

Original request

1. Since 2013 how many stalking reports has your force received from the public per calendar year?

Amended request

I would be grateful if you could undertake the search outlined in your proposal for these dates:

Apr 2018 – March 2019, Apr 2019 – March 2020, Apr 2020 – March 2021, Apr 2021 – March 2022, Apr 2022 – March 2023, Apr 2024 – Dec 2024

Date	Total
Apr 2018 – March 2019	548
Apr 2019 – March 2020	709
Apr 2020 – March 2021	6583
Apr 2021 – March 2022	7959
Apr 2022 – March 2023	6898
Apr 2024 – Dec 2024	5650

2. Does your force have a stalking clinic or multi-agency teams specifically aimed at addressing stalking offending? - Yes

If yes: When did the force first begin using or participating in a stalking clinic?

On record we have the first triage listed on the 16th March 2023

3. The number of stalking offences referred to the clinic, per calendar year.

192 cases per year on average

4. Do West Midlands Police record whether an individual has engaged in a stalking clinic?

Suspects do not attend the clinic

5. Do West Midlands Police record the stalking reoffending rates since the implementation of the stalking clinic? If yes what are the statistics?

Offending rates are not recorded

6. Are there any mechanisms in place to monitor individuals after they have attended the stalking clinic?

Not at present

7. What treatment or behavioural intervention methods are used in the stalking clinic?

The methodology is solely around investigation and safe guarding support there is no intervention offered as we have the EASI project which provides this separately

8. How do you ensure the safety of victims while the perpetrator is participating in or after completing the clinic?

As per above number 7