



HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE

Response Date:07/05/2025

2025/510 - Use of force

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

For each of the below two examples of uses of force you said your officers engaged in over the requested period in the last request, could you please tell me:

- the offence the suspect was arrested in relation to (please tell me if they were not)
- please tell me what the ground of suspicion for a search was,
- whether or not the person was charged with the crime they were arrested in relation to (or another crime they were not arrested in relation to)

1) JAMMED HIS LEG IN THE DOOR FRAME AND WOULD NOT LISTEN TO REQUESTS TO MOVE, SO HAD TO PULL MALE OUT OF THE CAR TO THE FLOOR

2) 3 X PUNCHES TO SUBJECT'S LEFT SHOULDER

Month	Type	Type details	Reason for Arrest	Search/Reason for Use of Force	Status
January	Other/improvised	JAMMED HIS LEG IN THE DOOR FRAME AND WOULD NOT LISTEN TO REQUESTS TO MOVE, SO HAD TO PULL MALE OUT OF THE CAR TO THE FLOOR	Common Assault	No search. Reason for use of force - prevent escape, prevent harm, prevent offence, protect other officers, protect self	NFA
January	Other/improvised	3 X PUNCHES TO SUBJECT'S LEFT SHOULDER	Burglary Dwelling	No search. Reason for use of force - effect arrest, prevent escape, prevent harm, prevent offence, protect other officers	Ongoing

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