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Date: 15th March 2021

Your Ref: FOI

Our Ref: FOI 2021/223

Reply contact name is: Kay Moore

Dear,

I write in connection with your request for information dated 11th March 2021 concerning reports of domestic abuse.

I am required by the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to handle all requests in a manner that is blind as to the identity and motives of the requestor. Any information released as a response to a request is regarded as being published and therefore in the public domain without caveat.

Your request for information has now been considered and after having consulted the Performance Team - I am now able to respond as follows.

You wrote:

I would like information on the following, from January 1, 2019, to December 31, 2019, and then the same information for the same calendar year of 2020.

- 1) How many reports of domestic abuse, both resulting in injury and not resulting in injury, have you received? Please could this be broken down month-by-month, as well as a total for both years?
- 2) How many domestic abuse-related arrests have been made?
- 3) How many people have been charged with a domestic abuse-related offence?
- 4) How many people have been convicted of a domestic abuse-related offence?

If possible, please could all the above information also be broken down into gender – for example, the number of reports made by women, men or children, the number of arrests made by women, men or children etc.

Answers to questions 2, 3 and 4 do not need to be broken down month-by-month, just a figure for each year, please.

Our response:

- 1.) Please see the table below for the number of domestic abuse crimes and non-crime incidences that have taken place within the time frame requested:



INVESTOR IN PEOPLE

Reported Year	Victim								
	F		F Total	M		M Total	U	U Total	Grand Total
	Adult	Child		Adult	Child		Adult		
2019	6537	174	6711	2148	71	2219			8930
Jan	570	17	587	168	9	177			764
Feb	472	7	479	142	6	148			627
Mar	548	16	564	179	6	185			749
Apr	499	12	511	179	7	186			697
May	553	14	567	177	4	181			748
Jun	501	16	517	175	8	183			700
Jul	595	19	614	193	6	199			813
Aug	615	6	621	189	4	193			814
Sep	524	18	542	185	6	191			733
Oct	508	19	527	175	2	177			704
Nov	563	18	581	189	7	196			777
Dec	589	12	601	197	6	203			804
2020	6573	195	6768	2383	96	2479	2	2	9249
Jan	532	17	549	164	6	170			719
Feb	551	24	575	194	7	201			776
Mar	511	26	537	196	8	204			741
Apr	534	14	548	204	2	206			754
May	584	10	594	196	6	202			796
Jun	601	17	618	212	8	220			838
Jul	612	21	633	266	7	273			906
Aug	585	16	601	225	8	233	1	1	835
Sep	553	14	567	162	9	171			738
Oct	506	13	519	181	11	192			711
Nov	476	9	485	180	11	191	1	1	677
Dec	528	14	542	203	13	216			758
Grand Total	13110	369	13479	4531	167	4698	2	2	18179

2.)

Reported Year	Arrested						Grand Total
	F		F Total	M		M Total	
	Adult	Child		Adult	Child		
2019	282	16	298	2138	63	2201	2499
2020	332	20	352	2192	53	2245	2597
Grand Total	614	36	650	4330	116	4446	5096

3.)

Reported Year	Charged						Grand Total
	F		F Total	M		M Total	
	Adult	Child		Adult	Child		
2019	44	3	47	476	13	489	536
2020	32	4	36	410	5	415	451
Grand Total	76	7	83	886	18	904	987

4.) We do not hold conviction data.

I am satisfied that all the relevant information has been passed to me and been considered in the light of your request within the time constraints applicable under the legislation.

Wiltshire Police would like to thank you for the interest that you have shown in the Force.

Yours sincerely,

Kay Moore
Force Disclosure Decision Maker

Wiltshire Police offers a re-examination of your case under its review procedure.



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Freedom of Information Request Appeals Procedure

1. Who Can Ask for a Review

Any person who has requested information from Wiltshire Police, which has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act, is entitled to complain and request an internal review, if they are dissatisfied with the response they received.

2. How to Request a Review

Requests for review of a Freedom of Information request must be made in writing to the:
Force Disclosure Unit
Wiltshire Police Headquarters,
London Road, Devizes,
Wiltshire,
SN10 2DN

Email at disclosure@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk.

The reference number, date of the request and details of why the review is being requested must be included. Requests for review should be brought to the attention of the Force Disclosure Unit within 20 working days of the Force's response to the original FoI request.

3. Review Procedure

Receipt of a request for review will be acknowledged in writing to include confirmation of the reasons for the review. The review will be conducted by another Decision Maker, who is independent from the original Decision Maker. The Force Disclosure Unit will set a target date for a response. The response will be made as soon as is practicable with the intention to complete the review within twenty working days. In more complex cases the review may take up to 40 working days.

The Independent Decision Maker will conduct a review of the handling of the request for information and of decisions taken, including decisions taken about where the public interest lies in respect of exempt information where applicable. The review enables a re-evaluation of the case, taking into account the matters raised by the complaint.

4. Conclusion of the Appeal

On completion of the review the Independent Decision Maker will reply to the complainant with the result of the review. If the complainant is still dissatisfied following the review they should

contact the Information Commissioner to make an appeal. The Information Commissioner can be contacted via the following details:

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Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
Tel: 01625 545 700
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