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Sent: 12 December 2023 16:03

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Subject: Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) - Request for Information. Our ref: FOI2147

#### Dear

I refer to your recent Freedom of Information request submitted to the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Humberside on 12 December 2023 as follows: -

We are requesting information to understand how many Child Independent Domestic Violence Advisers (CHIDVAs) and Child Independent Sexual Violence Advisers (CHISVAs) you currently commission. For the purposes of this Freedom of Information request, CHIDVAs and CHISVAs are independent domestic and sexual violence advisers who specifically work with children (under 18s), and not with adults.

# We are looking to find: -

- 1. How many FTE Child Independent Domestic Violence Advisers (CHIDVAs) have you commissioned in the financial years 2023-2024; 2022-2023; 2021-2022?
- 2. How many FTE Child Independent Sexual Violence Advisers (CHISVAs) have you commissioned in the financial years 2023-2024; 2022-2023; 2021-2022?
- How many FTE Child Independent Domestic Violence Advisers (CHIDVAs)
  and FTE Independent Sexual Violence Advisers (CHISVAs) have you co commissioned with local authorities in the financial years 2023-2024; 20222023; 2021-2022?
- 4. How may FTE Independent Domestic Violence Advisers (IDVAs) have you commissioned in the financial years 2023-2024; 2022-2023; 2021-2022?
- 5. How many FTE Independent Sexual Violence Advisers (ISVAs) have you commissioned in the financial years 2023-2024; 2022-2023; 2021-2022?
- 6. How many FTE Independent Domestic Violence Advisers (IDVAs) and FTE Independent Sexual Violence Advisers (ISVAs) have you co-commissioned with local authorities in the financial years 2023-2024; 2022-2023; 2021-2022?

We are very pleased to see this information being used to influence victim policy. In response to your request, I can advise that the following information is held by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Humberside: -

Role	2021-2022 WTE	2022-2023 WTE	2023-2024 WTE
CHIDVAs	0	0	0
CHISVAs	1	1	1
Co-commissioned CHIDVA CHISVA	0	1	1
IDVAs	1 (Force Control Room IDVA).	1 (Force Control Room IDVA).	2 (Force control Room IDVA)

ISVAs	16	18	22
Co-commissioned	6 (of which 1 is	8 (of which 1 is	8 (of which 1 is
IDVA ISVA	based within 3rd	based within 3rd	based within 3 <sup>rd</sup>
	sector at Preston	sector at Preston	sector at Preston
	Road Women's	Road Women's	Road Women's
	Centre, Hull)	Centre, Hull)	Centre, Hull)

We would suggest that for a true picture of the impact of bids and additional grant funding on the increase in WTE posts, the request would give a greater picture if we included pre 2021 numbers. These are available if you require them.

# Kind regards

Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Humberside

# **Right of Review**

If you think that we have not supplied information in accordance with our Publication Scheme or under general rights of access then you have the right to ask for an internal review. Any request for an internal review should be made within 40 days and addressed to:

### **Data Protection Officer**

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We would aim to complete an internal review within 20 working days.

If you are not content with the outcome of an internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.