



GREATER MANCHESTER
POLICE

Date: 28th August 2024
Our ref: FOI/24/013130/U

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: FOI/24/013130/U

I write in connection with your request for information dated 16/08/2024, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Please can you send me a copy of the force's DASH risk assessment form - known as DOM5.

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police (GMP) to locate the requested information and I can confirm the information requested is held by GMP.

Please see the attached form.

GREATER MANCHESTER POLICE**IOPS PoliceWorks DASH Risk Assessment**

Incident Reference:			
Current Situation The context and detail of what is happening is very important. Tick the relevant box and add comments where necessary to expand.	Yes	No	Other
1. Has the current incident resulted in injury? <i>(state what and whether this is the first injury)</i> Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
2. Are you very frightened? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
3. What are you afraid of? Is it further injury or violence? <i>(indicate what he/she might do and to whom)</i> Kill: Self ☐ Children ☐ Other (specify) ☐ Further injury and violence: Self ☐ Children ☐ Other (specify) ☐ Other (clarify): Self ☐ Children ☐ Other (specify) ☐ Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
4. Do you feel isolated from family/friends? <i>(i.e. does he/she try to stop you from seeing friends/family/Dr/others)</i> Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
5. Are you feeling depressed or having suicidal thoughts? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
6. Have you separated or tried to separate from him/her within the past year? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
7. Is there any conflict over child contact? <i>(please state what)</i> Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
8. Does he/she constantly text, call, contact, follow, stalk or harass you? <i>(Identify what and whether you believe that this is done deliberately to intimidate. Consider the context and behaviour of what is being done. Ask the additional stalking questions).</i> Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
9. Is the victim very frightened? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
10. Is there previous domestic abuse and harassment history?	☐	☐	☐

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Additional Information:			
11. Has vandalised or destroyed property? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
12. Has turned up unannounced more than three times in a week? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
13. Is following the victim or loitering near the victim? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
14. Has threatened physical or sexual violence? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
15. Has been harassing any third party since the harassment began (i.e. family, children, friends, neighbours, colleagues)? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
16. Has acted violently to anyone else during the stalking incident? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
17. Has engaged others to help (wittingly or unwittingly)? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
18. Has been abusing alcohol/drugs? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
19. Has been violent in the past? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
20. Are there children/dependants involved? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☒
CHILDREN/DEPENDENTS (If no children/dependents, please go to the next section)	Yes	No	Other
21. Are you currently pregnant or have you recently had a baby in the past 18 months? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
22. Are there any children, step-children that aren't in the household? Or are there other dependants in the household (i.e. older relative)? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
23. Has ever hurt the children/dependants?	☐	☐	☐

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Additional Information:			
24. Has ever threatened to hurt or kill the children/dependants? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HISTORY Tick the relevant box and add comments where necessary to expand.	Yes	No	Other
25. Is the abuse happening more often? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
26. Is the abuse getting worse? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
27. Does he/she try to control everything you do and/or are they excessively jealous? <i>(In terms of relationships, who you see, being 'policed at home', telling you what to wear for example. Consider honour based violence and stalking and specify the behaviour).</i> Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
28. Has he/she ever used weapons or objects to hurt you? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
29. Has he/she ever threatened to kill you or someone else and you believed them? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
30. Has he/she ever attempted to strangle/choke/suffocate/drown you? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
31. Does he/she do or say things of a sexual nature that makes you feel bad or that physically hurt you or someone else? <i>(Specify who and what).</i> Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
32. Is there any other person that has threatened you or that you are afraid of? <i>(If yes, consider extended family if honour based violence and specify who. Ask additional HBV questions).</i> Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
33. (If under 18 years old) is the victim truanting? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
34. Is there any evidence of self-harm? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐

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35. Is the victim being kept at home or their behaviour activity being policed? (Specify what and describe the behaviours). Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
36. Is the victim fearful that they will be forced to be engaged or marry against their will? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
37. Is the victim under pressure to move or fearful of being taken abroad? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
38. Is the victim very isolated? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
39. Is the victim believed to be in a relationship that is not approved of? (Consider a pre-marital relationship or extra-marital affair). Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
40. Is the victim attempting to leave the relationship, separate or divorce? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
41. Have there been any threats to take the children away, or prevent the victim from ever seeing them again? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
42. Have there been any threats to hurt or kill the victim? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
43. Do you know if he/she has hurt anyone else? (Including children/siblings/elderly relative/strange. Consider HBV. Specify who/what). Children ☐ Another family member ☐ Someone from a previous relationship ☐ Other (please specify) ☐ Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
44. Has he/she ever mistreated an animal or the family pet? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
ABUSERS Tick the relevant box and add comments where necessary to expand.	Yes	No	Other
45. Are there any financial issues? (For example, are you dependent on him/her for money/have they recently lost their job/other financial issues? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐

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46. Has he/she had problems in the past year with drugs (prescription or other), alcohol or mental health leading to problems in leading a normal life? Drugs ☐ Alcohol ☐ Mental Health ☐ Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
47. Has he/she ever threatened or attempted suicide? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
48. Has he/she ever breached bail/an injunction and/or any agreement for when they can see you and/or the children? Bail conditions ☐ Non-Molestation/Occupation Order ☐ Child Contact arrangements ☒ Forced Marriage Protection Order ☐ Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
49. Do you know if he/she has ever been in trouble with the police or has a criminal history? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION Tick the relevant box and add comments where necessary to expand.	Yes	No	Other
50. Other relevant information (from victim or officer) which may alter risk levels, such as victim's vulnerability - disability, mental health, alcohol/substance misuse and/or the abuser's occupation/interests - does this give unique access to weapons i.e. ex-military, police, pest control or is there serial offending? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
51. Is there anything else you would like to add to this? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
52. Do you believe that there are reasonable grounds for referring this case to MARAC? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
53. Have you made a referral? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
54. Has the victim given verbal consent to share information with partner agencies? Additional Information:	☐	☐	☐
55. Risk to victim	HIGH ☐	MEDIUM ☐	STANDARD ☐

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Additional Information:		
If the case is high risk and you are referring it to the MARAC, please explain to the victim what the MARAC is and that it is there to help them, giving them options and choices to keep them and their children safe.		
Date Completed:	Officer Completing:	Officer Signature: