



WILTSHIRE POLICE

XXXXXXX
By email

**Force Disclosure Unit
Police Headquarters**
London Road
DEVIZES
Wiltshire
SN10 2DN

Date 25th September 2023

Our Ref FOI 2023-861

Dear XXXXX,

I write in connection with your request for information dated 30th August 2023, concerning sexual offences against children.

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.

Following receipt of your request, research was conducted by the Business Intelligence department at Wiltshire Police.

Your request for information has now been considered and I am able to respond as follows.

You wrote:

1. The number of recorded sexual offences against children aged under 18, broken down by offence along with the age and gender of victims (by individual year of age where possible or grouped into 0-5, 6-10, 11-15 and 16-17). – for 1 April 2022 to 31 March 2023.

Below is a suggested table:

Total number of offences XX

Total number of victims XX

Age of victims (male)		Age of victims (female)		Age of victims (gender unspecified / other)	
0	XX	0	XX	0	XX
1	XX	1	XX	1	XX
2	XX	2	XX	2	XX
3	XX	3	XX	3	XX
4	XX	4	XX	4	XX
5	XX	5	XX	5	XX
6	XX	6	XX	6	XX
7	XX	7	XX	7	XX
8	XX	8	XX	8	XX
9	XX	9	XX	9	XX
10	XX	10	XX	10	XX
11	XX	11	XX		

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12	XX	12	XX	11	XX
13	XX	13	XX	12	XX
14	XX	14	XX	13	XX
15	XX	15	XX	14	XX
16	XX	16	XX	15	XX
17	XX	17	XX	16	XX
				17	XX

Our response:

Please see below table. Please see the end of the table for the grand total for each gender and age group.

Gender	F					M					U				
Reported Age	NULL	0-5	6-10	11-15	16-17	NULL	0-5	6-10	11-15	16-17	NULL	0-5	6-10	11-15	16-17
Abuse of position of trust: Causing or inciting a child to engage in sexual activity female victim aged 1317	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Abuse of position of trust: Causing or inciting a child to engage in sexual activity male victim aged 1317	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Administering a substance with intent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrange/facilitate sexual activity in the presence of a child/cause a child to watch a sexual act	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrange/facilitate sexual activity with a child no penetration	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrange/facilitate sexual activity with a child/incite a child to engage penetration	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arranging or facilitating the commission of a child sex offence sexual assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arranging or facilitating the sexual exploitation of a child: child 13 17	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Assault of a female 13 or over by penetration	0	0	0	11	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Assault of a female child under 13 by penetration	0	5	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Assault of a male child under 13 by penetration	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Assault on a male 13 or over by penetration	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempted rape of a female aged 16 or over	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempted rape of a Female aged 16 or over (Sec 1, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempted rape of a female aged under 16	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempted rape of a female child under 13 by a male	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Care workers: Sexual activity with a person with a mental disorder: female person no penetration	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing a child under 13 to watch a sexual act (S 12/13, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing a child under 13 to watch a sexual act by an offender over 18 years of age	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Causing a child under 13 to watch a sexual act by an offender under 18 years of age	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing a child under 16 to watch a sexual act (S12/13, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing a child under 16 to watch a sexual act, offender aged 18 years or over	1	1	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing a child under 16 to watch a sexual act, offender under 18 years	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing a person to engage in sexual activity without consent: female person	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing a person to engage in sexual activity without consent: female person no penetration	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing a person to engage in sexual activity without consent: male person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity (Sec 8 SOA 2003)	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity by an offender under 18 years of age (S 10/13, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity by an offender under 18 years of age: female child no penetration	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity by an offender under 18 years of age: male child no penetration	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity by and offender under 18 years of age: female child penetration	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity by and offender under 18 years of age: male child penetration	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity: female child no penetration	0	1	4	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity: female child penetration	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity: male child no penetration	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity (S10/13, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity: female victim no penetration, age of offender 18 years or over	0	0	1	20	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity: female victim no penetration, age of offender under 18 years	0	0	0	21	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity: female victim penetration, age of offender 18 years or over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity: female victim penetration, age of offender under 18 years	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity: male victim no penetration, age of offender 18 years or over	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity: male victim no penetration, age of offender under 18 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting the sexual exploitation of a child: child 13-17	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Causing or inciting the sexual exploitation of a child: child under 13	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Engage in sexual communication with a child	6	6	3	21	4	2	0	0	13	2	0	0	0	0	0
Engaging in sexual activity in presence of a child under 13 by an offender over 18 years of age	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Exposure	3	3	0	13	2	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Exposure (S66, SOA 2003)	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Intercourse with an animal by a male or a female (S69, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Meeting a child following sexual grooming, Offender 18 or over and Victim U16 (S15, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meeting a female child following sexual grooming etc. offender aged 18 years or over and victim is under 16 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paying for sexual service of a child: female child under 16	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paying for sexual service of a child: female child under 18	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a female aged 16 or over	0	0	0	0	29	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a female aged 16 or over multiple undefined offenders	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a Female aged 16 or over (Sec 1 SOA 2003)	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a female aged under 16	0	0	0	53	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a female aged under 16 multiple undefined offenders	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a Female aged under 16 (Sec 1 SOA 2003)	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a female child under 13 by a male	0	2	2	18	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a female child under 13 by a male multiple undefined offenders	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a female child under 13 by a male (S5 SOA 2003)	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a male aged 16 or over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a male aged 16 or over multiple undefined offenders	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a Male aged 16 or over (Sec 1 SOA 2003)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a male aged under 16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
Rape of a male child under 13 by a male	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
Rape of a male child under 13 by a male multiple undefined offenders	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sex with an adult relative consenting to penetration. Offender aged 16 or over, relative aged 18 or over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity etc with a person with a mental disorder (Class 70)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Sexual activity with a child family member: female victim aged 13 17 penetration. Offender under 18 years	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child family member: female victim aged under 13 no penetration. Offender aged 18 years or over	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child family member: female victim aged under 13 penetration. Offender aged 18 years or over	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child family member: male victim under 13 no penetration. Offender under 18 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child under 13 by an offender under 18 years of age: female child no penetration	0	4	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child under 13 by an offender under 18 years of age: female child penetration	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child under 13 by an offender under 18 years of age: male child no penetration	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	5	0	0	0	0	1	0
Sexual activity with a child under 13 by an offender under 18 years of age: male child penetration	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child under 16 (S9/13, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child under 16: female victim no penetration, age of offender 18 years or over	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child under 16: female victim no penetration, age of offender under 18 years	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child under 16: female victim penetration, age of offender 18 years or over	0	0	0	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child under 16: female victim penetration, age of offender under 18 years	0	0	0	13	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child under 16: male victim no penetration, age of offender 18 years or over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Sexual activity with a child under 16: male victim no penetration, age of offender under 18 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child under 16: male victim penetration, age of offender 18 years or over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a child under 16: male victim penetration, age of offender under 18 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a person with a mental disorder impeding choice: female person no penetration	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual activity with a person with a mental disorder impeding choice: male person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual assault of a female 13 or over by penetration (S2, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual assault of a female child under 13	0	5	17	45	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Sexual assault of a female child under 13 (S3, SOA 2003)	0	1	4	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual assault of a female child under 13 by penetration (S6, SOA 2003)	0	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual assault on a female aged 13 or over	7	7	0	96	47	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual assault on a female aged 13 or over (S3, SOA 2003)	1	1	0	14	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual assault on a male aged 13 or over	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	8	8	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual assault on a male aged 13 or over (Sec 3, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual assault on a male child under 13	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	4	11	3	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual assault on a male child under 13 (Sec 7, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trespass with intent to commit a sexual offence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Voyeurism	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Voyeurism (S67, SOA 2003)	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Voyeurism additional offences (upskirting)	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grand Total	19	41	46	442	145	5	10	16	84	22	0	0	0	3	2

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,

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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.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 Fol 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:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
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SK9 5AF
Tel: 01625 545 700
Fax: 01625 524 510
Email: mail@ico.gsi.gov.uk

Please note that the ICO's offices will be closed for the foreseeable future and are therefore unable to receive correspondence via post.

If you should wish to contact them, please visit <https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/>

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