

Summary of assessment

Patient's name Simon Cordell

Date of assessment 16/8/16

1 Referral details and any other precipitating factors

Simon arrested on 15/8 on suspicion of threatening to kill his neighbour and, reportedly, children. He was seen by FME at Wood Green PS who requested MHA mtr. He was arrested by two police & AMHP on 15/8 - two med. recs. completed but AMHP unable to complete application as no bed available, at the time.

2 Relevant social and medical history

Some years back an internal admission to psych. hosp. More recently involvement with EIS but seems not to have been successful in gaining client's engagement.

MHA mtr in Jan 16 & Feb 16 - no admission. Lives alone with dog. Supported by mother. Has other family also living locally.

3 Record of interview with patient (include where it was conducted who was present and use of police if required during process)

Client seen in interview room at Wood Green PS. Police Officer stood outside the door. He was polite & cooperative throughout. He spoke quickly about a wide range of subjects and topics - mainly focusing on his plans & activities, as well as past achievements eg in organising raves/gatherings. Some of what he said seemed quite unrealistic at times but I was able to say this to him & although he seemed

4 Assessment of risk to patient and/or to others

Although Simon denies incident, police have arrested him for threatening to kill neighbour on 15/8.

disappointed was not angry or aggressive. He spoke in what I felt was a persecutory way about how he feels harassed & "set up" by police. He denied making any threat against neighbour. Other things he said indicate he has negative feelings towards neighbour & would try to wind him up by playing loud music.