

East Lothian Council

FOI Ref: 2018/499311

I am looking for requests to remove syringes that have been found discarded in public places. This FOI request does not include any sharps removal contracts the council may have with organisations or individuals.

- *How many requests to remove Syringes has your council received.*
- *How many Syringes have been removed by your council.*
- *Please can I have this information broken down by year for the past 3 years.*

I would like to clarify what information I am asking for. I am looking for requests to remove syringes that have been found discarded in public places. This FOI request does not include any sharps removal contracts the council may have with organisations or individuals.

East Lothian Council has had 33 reported incidents. This cannot, however, be broken down by requests to remove syringes or syringes found by staff while carrying out their duties.

2015	1
2016	22
2017	6
2018 to date	4