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Your recent request for information is replicated below, together with our response.

## In the last 4 years, how many times have your police force been contacted with a report about a business offering aesthetic treatments – e.g. botox, fillers, non surgical Brazilian butt lifts?

## Please break down the data as follows:

## a. 1st January 2021 – 31st December 2021

## b. 1st January 2022 – 31st December 2022

## c. 1st January 2023 – 31st December 2023

## d. 1st January 2024 – 17th September 2024

## For each year, how many of those incidents reported injury related to treatments being offered? Please break down the data as follows:

## a. 1st January 2021 – 31st December 2021

## b. 1st January 2022 – 31st December 2022

## c. 1st January 2023 – 31st December 2023

## d. 1st January 2024 – 17th September 2024

Unfortunately, I estimate that it would cost well in excess of the current FOI cost threshold of £600 to process your request. I am therefore refusing to provide the information sought in terms of section 12(1) of the Act - Excessive Cost of Compliance.

To explain, there is no crime category that would allow us to extract this information, to provide you with the information requested would require a manual search of crimes recorded under numerous crime categories to assess for relevance to your request.

To be of assistance, the only way to extract any information would be if you refined your request by providing a list of premises you wish for us to consider.

If you require any further assistance, please contact us quoting the reference above.

You can request a review of this response within the next 40 working days by [email](mailto:foi@scotland.police.uk) or by letter (Information Management - FOI, Police Scotland, Clyde Gateway, 2 French Street, Dalmarnock, G40 4EH). Requests must include the reason for your dissatisfaction.

If you remain dissatisfied following our review response, you can appeal to the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner (OSIC) within 6 months - [online](http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal), by [email](mailto:enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info) or by letter (OSIC, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, KY16 9DS).

Following an OSIC appeal, you can appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

This response will be added to our [Disclosure Log](http://www.scotland.police.uk/access-to-information/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log) in seven days' time.

Every effort has been taken to ensure our response is as accessible as possible. If you require this response to be provided in an alternative format, please let us know.