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## FOI Response

### Information provided under the Freedom of Information Act

Freedom of Information Request	
<b>FOI Reference:</b> FOI/OPCC/24-003	
<b>Date of Request:</b> 25/01/2024	<b>Date of Response:</b> 12/02/2024
<b>Information Requested:</b>	
1.	<p><b>Question:</b></p> <p>I would like to make an FOIA request to identify whether your current Cambridge Victims Service (which i believe to be named "Victim &amp; Witness Hub") is in-house or not? If it is in-house please may you provide me with how long the service has been this way. If it is commissioned please can you inform me of the incumbent provider.</p>
	<p><b>OPCC Response:</b></p> <p>Cambridgeshire was the first area in the country to decommission 'Victim Support' and develop a Constabulary-led in house model of support services in 2014. This service was recently subject to a thorough and independent review.</p> <p>This service now offers more than support for victims and provides a report to court support service. The Constabulary's Witness Care Unit was merged into the team in 2016.</p>

For more information about the work of the Hub, please see the following link:

[Victim Services | Victim and Witness Hub \(cambsvictimservices.co.uk\)](https://www.cambsvictimservices.co.uk)