



Violence Prevention: “The Shared Agenda”

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Early Intervention: Insuring for a better future.

Which one do we insure against future harm?

Which one do we assess on an annual basis?

Which one do we assess the person in control?

Which one do we ban unfit owners/users?

Which one is governed by most legislation?

Which one is the most important ?





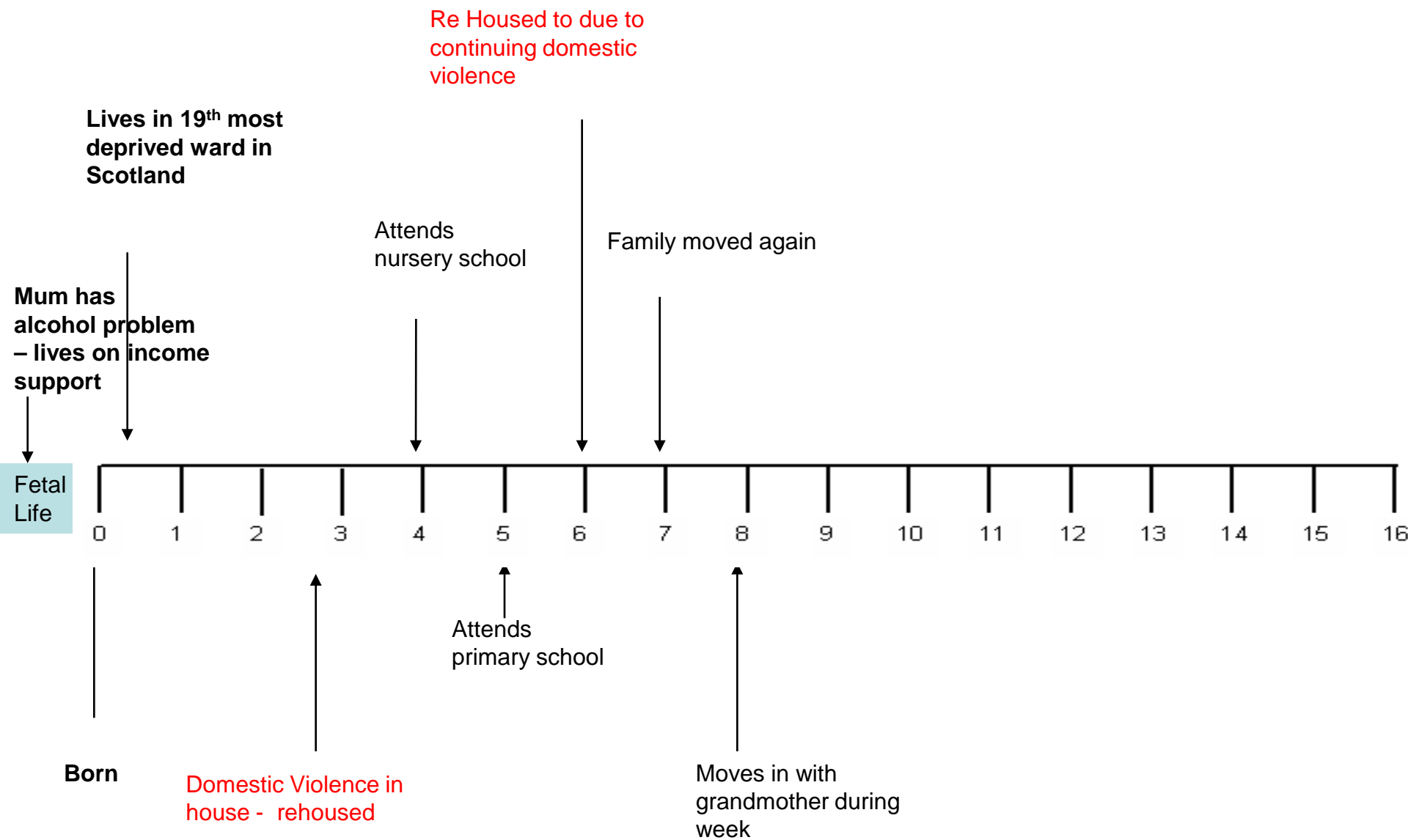
“The challenges we face converge, intertwining and often remain largely beyond our understanding. Most of us suspect that the “experts” don’t really know what’s going on and that as a species we’ve released forces that are neither managed nor manageable.”

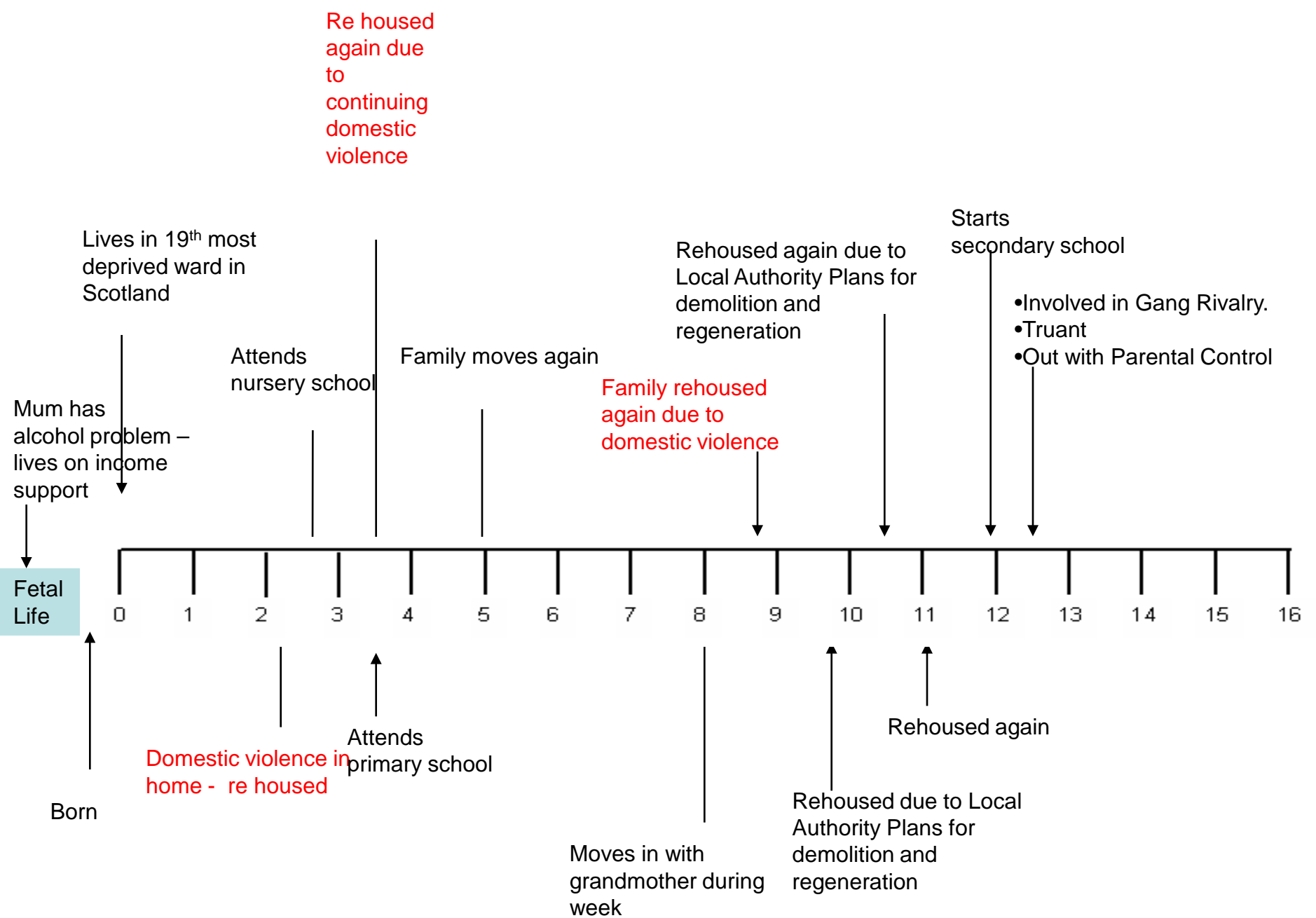
Thomas Homer-Dixon

(Paper by Prof Phil Hanlon University of Glasgow 2000)

Violence







Fetal Life

Born

Mum has alcohol problem – lives on income support

Domestic violence in home - re housed

Attends nursery school

Attends primary school

Family moves again

Moves in with grandmother during week

Family rehoused again due to domestic violence

Rehoused again due to Local Authority Plans for demolition and regeneration

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Rehoused again

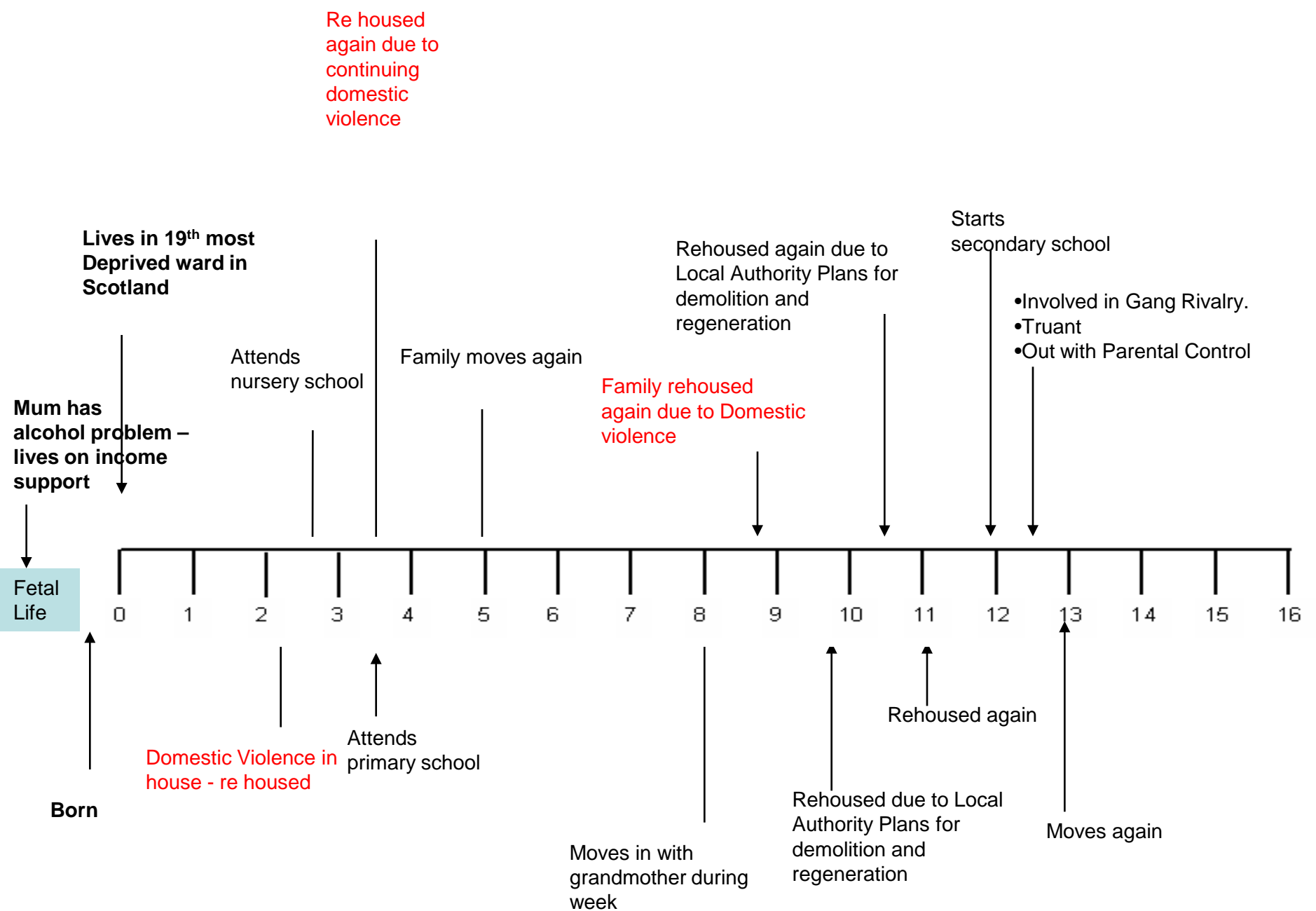
Starts secondary school

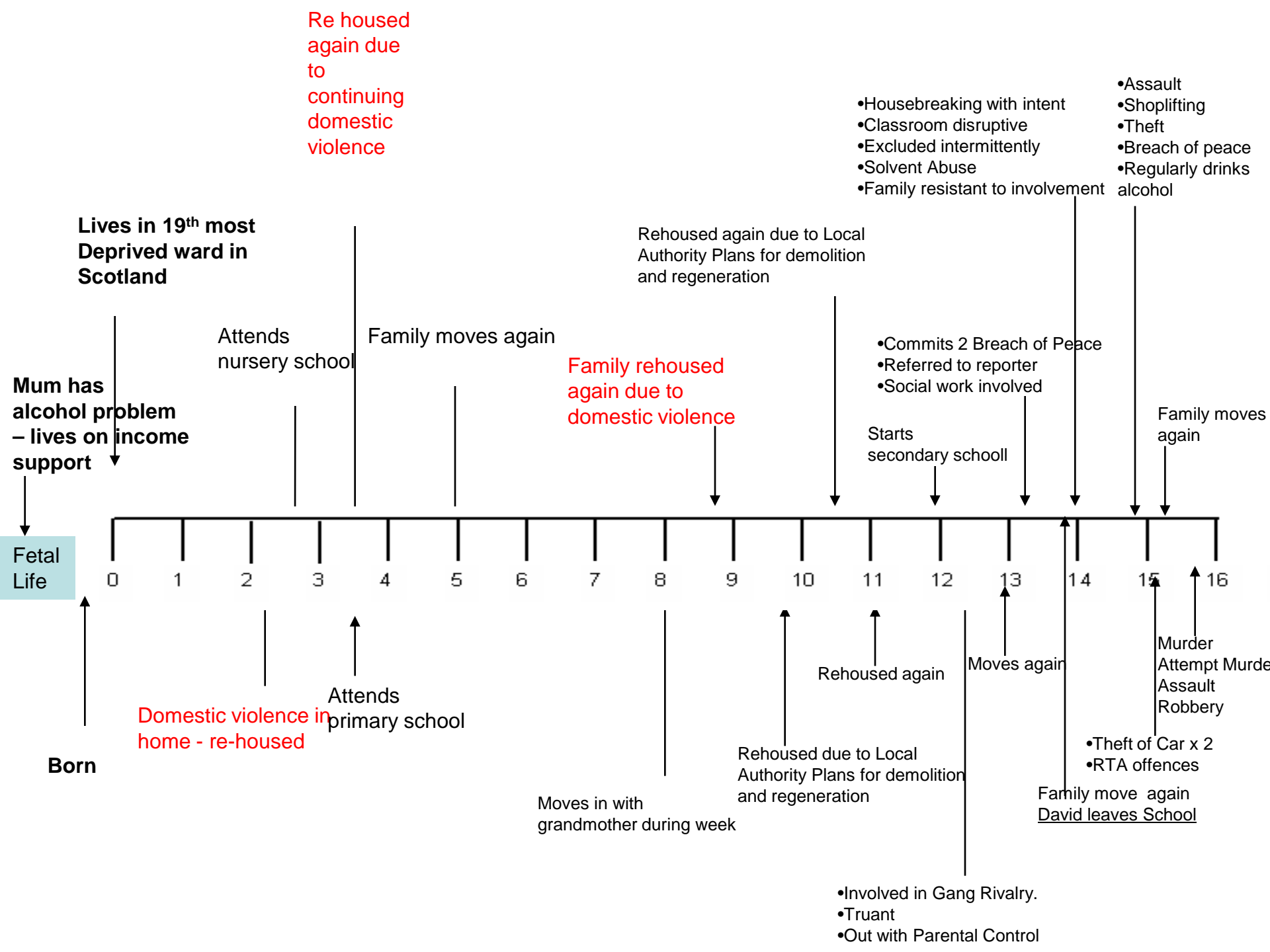
- Involved in Gang Rivalry.
- Truant
- Out with Parental Control

Rehoused again due to Local Authority Plans for demolition and regeneration

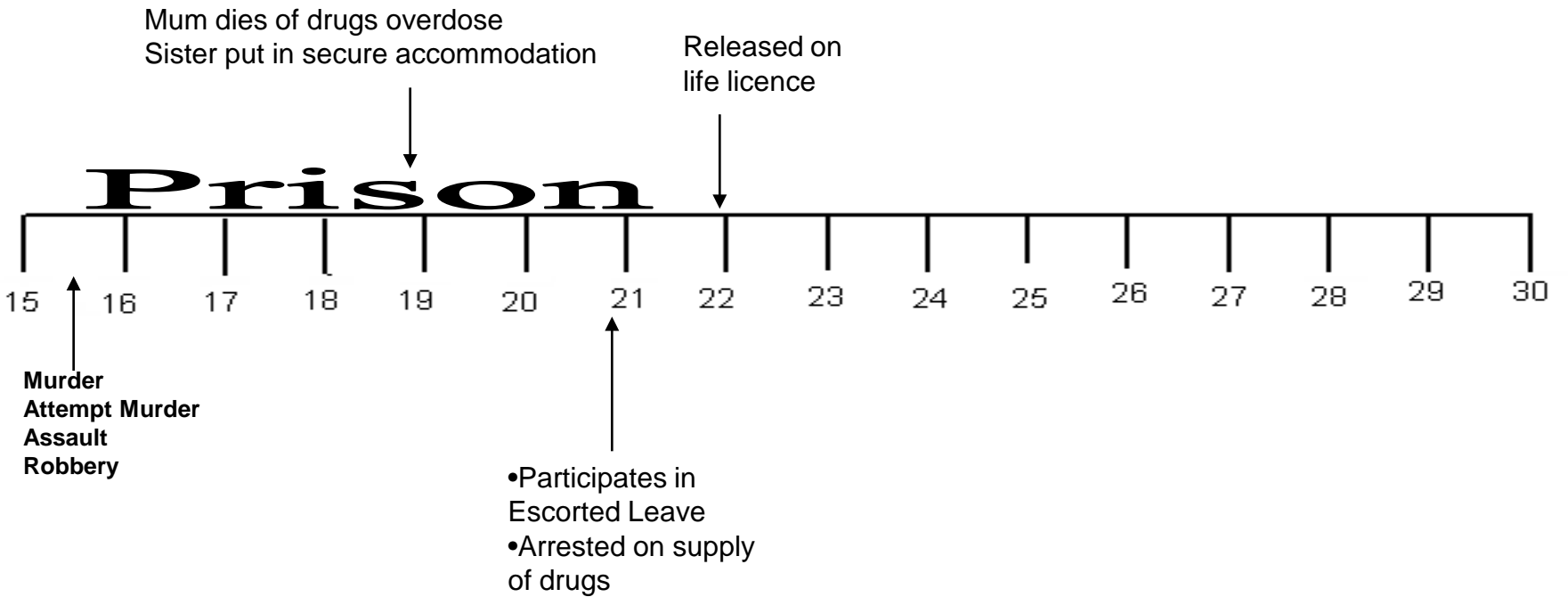
Re housed again due to continuing domestic violence

Lives in 19th most deprived ward in Scotland





Prison



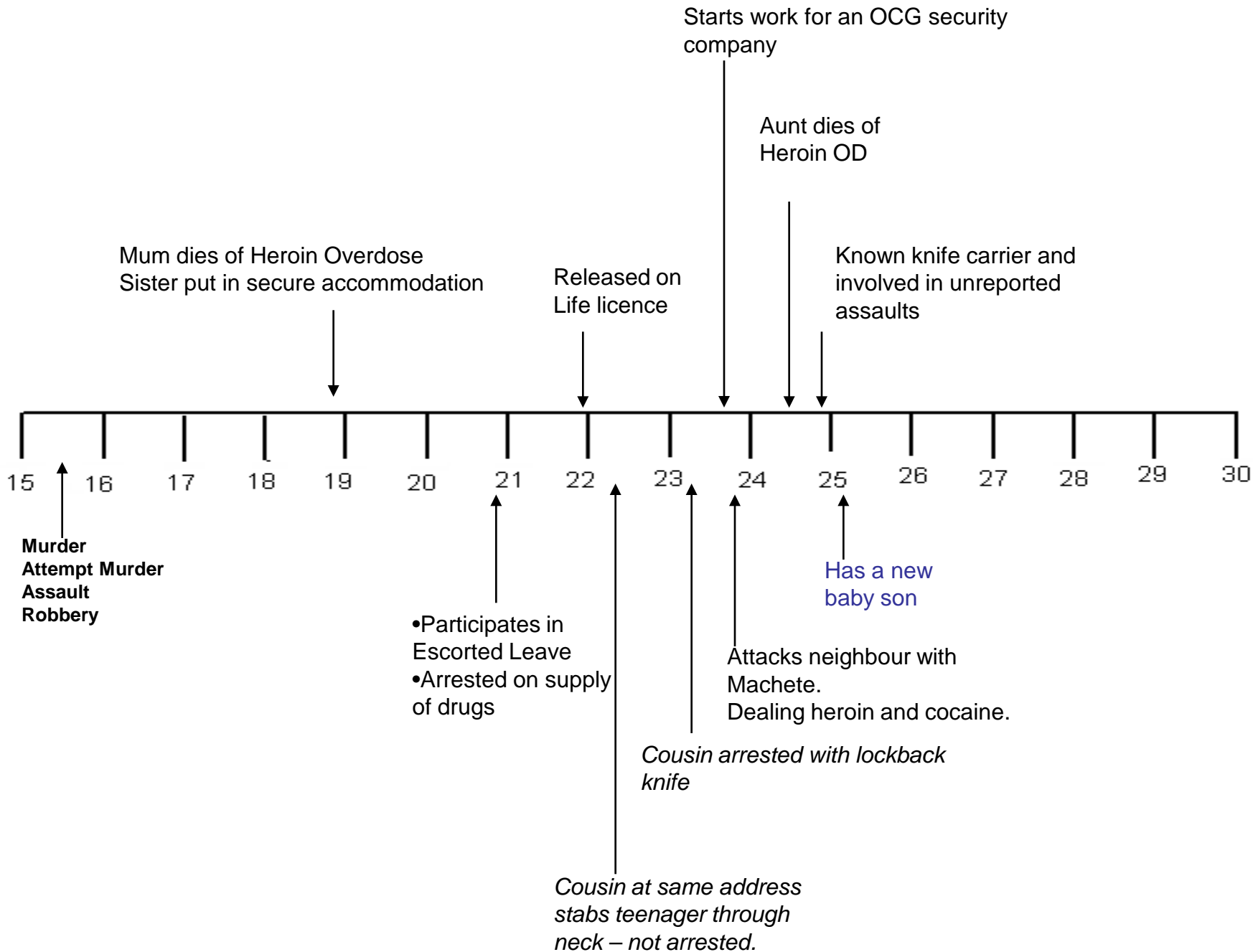
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Mum dies of drugs overdose
Sister put in secure accommodation

Released on
life licence

Murder
Attempt Murder
Assault
Robbery

- Participates in Escorted Leave
- Arrested on supply of drugs



Government Economic Strategy

National Outcomes

SOAs

NATIONAL PERFORMANCE

LIFE JOURNEY

birth

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Early Years Framework

Valuing our Young People

More Choices More Chances

Curriculum for Excellence

GIRFEC

Promoting Positive Outcomes (ASB)

YJ Framework

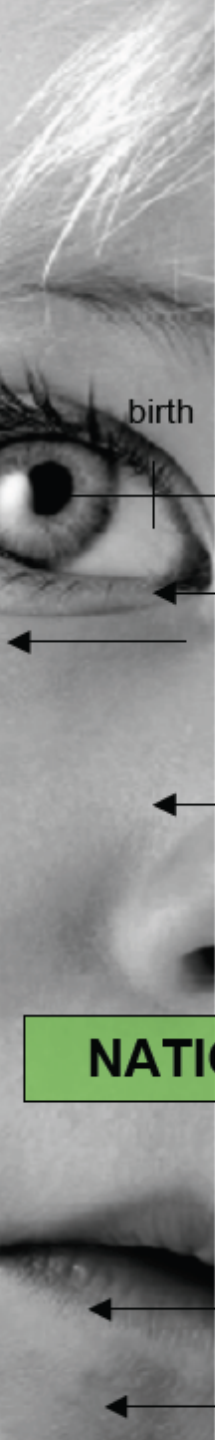
Road to Recovery (Drugs)

Alcohol framework

Equally Well (Health Inequalities)

Achieving our Potential (Poverty)

NATIONAL POLICIES





ASPIRATION - 2020

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