



**WEST MERCIA PCC: DISCLOSURE LOG  
RESPONSE TO REQUEST**

**Reference: 2020 – 203 / WE2358**

**Date of response: 25<sup>th</sup> February 2020**

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST**

Please could I request the following information:

Please provide details of grants awarded in the financial years 2017-2018 and 2018-2019

- For which at least one of the outputs/outcomes was to provide services to victims of stalking. This could be any service to help victims e.g. counselling, information and advice, casework however there must be specific reference to working with victims of stalking.
- Please provide details of the grant including the amount, the service provider, the services provided and the specific stalking outcome/output.
- Please indicate with a y/n if the service is open to victims of stalking who are not ex-intimate in the table below

2017-18

Name of grant	Grant amount	Service provider	Services provided	Specific stalking outcome	Provides services for non ex intimate victims of stalking

2018 -19

Name of grant	Grant amount	Service provider	Services provided	Specific stalking outcome	Provides services for non ex intimate


**Response.**

We have not funded anything specific for the timeframes you seek a response for, for victims of stalking or harassment.

Victims of any crime are referred/can refer themselves to our newly developed Victim Advice Line (VAL), a single point of contact for all victims of crime (apart from high risk domestic abuse and sexual violence victims who have support from specialist agencies). Within the VAL, we have specialist domestic abuse workers, who are provided by West Mercia Women’s Aid, who have extensive experience of dealing with victims of all forms of domestic abuse, including stalking.

We also commission Victim Support (apart from high risk victims of Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence victims who have specific support from separate agencies). Victim Support pick up some stalking victims but this is normally secondary or part of Domestic Abuse.

Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter, please write to the Information Compliance Unit; Information Compliance Unit, PO Box 55, Worcester, WR3 8SP. Email: [information@westmercia.pnn.police.uk](mailto:information@westmercia.pnn.police.uk)

Yours sincerely,

**FOI Officer  
West Mercia PCC**

**Complaints**

If you think that the Police and Crime Commissioner has failed to supply information in accordance with the publication scheme, then you should write in the first instance, to the:

Chief Executive, OPCC – West Mercia, Hindlip Hall, Worcester. WR3 8SP

The PCC will aim to deal with your complaint within 10 working days. If you are dissatisfied with the response you can ask for the matter to be internally reviewed. Internal reviews will be completed promptly and a response given to you within 20 working days of your further request.

If, after the internal review, you remain dissatisfied, then you can complain to the Information Commissioner (Office of the Information Commissioner), Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF).