

# **Scottish Public Services Ombudsman Complaints Performance Indicators (version 1.0.0.23)**

The data in this report relates to all Fife College campuses for academic year 2018/19, from 01 August 2018 to 31 October 2018.

### Appendix 1

	Complaints Handling Procedure Indicators	Aug-Oct		Year before	
1.0	Total number of complaints received and complaints received per 100 population				
1.1	Number of complaints Received	40		126	
1.2/1a	College Population and Number of Complaints received per 100 population	19000	0.2	19000	0.7
2.0	Number of complaints closed at each stage and as a % of all complaints closed				
2.1/2a	Number of complaints closed at Stage 1 and % of total closed	21	52.5%	61	48.4%
2.2/2b	Number of complaints closed at Stage 2 and % of total closed	19	47.5%	64	50.8%
2.3/2c	Number of complaints closed after Escalation and % of total closed	0	0.0%	1	0.8%
2.4	Open	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
3.0	Number of complaints upheld, partially upheld and not upheld at each stage and as a $\%$ of complaints closed at that stage				
3.0	Stage 1				
3.1/3a	Number and % of complaints upheld at Stage 1	17	81.0%	31	50.8%
3.3/3c	Number and % of complaints not upheld at Stage 1	4	19.0%	30	49.2%
3.0	Stage 2				
3.4/3d	Number and % of complaints upheld at Stage 2	9	47.4%	37	57.8%
3.6/3f	Number and % of complaints not upheld at Stage 2	10	52.6%	27	42.2%
3.0	Escalated				
3.7/3g	Number and % of complaints upheld after Escalation	0		0	0.0%
3.9/3i	Number and % of complaints not upheld after Escalation	0		1	100.0%
4.0	Total working days and average time in working days to close complaints at each stage				
4.1/4a	Total working days and average time in working days to close complaints at Stage 1	100	4.8	304	5.0
4.2	Total working days and average time in working days to close complaints at Stage 2	376	19.8	1520	23.8



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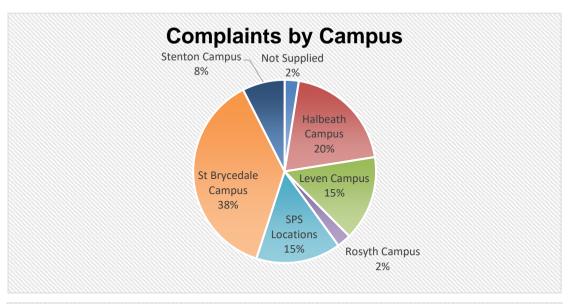
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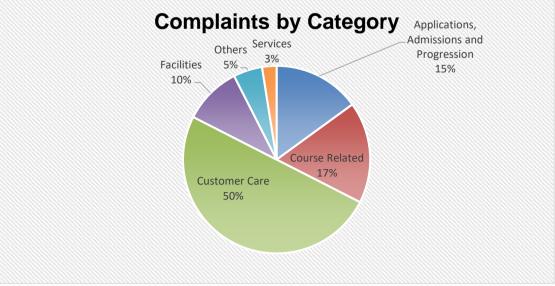
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4b	Total working days and average time in working days to close complaints after Escalation	0		5	5.0
5.0	Number and % of complaints closed within set timecales (S1=5 working days; S2=20 working days; Escalated = 20 working days)				
5.1/5a	Number and % of Stage 1 complaints closed within 5 working days	16	76.2%	43	70.5%
5.2/5b	Number and % of Stage 1 complaints not closed with 5 working days	5	23.8%	18	29.5%
5.3/5c	Number and % of Stage 2 complaints closed within 20 working days	9	47.4%	32	50.0%
5.4/5d	Number and % of Stage 2 complaints not closed within 20 working days	10	52.6%	32	50.0%
5.5/5e	Number and % of Escalated complaints closed within 20 working days	0		1	100.0%
5.6/5f	Number and % of Escalated complaints not closed within 20 working days	0		0	0.0%
6.0	Number and % of complaints closed at each stage where extensions have been authorised				
6.1/6a	Number and % of Stage 1 complaints closed within 10 working days (extension)	2	40.0%	13	72.2%
6.2/6b	Number and % of Stage 1 complaints not closed within 10 working days (extension)	3	60.0%	5	27.8%
6.3/6c	Number and % of Stage 2 complaints closed within 40 working days (extension)	9	90.0%	23	71.9%
6.4/6d	Number and % of Stage 2 complaints not closed within 40 working days (extension)	1	10.0%	9	28.1%
6.5/6e	Number and % of Escalated complaints closed within 40 working days (extension)	0		0	
6.6/6f	Number and % of Escalated complaints not closed within 40 working days (extension)	0		0	
7.0	Customer satisfaction on completed complaints				
	Customers satisfied with service, numbers and percentage	39	97.5%	126	100.0%
	Customers satisfied with outcome, numbers and percentage	40	100.0%	126	100.0%



### **Complaints by Department**

Administration, Enterprise and IT	1
Building Services (Gas and Plumbing)	1
Business, Management and Leadership	3
Catering Contract	1
Childcare	2
Culinary Arts and Hospitality	3
Education, ESOL and Languages	4
Estates	3
Hairdressing	1
ICT Services	1
Inclusion, Support and Guidance (Student	1
Experience and Engagement)	
Marketing	2
Mathematics	1
Mechanical Engineering	1
Sport and Fitness	3
SPS	6
Student Information Management	2
Supported Programmes	3
Tourism, Events and Retail	1







### Complaints Handling Procedure - Quarterly Report 1 Period 1st August 2018 - 31st October 2018

#### **Analysis of Complaints**

Complaints are an important source of feedback on the quality of our services and, as such, we welcome them and use them as a basis for improvement across the organisation.

The total number of complaints received for Quarter 1 in 2018/19 is **40**, which is up by 13 with the same time last academic year where 27 complaints were received. The majority related to issues within the Scottish Prison Service 15% (6) closely followed by Education, ESOL and Languages 10% (4). The remaining complaints were split across various curriculum and professional services.

The highest number of complaint were made by students from St.Brycedale Campus (15) followed by Halbeath Campus (8), Levenmouth Campus (6), SPS Locations (6), Stenton Campus (3), Rosyth Campus (1) and one was not supplied.