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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Request ID: FOI432817975

Thank you for your request for information relating to domestic abuse and sexual violence services.

You have requested the following information:

1. Between 2020-2021, what were the number of child victims of sexual abuse / number of child victims of domestic abuse/ number of young people in abusive intimate relationships?

We confirm that we do not hold this information and are advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. This information is not recorded.

2. Between 2020-2021, what was your overall budget for providing domestic abuse and sexual violence services?

The overall budget was £1.376m.

a. What proportion of that total spend was dedicated to supporting children and young people including those in abusive intimate relationships?

We are unable to answer this question. The Council commissions integrated specialist services to support victims and families within the community. It is therefore not possible to separate the service expenditure on specific service users or roles.

b. Can you provide data which is disaggregated across protected characteristics?

Yes, we hold some disaggregated service data.

c. What proportion of the total budget was spent on child advocates i.e., CHIDVA, CHISVA, YPVA?

Please refer to the answer provided for Question 2a above.

3. Can you demonstrate having a commissioning strategy which meets the needs of children and young people who have suffered domestic and sexual abuse in collaboration with other commissioners of similar funds within your locality?

We have a combined Domestic Abuse/Sexual Assault and Abuse Local Partnership Board that brings together all the relevant commissioning bodies within Coventry.

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Yours faithfully

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