

Interim Vulnerable Persons' Database - Extract

Table 1.

Incident Nominals recorded on iVPD with a Drug Consumption Marker broken by Gender¹

Period: 1st January 2018 - 30th September 2021

Nominal Gender	2018	2019	2020	2021
Male	4418	5455	6284	5297
Female	4108	4716	5311	4174
Indeterminate	2	6	14	12
Not known/Specified	7	5	6	7
Total	8535	10182	11615	9490

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Table 2.

Incident Nominals recorded on iVPD with a Drug Consumption Marker broken by Age¹

Period: 1st January 2018 - 30th September 2021

Age group	2018	2019	2020	2021
Under 16	9	21	19	7
16 - 19	796	877	925	702
20 - 29	2394	2876	3240	2619
30 - 39	2802	3177	3666	3000
40 - 49	1699	2104	2489	2075
50 - 59	672	930	1020	863
60 and above	161	193	253	220
Age Unknown	2	4	3	4
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Table 3.

Incident Nominals recorded on iVPD with a Drug Consumption Marker broken by Referral Type^{1,2}

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Referral Type	2018	2019	2020	2021
Educational Establishment	7	16	26	24
EEl Process	0	0	0	1
Formal Warning	0	0	0	1
Health	612	852	948	936
Housing Services	1	1	1	0
Other	189	242	346	431
SPR2 to PF	15	4	5	6
Social Work (Adult Concern)	4637	5982	6415	5696
Social Work (Child Concern)	172	178	207	131
Social Work (Domestic Abuse Concern)	186	150	207	161
Social Work (Youth Offending)	1	0	1	0
Total	5820	7425	8156	7387

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2. Not all nominals have a referral type recorded so the total number of referral types will not match the total number of incident nominals