

9 October 2024

FOI Ref 17254

Request - You asked us the following:

'On 24 May 2024 Royal Assent was granted to The Victims and Prisoners Act. The new Act placed Operation Encompass into Law and puts a statutory obligation on police forces to share Operation Encompass notifications with schools.'

<https://www.operationencompass.org/>

1. For each month of June, July and August 2024, please provide the number of Operation Encompass notifications you shared with Key Adults in educational and early years settings.
2. Please specify how many of the shared notifications in each month related to children in (i) educational and (ii) early years settings.
3. Please specify the number of children the shared notifications related to in each month.

We received your request on 12/09/2024 and have processed this under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA).

Staffordshire Police's response to your enquiry is as follows:

Staffordshire Police holds the requested information.

1. For each month of June, July and August 2024, please provide the number of Operation Encompass notifications you shared with Key Adults in educational and early years settings. – **Disclosed, June – 1,380, July – 1,438, August – 1,506.**
2. Please specify how many of the shared notifications in each month related to children in (i) educational and (ii) early years settings. **Disclosed, all of the figures above are related to children in education, we are currently working alongside health colleagues to set up alerts for early years children.**
3. Please specify the number of children the shared notifications related to in each month. – **Disclosed, June – 1,347, July – 1,398, August – 1,458.**

Next steps

You can ask us to review our response.

If you would like us to carry out a review of our response, please let us know within two months of the date of receipt of this email, review requests should be addressed to:



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Please remember to quote the reference number in any future communications.

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