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**Freedom of Information Request Reference N<sup>o</sup>: FOI 004568/17**

I write in connection with your request for information received by the Norfolk Constabulary on the 11<sup>th</sup> April 2017 in which you sought access to the following information:

In the last financial year (15-16) how many cases of domestic violence did you investigate where the victim was an adult and the alleged attacker was a juvenile? Please provide an age breakdown of these juveniles who were investigated and a breakdown by gender.

How many juveniles were (i) cautioned and (ii) charged with domestic abuse in the last financial year? Please provide a table showing the numbers charged for each type of specific offence.

Norfolk Constabulary holds information relevant to your request.

**Response to your Request**

Norfolk Constabulary has located the following information as relevant to your request.

Research has been undertaken of recorded crimes that have a domestic indicator. The recorded dates of birth have been used to determine the ages of the suspects/offenders and victims at the time of the offence.

Victims aged 18 or over.

Suspect Age	Female	Male	Not Recorded	Total
Not stated*	1			1
6		1		1
10		1		1
11	4	1		5
12	1	1		2
13	2	3		5
14	1	4	1	6
15	5	7		12
16	16	71	1	88
17	25	68		93
Total	55	157	2	214

\*from the crime details recorded it is not possible to determine the age of the suspect.

Please see below outcomes:-

Outcome	Number
01. Charged/Summons	13
02. Caution – Youths	16
03. Caution – Adults	4
Type 1 - Charged/Summoned/Postal Requisition	17
Type 1A - Charged/Summons - alternate offence. Offender has been charged under the alternate offence rule	1
Type 2 - Caution Youth	13
Type 2A - Caution Youth - alternate offence. Offender is a juvenile and has been given a youth caution under the alternate offences rule	1
Type 3 - Caution Adult	2
Total	67

Offences:-

Offence / Outcome	Number
01. Charged/Summons	
Assault Occasioning Actual Bodily Harm	2
Burglary Dwelling	1
Common Assault & Battery	4
Fear Or Provocation Of Violence	1
Other Criminal Damage	3
Other Criminal Damage to A Dwelling	1
Other Criminal Damage To A Vehicle	1
02. Caution - Youths	
Assault Occasioning Actual Bodily Harm	2
Common Assault & Battery	9
Other Criminal Damage	2
Other Criminal Damage to A Dwelling	3
03. Caution - Adults	
Assault Occasioning Actual Bodily Harm	2
Other Criminal Damage to A Dwelling	2
Type 1 - Charged/Summoned/Postal Requisition	
Assault occasioning actual bodily harm (ABH)	4
Assault without Injury - Common assault and battery	6
Breach of a restraining order	1
Other criminal damage to a dwelling (Under £5,000)	1
Other criminal damage to a vehicle (Under £5,000)	1
Theft in a dwelling other than from automatic machine or meter	3
Unauthorised taking of a motor vehicle (does not include 'driving or being carried knowing motor vehicle has been taken')	1
Type 1A - Charged/Summons - alternate offence. Offender has been charged under the alternate offence rule	
Threats to kill	1

Type 2 - Caution Youth	
Affray	2
Assault occasioning actual bodily harm (ABH)	2
Assault without Injury - Common assault and battery	4
Other criminal damage to a dwelling (Under £5,000)	4
Other criminal damage to a vehicle (Under £5,000)	1
Type 2A - Caution Youth - alternate offence. Offender is a juvenile and has been given a youth caution under the alternate offences rule	
Assault without Injury - Common assault and battery	1
Type 3 - Caution Adult	
Assault occasioning actual bodily harm (ABH)	1
Other criminal damage to a dwelling (Under £5,000)	1