



Introductions

Youth Endowment Fund

We are members of the Youth Advisory Board for the Youth Endowment Fund



The Youth Endowment Fund finds what works to prevent violence and spreads the word

We want less of this



Rahway Prison

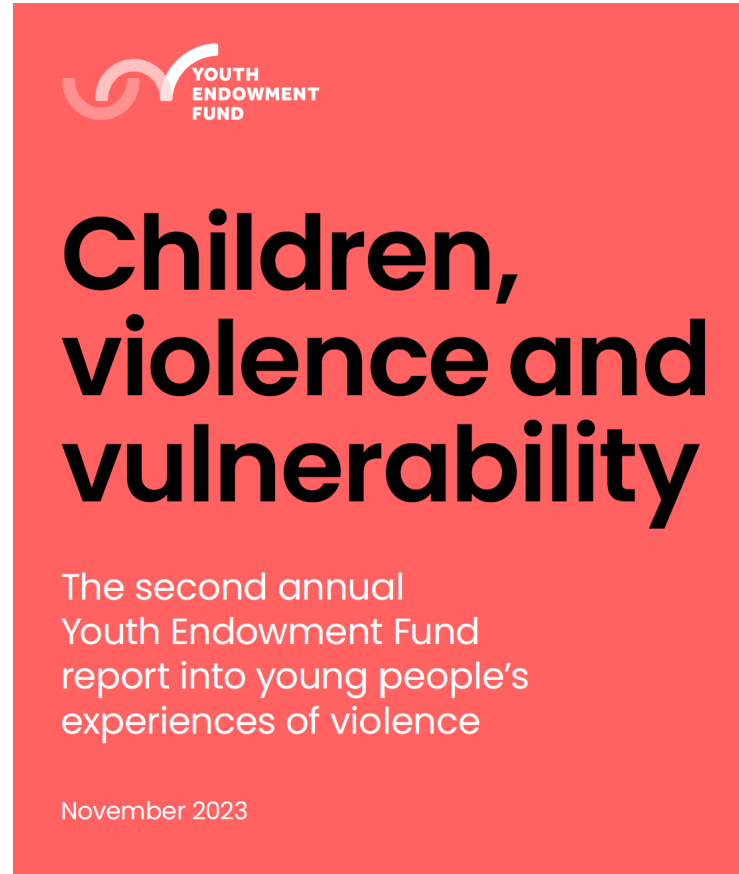
We want more of what works ...

Focused Deterrence

Hotspots

Effective Diversion

One thing we do is advise the Youth Endowment Fund on their annual survey of 10,000 young people



Some key insights ...



Violence casts a long shadow over children's lives

There are 1.7 million teenage children in England and Wales. Each year, roughly:

50 are murdered by a knife
(1 in 34,000)

500 are admitted to hospital
after knife violence
(1 in 3400)

68,000 carry a knife
(1 in 25)

85,000 are in a 'gang'
(1 in 20)

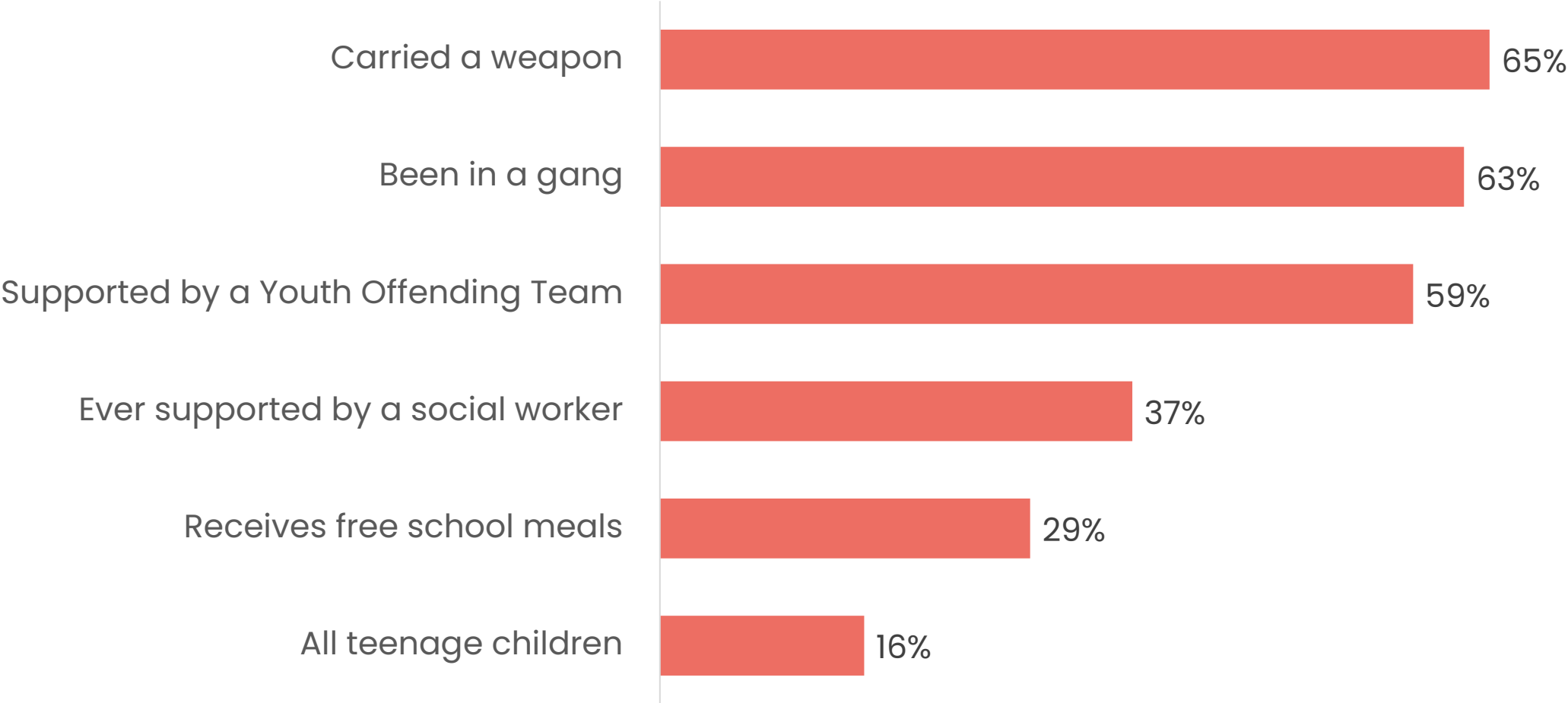
285k were victim of some violence
(1 in 6)

850k are either a witness or victim
(1 in 2)

1 in 2 teenage
children
changed their
behaviour last
year

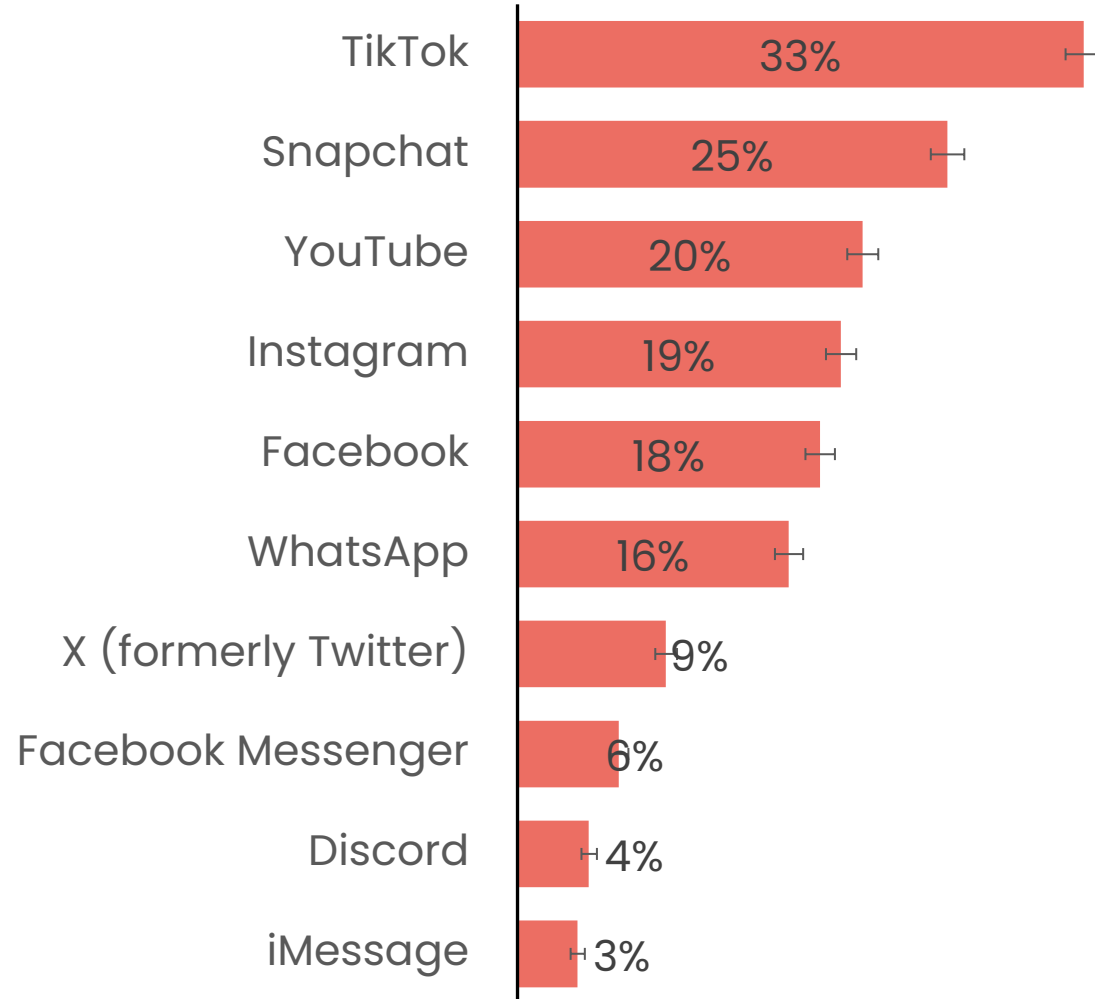
Violence is not evenly distributed

Likelihood of a being a victim of violence for teenage children



Social media is a big concern with 6 in 10 seeing real - life violence online

Share of all teenage children seeing violence on each platform



Half of all children who had been a victim or perpetrator of violence **would turn off social media** for everyone if they could.

Half of teenage children believe that the police “keep me safe from violence”. This varies by ethnicity.

