

**Please ask for :** Jonathan Jardine  
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Our reference: 2019-01610



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Dear FOI applicant

Thank you for your request for information received in this office on 21 October 2019 in which you asked:

1. How many cases of coercive control were reported this year?
2. What is the same figure for 2018, 2017 and 2016?
2. In how many coercive control cases was the victim a women?
3. And a men?
4. How many persons were arrested for coercive control this year?
5. What is the same figure for 2018, 2017 and 2016?

In response to your request, I can advise you that this information is not held by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner. It is likely that this information is held by West Midlands Police and I would therefore suggest that you contact their FOI unit using the details below:

Freedom of information Unit  
West Midlands Police  
PO Box 52, Lloyd House  
Colmore Circus Queensway  
Birmingham  
B4 6NQ  
E-mail: [foi@west-midlands.police.uk](mailto:foi@west-midlands.police.uk)

### **Freedom of Information Right of Appeal**

Any person who has requested information from West Midlands Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner and is unhappy with the way their request for information has been handled can request a review of their case.

A request for review must be made in writing by letter or email to the Legal Advisor to the Police and Crime Commissioner. You should include the reference number of your request if you have it, and outline why you are requesting the review to:

The Legal Advisor  
West Midlands Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner  
Lloyd House

Birmingham  
B4 6NQ  
Telephone: 0121 626 6060

All requests for review will be recorded. Receipt of a request for internal review will be acknowledged and the appellant informed of an estimated date for determining the outcome. West Midlands Officer of the Police and Crime Commissioner will attempt to respond to internal reviews as soon as practicable and in any case within two months.

All investigations will be undertaken by the Legal Advisor.

The result of any internal review will be communicated to the appellant outlining the decisions taken. 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  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire  
SK9 5AF Telephone: 08456 30 60 60 or 01625 54 57 45 Website: [www.ico.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.uk)

There is no charge for making a request for internal review or appeal to the Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

Jonathan Jardine  
Chief Executive