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Thank you for your request asking for clarity on some of our answers to your request regarding Domestic Violence.

Your request has been considered and processed in accordance with the requirements of the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2000.

**1. How much of the e-learning and level 3 face to face learning is dedicated to domestic abuse?**

About one sixth however due to the complex nature of abuse domestic abuse is threaded through many other elements and re-enforcing that financial abuse etc. is domestic abuse if in this context

**2. For the question that asks 'Of the patients that disclosed an experience of domestic abuse, how many were referred to specialist domestic abuse services?' you have stated that you're unable to provide that information, however for the next question regarding MARAC referrals you have stated that there were 58 referrals made to the local IDVA service in 2018. Is that 58 referrals that the trust made to the IDVA service? and of those, the IDVA service identified 8 as high risk and referred on to the MARAC?**

Yes 58 referrals were made to IDVA's by HPFT and IDVA then referred 8 of these onto MARAC. We cannot however capture other specialist local and national domestic abuse services that we have referred onto.

Should you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Please find enclosed an information sheet regarding copyright protection and the Trust's complaints procedure in the event that you are not satisfied with the response.

Yours sincerely

*Sue Smith*

**Sue Smith**  
**Information Rights Officer**

Enc: Copyright Protection and Complaints Procedure Information Leaflet.

If you would like to complete a short survey in relation to your Freedom of Information request please scan the QR code below or click [here](#).

