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POLICE AND CRIME
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Request:

I wish to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 for the following information. If the information requested is already published in another format, please point me in its direction.

1. For each of the past five years (including 2017 to date), please provide a list of the local groups to receive funding from the PCC/Mayor/Authority for the provision of support to victims of rape and sexual assault; together with the amount of money provided.
2. Has the PCC/Mayor/Authority given any consideration to any waiting lists for rape and sexual violence support, and how such waiting lists can be mitigated against. If so, please provide details.

Response 1:

I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does hold the information requested the details of which are as follows:

All of the Information requested within this particular question can be found on the OPCC website, however, for ease of reference the information is detailed below together with the relevant links:

2013:

Seren Counselling Service £3,870

Gay Ammanford £946.60

New Pathways £4,964

<http://www.dyfedpowys-pcc.org.uk/en/community-projects-boosted-by-commissioners-fund/>

2014:

Stop it Now! Wales £4,768

<http://www.dyfedpowys-pcc.org.uk/en/4051/>

2015:

BAWSO £4,996

<http://www.dyfedpowys-pcc.org.uk/en/communities-win-92k-in-commissioner-grants/>

2016:

Child sexual exploitation (CSE) awareness £5,000

<http://www.dyfedpowys-pcc.org.uk/en/communities-win-85k-commissioner-grants/>

These detail the amount awarded to service provision of sexual abuse. The specific service contract with New Pathways (provider of sexual abuse support services) can be found here

<http://www.dyfedpowys-pcc.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2015/12/2015-12-16-OPCC-Accountability-Report.pdf>

Amount awarded to New Pathways:

2015/16 - £62,000

2016/17 - £42,339 (CSA) £95,000 (SARC)

2017/18 –£42,339 (CSA) £95,000 (SARC)

Response 2:

I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does hold the information requested the details of which are as follows:

The Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) engages with key stakeholders including Health and Local Authorities to provide a regional approach to tackling violence against women, sexual violence and domestic violence. This includes consideration of the evidence and demand for services, along with reviews of service models and budget arrangements. The PCC in particular funds immediate interventions to meet the short term needs of the victims and to secure best evidence at court, to provide better supported witnesses in the criminal justice process and to increase victims' confidence in accessing services and reporting crimes. This particular element of the service has not reported any waiting lists.

In addition to the above the Police and Crime Commissioner wishes to add that the Commissioner is always available to discuss specific concerns the public, professionals or victims have in regard to this issue.

(This is a response under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and disclosed on 25/07/17)