



**HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE**

Response Date:01/02/2024

2024/093 - Murder and attempted Murder

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

For the offences of MURDER and ATTEMPTED Murder, please state over each of the last five years, in the year to September, the following:

The number AND % of reported MURDERS and ATTEMPTED MURDERS which resulted in:

- Charged/Summonses
- Taken into consideration

Out-of-court (formal)

- Caution - youths.
- Caution - adults
- Penalty notices for disorder

- Out of court (informal)

- Cannabis/Khat warning
- Community resolution

Prosecution prevented or not in the public interest

- Offender died
- Not in public interest (CPS)
- Not in public interest (police)
- Prosecution prevented - suspect under age
- Prosecution prevent - suspect too ill
- Prosecution time limit expired

Evidential difficulties (suspect identified; victim supports action)

Evidential difficulties (victim does not support action)

Evidential difficulties: suspect not identified; victim does not support further action.

Evidential difficulties: Suspect identified; victim does not support further action

Investigation complete - no suspect identified

Action undertaken by another body/agency

Further investigation to support formal action not in the public interest.

Diversionary, educational or intervention activity, resulting from the crime report, has been undertaken and it is not in the public interest to take any further action.

Total offences assigned an outcome

Offences not assigned an outcome

Total offences.

Murder + Attempted Murder	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
01A. Alternate Offence Charged / Summoned / Postal Requisition	0	0	6	4	1
01. Charged / Summoned / Postal Requisition	4	2	6	3	2
14. Victim Declines / Unable to Support Action to Identify Offender	1	0	0	0	0
15. CPS Named Suspect, Victim Supports but Evidential Difficulties	1	0	1	1	0
15. Police Named Suspect, Victim Supports but Evidential Difficulties	0	1	0	2	0
16. Victim Declines / Withdraws Support - Named Suspect Identified	0	0	1	0	0
Outcome Not Yet Assigned	0	1	2	2	7
Total	6	4	16	12	10

Murder	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
01. Charged / Summoned / Postal Requisition	2	2	6	3	0
15. CPS Named Suspect, Victim Supports but Evidential Difficulties	0	0	1	0	0
15. Police Named Suspect, Victim Supports but Evidential Difficulties	0	0	0	1	0
Outcome Not Yet Assigned	0	1	1	1	4
Total	2	3	8	5	4

Attempted Murder	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
01A. Alternate Offence Charged / Summoned / Postal Requisition	0	0	6	4	1
01. Charged / Summoned / Postal Requisition	2	0	0	0	2
14. Victim Declines / Unable to Support Action to Identify Offender	1	0	0	0	0
15. CPS Named Suspect, Victim Supports but Evidential Difficulties	1	0	0	1	0
15. Police Named Suspect, Victim Supports but Evidential Difficulties	0	1	0	1	0
16. Victim Declines / Withdraws Support - Named Suspect Identified	0	0	1	0	0
Outcome Not Yet Assigned	0	0	1	1	3

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 29/01/2024