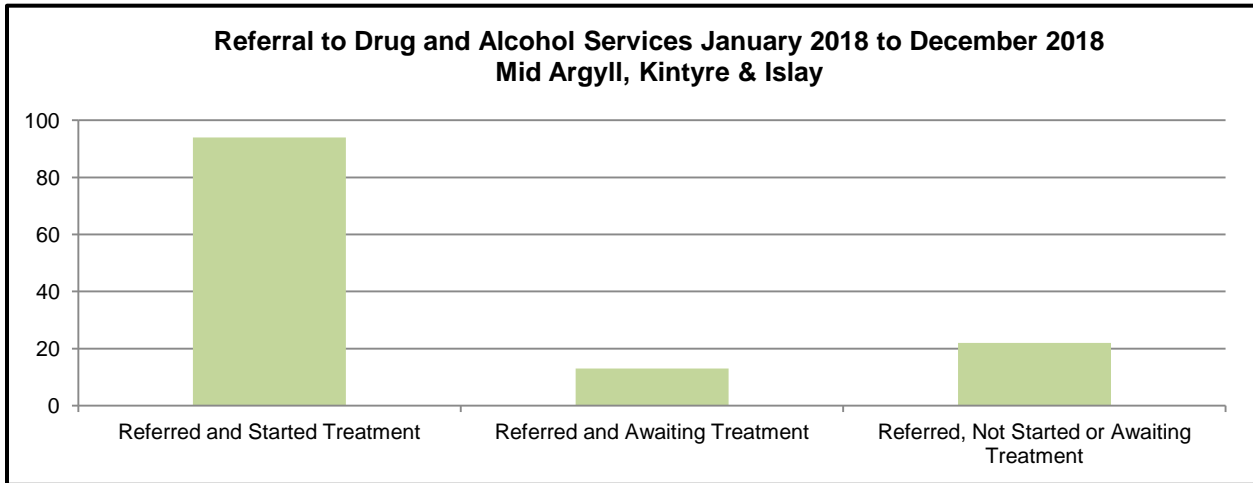


Chart 10 – Drug and Alcohol Treatment Waiting Times Database