



### Freedom of Information Request FOI 23 171

Call outs you received to move Bariatric or obese people from their homes or to rescue them during the following calendar years: 2023, 2022, 2021, 2020, 2019

#### Query and Response:

*I understand that in April 2012 a new category relating to obese people was created for your incident reporting systems.*

*Could you please tell me how many call outs you received to move Bariatric or obese people from their homes or to rescue them during the following calendar years: 2023, 2022, 2021, 2020, 2019?*

*Would it be possible to reveal whether you were called to assist the ambulance service or the police, or whether you received a call directly from the person's home?*

*Would you be able to list the gender of the people you moved?*

*Where possible – could you please reveal the age of the youngest and oldest person that you would called to assist?*

Please see below our response to your questions:

#### Q1 and Q2

| By Call Source | Total | Ambulance | Person (land line) | Person (mobile) | Police |
|----------------|-------|-----------|--------------------|-----------------|--------|
| Total          | 222   | 215       | 1                  | 5               | 1      |
| 2019           | 37    | 36        | 1                  | 0               | 0      |
| 2020           | 40    | 39        | 0                  | 1               | 0      |
| 2021           | 43    | 42        | 0                  | 1               | 0      |
| 2022           | 53    | 51        | 0                  | 2               | 0      |
| 2023           | 49    | 47        | 0                  | 1               | 1      |

#### Q3

| By Gender | Total | Female | Male | Not Recorded | Not specified |
|-----------|-------|--------|------|--------------|---------------|
| Total     | 222   | 71     | 76   | 74           | 1             |
| 2019      | 37    | 12     | 14   | 10           | 1             |
| 2020      | 40    | 10     | 11   | 19           | 0             |
| 2021      | 43    | 16     | 11   | 16           | 0             |
| 2022      | 53    | 16     | 26   | 11           | 0             |
| 2023      | 49    | 17     | 14   | 18           | 0             |

#### Q4

The youngest person we assisted was 17 and the oldest 87.

Information/Detail accurate on the date provided: 12, January 2024