

Request Reference: 1717A/22

TABLE – Offence Titles: 'Assault with Injury - Administering poison with intent to injure or annoy', 'Administering a substance with intent to commit a sexual offence', 'Attempted - Administering a substance with intent to commit a sexual offence', 'Attempted - Assault with Injury - Administering poison with intent to injure or annoy' or 'Endangering Life - Administering poison so as to endanger life', where incident summary field also contains any of the keywords 'spike', 'spiked', 'spiking', 'needle', 'needling' or 'Op Argon*':

01 January 2021 to 30 November 2022				
Victim Age	Victim Gender			Grand Total
	Female	Male	Not Known / Not Recorded	
Under 18	12	2	1	15
18	52	11	3	66
19	45	15	4	64
20	43	11	4	58
21	20	7	2	29
22	28	6	1	35
23	12	3	1	16
24	14	5	1	20
25	16	4	1	21
26	9	5	-	14
27	5	4	-	9
28	8	3	-	11
29	11	3	-	14
30	7	3	-	10
31	3	2	1	6
32	4	2	-	6
33	7	4	1	12
34	5	3	1	9
35	3	2	1	6
36	4	1	1	6
37	6	2	-	8
38	5	3	-	8
39	2	4	-	6
40	5	4	-	9
41	2	1	-	3
42	5	1	-	6
43	1	1	-	2
44	1	-	-	1
45	-	-	1	1
46	4	1	-	5
47	3	2	-	5
48	3	2	-	5
49	1	1	-	2
50	3	2	-	5

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01 January 2021 to 30 November 2022				
Victim Age	Victim Gender			Grand Total
	Female	Male	Not Known / Not Recorded	
51	2	2	-	4
52	3	1	-	4
53	1	2	-	3
54	1	1	-	2
56	1	3	-	4
57	3	-	-	3
58	-	1	-	1
59	1	1	-	2
60	3	-	-	3
62	2	-	-	2
63	1	-	-	1
80	1	-	-	1
Not Known / Not Recorded	5	-	1	6
Grand Total	373	131	25	529

* Operation (Op) Argon refers to the West Midlands Police response to spiking by needle, injection or via drink.