

## Wigan<sup>♡</sup> Council

## REQUEST 18170

## RESPONSE

I am writing to request the following under the Freedom of Information Act, regarding use of and provision for the DASH checklist, aka Domestic Abuse, Stalking and Honour Based Violence

- 1. Is the DASH RIC used by your organisation as part of services (e.g. domestic abuse provision, victim support)?
- 2. Is the use of DASH RIC a standard provision or a requirement in contracts with third-party providers of relevant services (e.g. domestic abuse services, sheltered housing)?
- If the DASH checklist is used by your organisation, which organisation or organisations provide the training that includes DASH training? (e.g. Domestic Abuse Matters training)
- 4. What is the cost to your organisation of such training? Please break this down by financial year over the last five years, as well as by organisation (if more than one organisation provides the relevant training)

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

The DASH RIC is the assessment tool used across our co-ordinated community response model to DA.

It is a standard provision and a requirement of all related contracts such as our community-based services.

Our community-based support service is commissioned to provide all the training on DA including DASH RIC assessments.

We are unable to subtract the training element on DASH RIC's from the total contract funding. The training activity is built into the overall cost of the entire contract.