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Task: SPRA-4907 CDC Evaluation Data **Date:** 09 August 2019
Client: s22, Manager-Data Visualisation and Modelling, Dept. of Communities
Outline: Summary of request: s22, Family Violence police attendances, s22 for Wyndham locality, Kununurra locality, selected Kalgoorlie-Boulder localities and the Kimberley Police District by quarters from 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2019.

Answer: Tables 1a, 1b and 1c: Selected offence data for Wyndham locality.
Tables 2a, 2b and 2c: Selected offence data for Kununurra locality.
Tables 3a, 3b and 3c: Selected offence data for Kalgoorlie (Selected LGAs).
Table 4: Detailed offence data for Kimberley Police District.
Tables 5a and 5b: Family violence incident attended data.

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Caveat: Data is provisional and subject to change.

Notes:

1. Figures presented are of offences, reported to or becoming known to police, between 01 July 2012 and 30 June 2019, inclusive, that have not been recorded with an outcome of 'False Report', 'No Criminal Offence', or 'Offence Substituted'. Offences reported in the above tables were not necessarily committed in the period indicated.
2. Comparisons of offence statistics prior to July 2017 with those for later periods should be made with caution due to changes to recording practices and counting rules, and the ongoing implementation of the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) Australian and New Zealand Standard Offence Classification (ANZSOC) 2011. This process includes a review of the categorisation of offences for reporting purposes, which may result in revision of statistics.
3. Figures may exclude offences recorded against Acts and/or Statutes that have only recently been made available for use in the Incident Management System (IMS), and are therefore pending incorporation in reporting processes. For example – where new or amended legislation has created an offence.
4. Figures are of offences occurring in the specified geographic units, the units are defined in the Appendix.
5. A locality can be attributed to more than one Local Government Area.

6. Family violence offence data is defined as all offences where the Family Violence flag = Y (Yes).

Prior to 01 July 2017, a family/domestic relationship is defined for the purpose of recording incidents by the WA Police Force as:

o Intimate partners, meaning two persons who are or have been in a relationship with each other which has some degree of stability and continuity. It must reasonably be supposed to have, or have had a sexual aspect to the relationship. The partners do not have to be living together on a full time continuing basis and need not ever have done so; or

o Immediate family members, meaning two persons who are related either directly, in-laws or as step family, and can involve Parent; Grandparent; One of the persons being a child who ordinarily resides, resided or regularly stays with the other person; and Guardian of an involved child.

From 01 July 2017, a family relationship is defined for the purpose of recording incidents by the WA Police Force as immediate family, and involves:

o Partner / ex-partner

o Parents

o Guardians of children

o Children who reside or regularly stay with involved parties

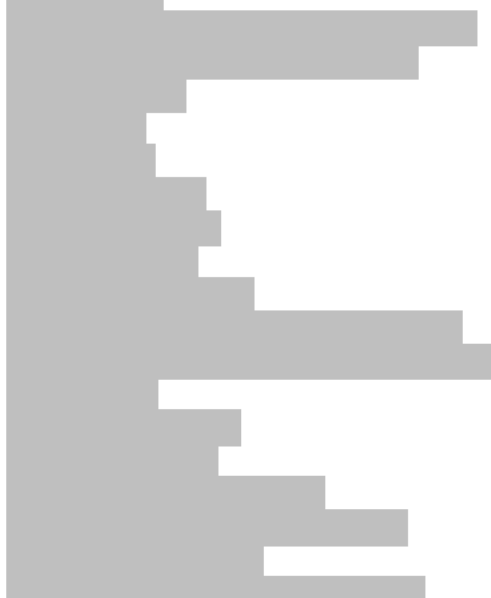
7. Incident attended data is derived from the Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) Application where the Attended flag =Y (Yes). The calculation of the Attended Flag differed between the current CAD Application and the previous CAD Application decommissioned in October 2016. This caused an apparent step change in attendance rates, especially in Regional Western Australia where operational and technological limitations made the new calculation method particularly incomplete. To rectify this, the calculation of the Attended Flag now uses a consistent logic derived from the indication that a business unit has been dispatched. The result is that attendance rates are now comparable between the two systems and the data provided in this response.

8. Family violence incident attendance data is derived from the Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) Application and is defined as "Family Violence Incidents" where Attended flag =Y (Yes) with a creation date in the required time period, and where the incident location is within the specified geographic parameters. Note that in some instances the family relationship is unknown at the time of the call, and the call might be recorded as non-family violence related. Family Violence Incidents attended by police may not necessarily be recorded in accordance with the WA Police definition of family violence.

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Sources: *Offence data extracted from IMS on 5 August 2019.*
Police attendance data extracted from the Computer Aided Despatch System on 6 August 2019.
Charge data extracted from Prosecutions Application on 09 August 2019.

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Table 1a: Selected Offences committed in Wyndham locality from 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2019, by quarter*

Offence District		Kimberley							
Offence Locality		Wyndham							
No. of Offences	Quarter	Jul-17	Oct-17	Jan-18	Apr-18	Jul-18	Oct-18	Jan-19	Apr-19
Selected Offences	s22								
Assault (Family)		20	13	23	30	40	35	32	20
Common Assault (Family)		13	8	16	22	36	25	31	14
Serious Assault (Family)		7	5	7	8	4	10	1	6
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Table 1c: Family Violence Offences committed in Wyndham locality from 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2019, by quarter*

Offence District		Kimberley							
Offence Locality		Wyndham							
No. of Offences	Quarter	Jul-17	Oct-17	Jan-18	Apr-18	Jul-18	Oct-18	Jan-19	Apr-19
Family Violence Flag	s22								
Y		58	43	47	63	71	68	55	43

Table 2a: Selected Offences committed in Kununurra locality from 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2019, by quarter*

Offence District	Kimberley								
Offence Locality	Kununurra								
No. of Offences	Quarter	Jul-17	Oct-17	Jan-18	Apr-18	Jul-18	Oct-18	Jan-19	Apr-19
Selected Offences	s22								
Assault (Family)		122	142	138	101	130	175	149	137
Common Assault (Family)		84	90	81	62	86	121	98	109
Serious Assault (Family)		38	52	57	39	44	54	51	28

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Table 2c: Family Violence Offences committed in Kununurra locality from 1 July 2014 to to 30 June 2019, by quarter*

Offence District	Kimberley								
Offence Locality	Kununurra								
No. of Offences	Quarter	Jul-17	Oct-17	Jan-18	Apr-18	Jul-18	Oct-18	Jan-19	Apr-19
Offence type	s22								
y		207	257	261	204	247	269	286	258

Table 3a : Selected Offences committed in Local Government Areas; Coolgardie, Kalgoorlie-Boulder, Laverton, Leonora, and Menzies from 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2019, by quarter*

LGA		(Multiple Items)							
No. of Offences	Quarter	Jul-17	Oct-17	Jan-18	Apr-18	Jul-18	Oct-18	Jan-19	Apr-19
Selected Offences	s22								
Assault (Family)		139	176	240	145	113	183	201	145
Common Assault (Family)		95	136	190	95	93	137	152	107
Serious Assault (Family)		44	40	50	50	20	46	49	38

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Table 3c: Family Violence Offences committed in Local Government Areas; Coolgardie, Kalgoorlie-Boulder, Laverton, Leonora, and Menzies from 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2019, by quarter*

LGA		(Multiple Items)							
No. of Offences	Quarter	Jul-17	Oct-17	Jan-18	Apr-18	Jul-18	Oct-18	Jan-19	Apr-19
Row Labels	s22								
Y		341	338	442	338	239	344	413	270

* Note: Quarter name is based on the commencing month.

Table 5a : Family Violence incidents attended in the Kununurra and Wyndham localities from 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2019, by quarter*

Incidents attended	Quarters	Jul-17	Oct-17	Jan-18	Apr-18	Jul-18	Oct-18	Jan-19	Apr-19
		KUNUNURRA	346	377	345	287	348	407	383
WYNDHAM		72	60	56	87	81	65	69	68

Table 5b: Family Violence incidents attended in selected Local Government Area's from 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2019, by quarter*

Incidents attended	Quarter	Jul-17	Oct-17	Jan-18	Apr-18	Jul-18	Oct-18	Jan-19	Apr-19
		LGA	26	31	34	27	41	26	18
Coolgardie		342	409	550	379	329	408	453	313
Kalgoorlie-Boulder		39	40	36	35	14	32	38	23
Laverton		34	36	32	27	18	25	19	17
Leonora		1	2	3					
Menzies		442	518	655	468	402	491	528	378
Grand Total									

* Note: Quarter name is based on the commencing month.



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