

Leicestershire & Rutland
Your Communities - Your Commissioner

Our ref: 0004-24

Date: 23 February 2024

Name: Email:

Dear

Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your freedom of information request received on 6 February 2024. I note you seek access to 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)
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Your request for information has now been considered and the response can be found below:

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The OPCC part funds the East Midlands Children and Young Peoples Sexual Assault Referral Centre (EMCYPSARC) as part of a funding agreement between Leicestershire OPCC, Nottinghamshire OPCC, Derbyshire OPCC, Northamptonshire OPCC and Lincolnshire OPCC and NHS England (NHSE). The service is based in Nottingham and Northampton and the procurement is held by NHSE.

	Funding contribution by OPCC	Number of victims under the age of 18 referred to service. Q1 – Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland (LLR)	Number of victims under the age of 18 referred to service. Q2 – Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland (LLR)	Number of victims under the age of 18 referred to service. Q3 – Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland (LLR)	Number of victims under the age of 18 referred to service. Q4 – Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland (LLR)
2021/2022	£20,000	Information held by NHSE	Information held by NHSE	Information held by NHSE	Information held by NHSE
2022/2023	£20,000	Information held by NHSE	Information held by NHSE	Information held by NHSE	10

The OPCC does not hold the full breakdown in data as requested. NHSE may hold this information and I give below a link to their website where you can make a FOI request to them directly.

https://www.england.nhs.uk/contact-us/foi/.



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Victim First is a free, independent, and confidential service supporting victims and witnesses of crime across Leicester, Leicestershire, and Rutland. Victim First has a team of experienced and professional caseworkers to help support victims in their journey of recovery. This includes a dedicated caseworker who works with Children and Young People.

Victim First

	Funding	Number of victims under the age of 18 referred to service	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
2021/2022	£561,813	1351	352	284	331	384
2022/2023	£572,798	1795	510	448	422	415

The Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner provides you the right to ask for a reexamination of your request under its review procedure. Letters should be addressed to Data Protection Officer at the above address or emailed to OPCC@leics.police.uk. If you decide to request such a review and having followed the Police and Crime Commissioner's full process you are still dissatisfied, then you have the right to direct your comments to the Information Commissioner who will give it consideration.

Yours sincerely,

Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner

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