

Freedom of Information Publication Scheme



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REQUEST TITLE:	Out of Court Disposals (OFCD's)
DATE RANGE:	2015 - 2020
INFORMATION REQUESTED:	1. From April 2020 which of the following out of court disposals will your force be using for adults? a. community resolution b. simple caution c. conditional caution d. deferred prosecution e. PND f. other – please specify 2. Looking at your data for the past five years (calendar years 2015-2019) can you provide figures for the number of disposals issued/initiated to adults by your force for each of the following? a. community resolution b. simple caution c. conditional caution d. deferred prosecution e. PND f. any other out of court disposal g. charged/summonsed

DISCLOSURE WITH EXEMPTIONS:	FULL DISCLOSURE
INFORMATION CORRECT AS AT:	06.03.20
DATE OF DISCLOSURE:	10.03.20
RELATED DOCUMENTS:	

FOI 14234 RESPONSE

Having completed enquiries within Essex Police and in respect of Section 1(1)(a), Essex Police does hold information relating to your request. Under Section 1(1)(b) the below has been provided in relation to your FOI.

1. From April 2020 which of the following out of court disposals will your force be using for adults?

We only use Conditional Cautions, Community Resolutions. For Domestic Abuse and Hate Crime only with give a Simple Caution unless CPS have advised otherwise.

2. Looking at your data for the past five years (calendar years 2015-2019) can you provide figures for the number of disposals issued/initiated to adults by your force for each of the following?

[Please see data.](#)

Every effort is made to ensure that the data provided by Essex Police is accurate and complete. However, Essex Police systems are designed primarily for the management of individual cases and not for the purposes of providing data to answer specific FOI enquiries. Please note although data can be extracted from a number of sources via database queries the results may be subject to inaccuracies. Care should be taken to understand our return when considering the interpretation or further use of the data.

Thank you for your interest in Essex Police.