



**HEDDLU**  
**GOGLEDD CYMRU**  
**NORTH WALES**  
**POLICE**

Response Date:16/06/2025

**2025/634 - Risk Assessment in domestic abuse**

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

- 1. Is it a standard provision or requirement in contracts with third-party providers of relevant services (e.g. domestic abuse services, victim support), for them to use the DASH risk assessment checklist as part of their service?**  
Yes
- 2. Is it a standard provision or requirement in contracts with third-party providers of relevant services, for them to use the DARA risk assessment checklist?**  
No
- 3. Please provide any other information that may provide helpful context**  
Not applicable
- 4. Is it standard practice for your frontline staff to use the DASH checklist**  
Yes
- 5. Is it standard practice for your frontline staff to use the DARA checklist**  
No, however the force is preparing to move to replacing DASH with DARA.

**If the answer to any of the above is more complicated than a "yes/no", please provide a short explanation.**

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST  
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 16/06/2025

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