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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: FOI/24/012726/M

I write in connection with your request for information dated 31/05/2024, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Under The Freedom of Information Act 2000, could you kindly answer the following questions:

1. What is the total number of mental health related callouts (CAD records) that the force have responded to over the last five years? I would like this information to be provided for each of the last five calendar years as follows: 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023.

2. Please could you also provide the proportion of total callouts that relate to mental health incidents (e.g. 40%).

3. How many detentions were made related to mental health incidents in the last five calendar years?

CLARIFICATION

For Q1 and Q2, please provide the number of incidents attended by an officer, if possible. If this is not possible, please instead provide the total number of incidents (and please specify that this is the data you'll be providing instead).

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 some of the information requested is held by GMP.

Question 1 and 2

Caveats:

- This data contains incidents with a created date between 01/01/2019 and 31/12/2023, excluding incidents with a closing code of L10 Duplicate, L19 Error or L22 Test or training.
- The below table shows the total number of incidents per year, the proportion of those incidents where one or both of the above qualifiers were appended, the proportion of those incidents with one to both of the above qualifiers where our systems show that an officer arrived on scene. It is essential that the applicant is made aware of the GMP graded response and that not all incidents will have been graded for attendance.
- Please be aware that attendance is only routinely recorded for the G1 and G2 incidents, all other grades we are not routinely recording attendance, as we still need to answer the FOI we are advising of this caveat to explain any omissions, which may or may not have been attended.

Year	Number of overall incidents per year	Number of Incidents with a MH Qualifiers	Number of Incidents with MH qualifiers that were attended
2019	846,303	5,103	4,170
2020	795,965	13,976	11,287
2021	796,664	16,765	13,281
2022	848,867	16,856	12,765
2023	1,017,285	14,899	11,866

Question 3

No information held. Incidents do not have outcomes.