

Our Ref: FOI 0076

27 February 2024

Dear

**Freedom of Information Request – Reference FOI 0076**

I refer to your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, received on 29 January 2024.

Set out below is the request you have raised and our response to it.

**REQUEST**

Please can you provide the following information:

1. Please can you provide details of any victims services commissioned by the OPCC exclusively for victims under the age of 18, including:
  - Details of the service(s)
  - The funding allocated to each service
  - How many victims under the age of 18 were supported by these services.

Please can these details be provided for the year 2022/23 and 2021/22

2. Please can you provide details of any victims services commissioned by the OPCC that provide support for victims under the age of 18 (even if the service is not exclusively for victims under the age of 18), including:
  - Details of the service(s)
  - The funding allocated to each service
  - How many victims under the age of 18 were supported by these services.

Please can these details be provided for the year 2022/23 and 2021/22

**RESPONSE**

Section 1 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 provides two distinct but related rights of access to information, which impose corresponding duties on public authorities. These are:

- Section 1(1)(a) the duty to inform the applicant whether or not information is held by the authority, and if so,

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- Section 1(1)(b) the duty to communicate that information to the applicant.

The Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) does hold some information in relation to your request. Please see appendix A.

*Please note, this does not include funding allocations for the Violence Reduction Unit, which is a partnership initiative. If you require this information, please come back to me.*

If you are unhappy with the way your request for information has been handled, you can request an internal review by emailing this office.

If you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office,  
Wycliffe House,  
Water Lane,  
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Telephone: 08456 306060 or 01625 545745

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Yours sincerely

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