

Our Ref: IM-FOI-2022-0035
Date: 19th January 2022



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002

I refer to your recent request for information which has been handled in accordance with the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.

For ease of reference, your request is replicated below together with the response.

Please supply a full statistical count and disclosure of any cases recorded by or reported to Police Scotland of the COVID-19 vaccinations being used to kill children by overdose or any other method in Scotland particularly by NHS trusts.

Between 1/1/2021 - 1/1/2022

I would first of all advise you that Police Scotland has a dedicated department, Homicide Governance and Review (HGR), who work in close partnership with COPFS, SPA Forensic Services and the Major Investigation Teams to review and investigate homicide investigations.

I can confirm that Police Scotland have no homicides recorded where Covid-19 vaccinations by overdose etc. was listed as a cause of death as per the criteria set out in your request.

As such, in terms of Section 17 of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002, this represents a notice that the information you seek is not held by Police Scotland.

Please note that if we were to consider your request in terms of Sudden Death Statistics, we would still be unable to provide you with a response. Police Scotland only hold information with regards to some sudden deaths – those whereby a report to the COPFS is required, and Police Scotland also do not hold records of who in Scotland has received a vaccine.

You may wish to submit a request to Public Health Scotland for statistics relating to deaths following an individual receiving the Covid-19 vaccination.

Should you require any further assistance please contact Information Management Dundee, quoting the reference number given.

If you are dissatisfied with the way in which Police Scotland has dealt with your request, you are entitled, in the first instance, to request a review of our actions and decisions. Your request must specify the matter which gives rise to your dissatisfaction and it must be submitted within 40 working days of receiving this response - either by email to foi@scotland.pnn.police.uk or by post to Information Management (Disclosure), Police Scotland, Clyde Gateway, 2 French Street, Dalmarnock, G40 4EH.

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If you remain dissatisfied following the outcome of that review, you are thereafter entitled to apply to the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner within six months for a decision. You can apply [online](#), by email to enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info or by post to Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, Fife, KY16 9DS.

Should you wish to appeal against the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner's decision, there is an appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

As part of our commitment to demonstrate openness and transparency in respect of the information we hold, an anonymised version of this response will be posted to the Police Scotland Freedom of Information [Disclosure Log](#) in seven days' time.

