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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/26/017066/N

I write in connection with your request for information dated 15/06/2026, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

1. *How many officers failed their fitness test in the past year (June 2025-May 2026)?*
2. *Please detail support offered to officers who fail fitness tests? Are weight-loss jabs like Wegovy, Mounjaro, Ozempic etc used?*

Result of Searches

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

1. Two. If an officer fails their JRFT at the start of their Public and Personal Safety training then they are allowed to run again to try and pass. We do not record the number of officers who fail the first attempt and pass the second.
2. Officers who fail the JRFT are given support and advice by the PPST trainers to see how best they can assist. The PPST officers offer practice sessions for the officers and private sessions for those officers who struggle running in front of others. Weight loss medication is not offered.