



**REQUEST 18458**

1. How many ex-convicts have wigan council housed in the last 5 years (Including 2025 to date), please break this down year on year

**RESPONSE**

Information is collected when a customer applies to join the housing register, however we don't record whether a person is an ex-convict on their housing application.

We ask the following question;  
Have you or anyone to be rehoused with you ever caused anti-social behaviour in the community or been convicted of a criminal offence? (You do not need to include any convictions spent under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974)

The number of rehoused applicants that have answered yes to this question include;

01/09/2020 – 31/08/2021 – 103  
01/09/2021 – 31/08/2022 – 93  
01/09/2022 – 31/08/2023 – 57  
01/09/2023 – 31/08/2024 – 57  
01/09/2024 – 31/08/2025 – 45

- 1.1 What is the total estimated cost to the council of housing the total number of ex-convicts in the wigan borough. Please include year on year data (including 2025 year to date)
2. Could you please provide a list of the most to least common crimes that the ex-convicts were convicted for. This can be listed 1 through 10. the first being the most popular. number ten being the tenth most common.
- 2.1 It would be greatly appreciated if you could supply the amount of said housed convicts that committed each type of offence. I.E 'Domestic abuse offences - 204'

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