



Response Date:11/04/2025

2025/364 - County Lines

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

I am looking to find out the number of children (aged 17 and under) and young people (aged 18-24) who were involved in County Lines in the North Wales Police force area in 2024 (01/01/2024-31/12/2024), and if possible also 2023 (01/01/2023-31/12/2023). I am not asking for any personally identifiable information – just the raw numbers.

Children (aged 17 and under)

Year	victim	suspect	other	Total
2023	27	5	10	42
2024	25	3	1	29

Young people (aged 18-24)

Year	victim	suspect	other	Total
2023	4	40	2	46
2024	2	41	5	48

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 10/04/2025