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Dear

Gloucestershire Constabulary Freedom of Information request FOI_25_0942

On 24/09/2025 you sent an email constituting a request under the Freedom of Information Act asking the following:

As you will be aware, Domestic Homicide Reviews (DHRs) are a statutory requirement under Section 9 of the Domestic Violence, Crime and Victims Act 2004 (as amended by the Police and Justice Act 2006). Each review must capture structured information regarding risk assessments, referrals, and inter-agency processes.

Please provide the following information in respect of all DHRs (or equivalent Domestic Abuse Related Death Reviews) concerning victims who died in your force area between January 1, 2018, and August 1, 2025 which were referred for a DHR review.

1. A list of each domestic homicide by year referred for a DHR review.
2. For each case, state whether a full DHR was carried out and proceeded to publication. For more recent cases, please indicate if the review process is still ongoing.
3. For each case, the total number of DASH assessments conducted in relation to the deceased prior to their death.
4. For each case, the scoring of all DASH assessments in chronological order, showing the risk grading recorded in each assessment (e.g. "standard, standard, medium, high"). No dates or times are required.
5. For each case, the total number of times the deceased was discussed at a Multi-Agency Risk Assessment Conference (MARAC) prior to their death, if at all.

It is critical that this data is linked case by case, so that for each death it is clear whether a DHR was carried out, how many DASH assessments were undertaken, what risk levels were recorded, and whether the victim was discussed at MARAC.

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 s1, I can confirm that Gloucestershire Constabulary holds some relevant information.

Year	Full DARDR Y/N	Status	Known to MARAC as a victim prior to death Y/N	Police DASH's completed with deceased (Highlighted within the scope of the DARDR/review) Note: there may be records for police DASH completed outside of the timescales set in the review TOR. There may also be DASHs completed for the partner of the deceased in some cases.
2018	Y	Published	N	No police DASHs for deceased recorded within DARDR.
2018	Y	Published	N	DHR highlighted: 1x assessment prior to DASH 1xMed
2019	Y	Published	Y	DHR highlighted: 5x risk not noted in DHR notes 2x High 1x standard
	Y	Published	N	No police DASHs for deceased recorded within DARDR.
2020	Y	Published	Y	DARDR highlighted: 3x standard 4x medium 1x high
	Y	Published	N	DARDR highlighted: 4x Standard 1x medium
	Y	Published	Y	DARDR highlighted: 2xHigh
	N (Rapid review conducted with HO permission. Death occurred in 2020, but was only highlighted following a suicide audit in 2025'	With HO	Y	Rapid review highlighted 2x High risk DASH 1x Med 1xStan Other assessments were noted prior to the DASH coming in to effect.

	N (Rapid review conducted with HO permission. Death occurred in 2020, but was only highlighted following a suicide audit in 2025'	With HO	Y	Rapid review highlighted 1x High
2021	Y	Ongoing (delayed due to further investigation)	N	Ongoing review has highlighted: 1x Standard
	Y	Published	Y	DARDR highlighted: 4x standard 4x Medium 5x High
	Y	Published	N	DARDR highlighted: 1x Med
2022	Y	Published	N	DHR highlighted: 1x standard
	Y	Published	N	DHR highlighted: 1x DASH: risk level not included in report
2023	Y	Ongoing (delayed for a variety of reasons)	N	Not known to Glos Police prior to death.
	Y	HO QA just received.	N	No DASH completed with victim. Only known to police from 3 rd party report.
	Y	Published	N	DARDR highlighted: 2x standard
	Y	Ongoing (delayed for a variety of reasons)	Y	DARDR highlighted: 1x Medium 1x high
2024	Y	With HO	N	DARDR highlighted: 1x standard
	Y	Ongoing (delayed due to investigation)	N	DA not known to police prior to death

	Y	Published	Y	DARDR highlighted: 4x High 3x medium 1x standard
	Y	Ongoing (delayed due to investigation)	N	Not known to Glos Police prior to death.
	Y	Ongoing (delayed due to investigation)	Y	DARDR highlighted: 1x High
	Not yet decided	Initial decision by CSP was not to commission a review. New information from family is being considered.	N	DA not known to police prior to death
2025	Y	Review being finalised for CSP sign off	Y	DARDR highlighted: 1xMed (escalated to high)
	Y	Ongoing	Y	DARDR highlighted: 6xHigh 3x Medium 1x Standard
	Y	Review being finalised for CSP sign off	Y	DARDR highlighted: 1xMedium
	Y	Ongoing (delayed due to investigation)	Y	Information available at this stage indicates victim was assessed at high risk. Do not currently have the full details of each DASH completed.
	N	Decision by CSP that case did not meet criteria. Agreed by Home Office	N	Deceased not known to police as victim of DA

If you are not satisfied with this response or any actions taken in dealing with your request, you have the right to ask that we review your case under our internal procedure. Please note that a request for an internal review must be made within 20 working days of the response to your original request.

If you decide to request that such a review is undertaken and following this process you are still unsatisfied, you then have the right to direct your complaint to the Information Commissioner for consideration.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted via the following means:

Website - <https://ico.org.uk/>

Call their helpline - 0303 123 1113

Email - casework@ico.org.uk

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Yours sincerely,

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