

FOI 14346 OPCC use of adapted or neurodivergence-friendly practical tools and resources

## Request:

- 1. Are you using any adapted or neurodivergence-friendly practical tools/resources/assets/materials for neurodivergent individuals who are likely to come into contact with the Criminal Justice System (CJS).
- 2. Of the above, what is the intended audience for each adapted tool/resource/asset/material (e.g. directly for neurodivergent young adults (up to 25 years), directly for neurodivergent adults (25 years+), carers, parents, peers, professionals)?
- 3. Do you have separate practical tools/resources/assets/materials for victims and perpetrators?
- 4. What are these practical tools/resources/assets/materials called and are they publicly available?
- 5. How long have you been using these tools/resources/assets/materials within your service/PCC area?
- 6. If you are not using any adapted practical tools/resources/assets/materials, do you intend on implementing any in the future? If so please provide details, if you can.
- 7. Please provide copies and/or links to any available tools/resources/assets/materials that you are using.

## **Schedule of Response Information:**

The Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC), in association with Criminal Justice partners, created 'Criminal Justice and You', an interactive resource for all members of the public to help them to understand every part of the criminal justice process. We included a variety of mediums to increase accessibility for neurodivergent individuals who are likely to come into contact with the Criminal Justice System. This resource adheres to Government Communication Service Accessibility Guidelines. This resource is publicly available and has been live since March 2024. It can be accessed via the following link: Criminal justice and you - Victim Care Devon & Cornwall

The Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner also has their own website, which is available to all members of the public, including neurodivergent individuals who are likely to come into contact with the Criminal Justice System. This website adheres to Government Communication Service Accessibility Guidelines. This website is publicly available and has been live since September 2024 It can be accessed via the following link: <a href="Your voice in policing">Your voice in policing — The Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Devon, Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly</a>



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