



HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE

Response Date:11/03/2025

2025/217 - violent and sexual offences

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

I would like to know the breakdown of the violent and sexual offences in W01000016 (Holyhead Town) for 23/24 as follows.

1: No of sexual offences

2: Severity/type of sexual offences

3: Arrest rate and conviction for both the violent and sexual offences.

Violence Against the Person

Fiscal Year	Occ. Ward Name	Occ Count	Occ Count + Arrested Nominal
2023	Holyhead Town	114	25
2024	Holyhead Town	33	3

	2023	2024
01A. Alternate Offence Charged / Summoned / Postal Requisition	7	1
01. Charged / Summoned / Postal Requisition	6	3
08. Community Resolution / Youth Restorative Disposal	4	1
14. Victim Declines / Unable to Support Action to Identify Offender	16	1
15. CPS Named Suspect, Victim Supports but Evidential Difficulties	3	0
15. Police Named Suspect, Victim Supports but Evidential Difficulties	23	5
16. Victim Declines / Withdraws Support - Named Suspect Identified	40	10
18. Investigation Complete No Suspect Identified	13	7
20. Other Body / Agency has Investigation Primacy	1	0
22. Checkpoint	0	1
Outcome Not Yet Assigned	1	4
Total	114	33

Sexual Offences

Fiscal Year	Occ. Ward Name	Occ Count	Occ Count + Arrested Nominal
2023	Holyhead Town	7	4
2024	Holyhead Town	2	1

	2023	2024
01. Charged / Summoned / Postal Requisition	1	0
12. Named Suspect Too Ill To Prosecute	1	0
14. Victim Declines / Unable to Support Action to Identify Offender	1	0
15. CPS Named Suspect, Victim Supports but Evidential Difficulties	1	0
16. Victim Declines / Withdraws Support - Named Suspect Identified	0	1
18. Investigation Complete No Suspect Identified	1	1
20. Other Body / Agency has Investigation Primacy	1	0
Outcome Not Yet Assigned	1	0
Total	7	2

Calendar Year	Offence Category Desc	Occ Count
2023	Rape Of A Female Aged 16 And Over	1
2023	Sexual Activity Involving A Child Under 16	1
2023	Sexual Assault On A Female Aged 13 And Over	4
2023	Sexual Assault On A Male Child Under 13	1
2024	Exposure and Voyeurism	1
2024	Sexual Assault On A Male Aged 13 And Over	1

In relation to violent and sexual offences committed in W01000016 (Holyhead Town) for 23/24 - How are North Wales Police responding to hopefully reduce the figures for 2025.

With both violent crime and sexual offences, we take both a proactive and reactive approach. Both supported using analytics to better understand the demands and forward plan our deployment of resources. The proactive approach allows us to be visible in key areas at times where we can predict the potential for offences being committed and prevent them. We identify priority offenders and take a holistic approach to dealing with them with support of partner agencies to maximise potential for intervention.

When reacting to offences that have been committed, we will prioritise the support for victims and maximise the potential for appropriate outcomes against offenders using a range of options, with a long-term view of preventing further offences being committed by the same individuals. We work closely with internal specialist departments and external partners to educate and support victims as well as providing diversionary opportunities for offenders.

There are a wide range of violent crimes, each of which requires a different approach and support from different departments and partner agencies, ranging from nighttime economy related violence to domestic violence. We regularly meet internally and externally to discuss options and workstreams in all crime type areas including violent and sexual offences.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 10/03/2025