

NACRO (National Association for the Care and Rehabilitation of Offenders) plays a part in reducing crime on buses.

NACRO is a charity working to reduce youths offending and to promote and deliver education and training in the Black Country.

NACRO received Centro's SIF to pilot the 'Moving on Transport' education programme. The programme supports NACRO's role in tackling the link between youths offending and poor literacy and numeracy skills. It also focuses on the impact of anti-social behaviour and vandalism on public transport, by covering the wider economic, social and environmental impacts.

To help raise young people's educational standards, the Moving on Transport project improves basic literacy, numeracy and ICT skills and all young people completing the eight-week course either receive a certificated City & Guilds qualification in key skills or a certificate of completion.

NACRO's Moving on Transport project is an innovative pilot that provides young people with key skills and is just one example of how SIF can make a difference to an organisation. It has allowed the charity to deal directly with issues of anti-social behaviour on transport, youth crime and perceptions that other people have of young people, therefore making a positive impact on the wider community.