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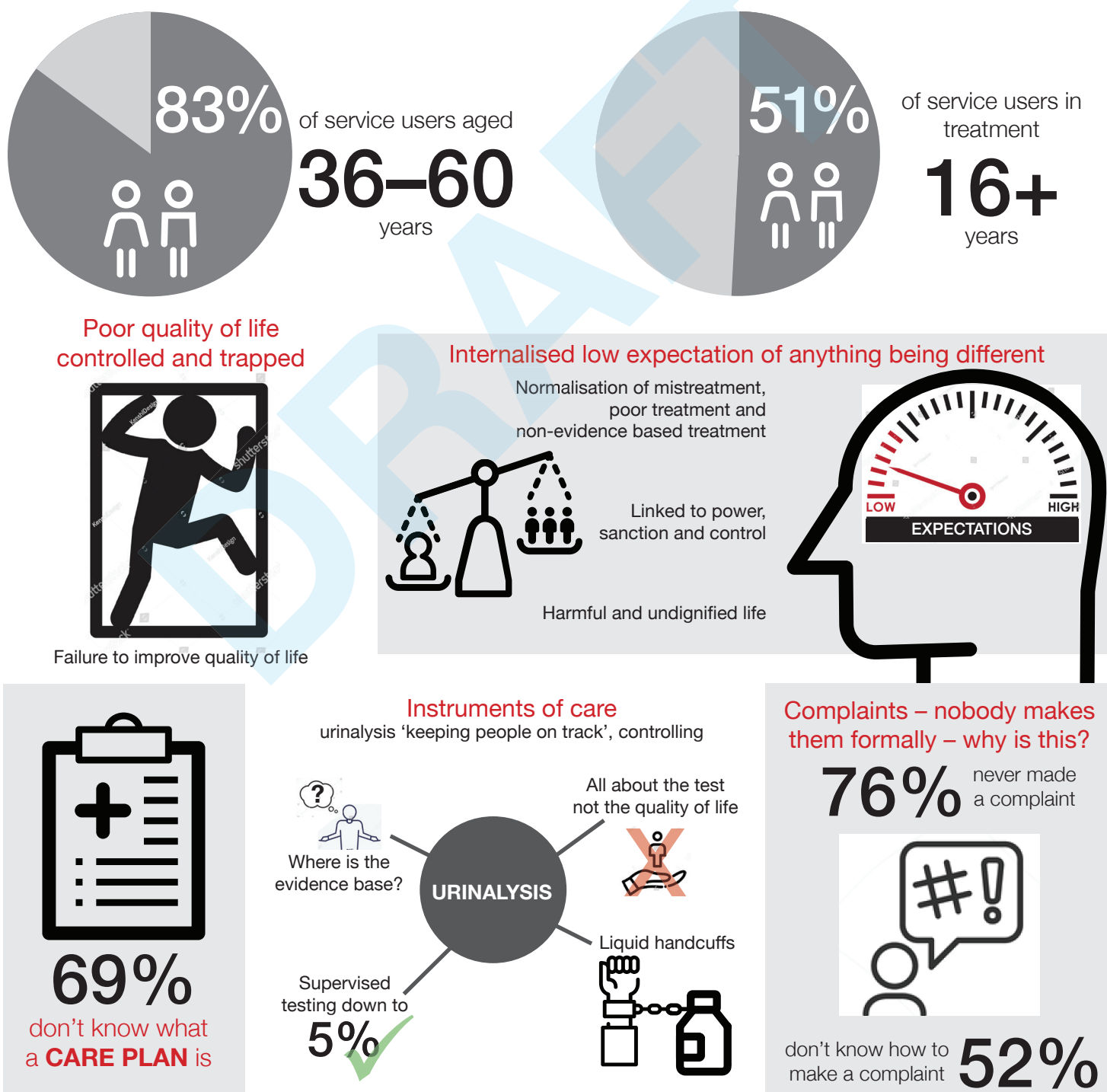
Profile of Treatment

Progressive Realisation of the Right to Adequate Health for Service Users



Progress over four data sets: 2012, 2017, 2018, 2019/20

Key Findings



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Locating The Service User Experience In A Human Rights And Equality Context

Right to adequate health



Human rights policy/instruments



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Recommendations

1 Meaningful relationship with your doctor



2 Cessation of use of urinalysis



3 Choice of treatment

residential and community detox

Suboxone

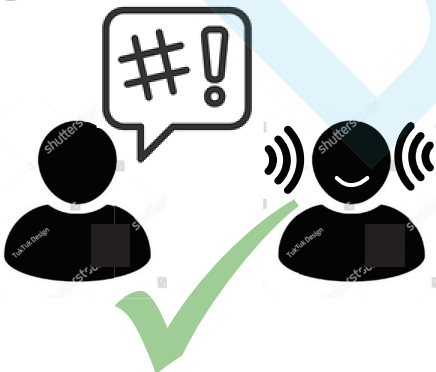
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4 Effective complaints procedures

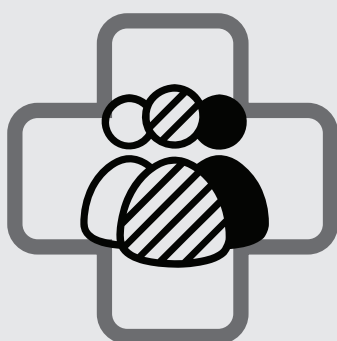


5 Quality of Life



Includes focus on social re-integration, building social capital of patient while on MMT as part of treatment and not after treatment

6 Culture of dignity, respect and equality



HSE design and promote dispensing and treatment structures that:

- are person-centred
- are flexible
- recognise the diversity of service users

Structures should aim to facilitate service users to engage in:

- employment
- training and education
- carrying out family and caring duties

