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Heddlu Police

DYFED-POWYS

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Request:

1) How many drink spiking cases have been recorded in the last three years?

Response:

I can confirm that Dyfed-Powys Police does hold the information requested, the details of which are as follows:

Year	No. of crimes relating to drinks being spiked
2017	15
2018	12
2019	29
Total	56

It should be noted that owing to the systems adopted by Dyfed-Powys Police in relation to the recording of such matters the information provided may or may not be accurate.

Police Forces in the United Kingdom are routinely required to provide crime statistics to government bodies and the recording criteria is set nationally. However, the systems used for recording these figures are not generic, nor are the procedures used locally in capturing the data. It should be noted that for these reasons this Force's response to your questions should not be used for comparison purposes with any other response you may receive.

(This is a response under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and disclosed on 30/03/20)