



Freedom of Information Request FOI 25 23

Bariatric assistance call outs in Swindon in the last five years

Query and Response :

Please may you provide me with the number of cases where the station has been called out for Bariatric Assistance in Swindon in the last five years.

Could the data please be provided in year-by-year figures for the last five years with details on each case as well please.

Please see the attached spreadsheet for the information requested.

Please note the following in relation to the spreadsheet:

- 1. For the purpose of this FOI Swindon has been defined by the areas covered by Swindon Borough Council**
- 1. Details of the casualties and the need for assistance have been withheld because we are of the opinion that the following exemption applies:
Section 40**

We are applying the exemption afforded by section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which provides that a request for information is exempt from disclosure if the information requested constitutes personal data about a third party. In particular we choose to rely upon section 40(3A), which provides an absolute exemption if disclosure of the personal data would contravene any of the data protection principles as defined in the Data Protection Act 2018. We feel that to release further details of each call, such as location, ages, genders, the need for assistance or any medical related information would not be in the reasonable expectations of the data subjects and therefore it would be unfair and contrary to the first data protection principle.

Information/Detail accurate on the date provided: 28, March 2025