



HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE

Response Date:11/09/2026

2026/884 - Coercive control arrests and domestic abuse markers

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

My request relates to the following offence:

TEW	Violence against the person	8.21 Engage in controlling / coercive behaviour in an intimate / family relationship	00867
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(1)

How many women were arrested for the specific offence in the time period 30 June 2024 up to 30 June 2026?

(2)

How many of the arrested women were flagged with a domestic violence marker associated with their current or former partner, where their current or former partner was the perpetrator of domestic violence?

HO Code	Reason Description
008/67	Engage in controlling / coercive behaviour in an intimate / family relationship (recordable)

No available Domestic Abuse (DA) flags distinguish by relationship type. Below are counts of women arrested in the period for the offences requested and secondly the number linked to DA occurrences with partner/ex-partners recorded in the offender/victim relationship type.

Women Arrested June 2024 to June 2026	Women linked to DA occurrences as aggrieved and offender/victim relationship type = partner/ex-partner
41	32

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 07/09/2026

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