Crimes that increased during the first lockdown

There were more than 6000 public health and safety offences recorded by police between April and June this year, up from about 100 over the same period in 2019.

Offence	Apr-Jun 2019	Apr-Jun 2020	Differenc
Public health and safety offences	101	6,164	6063
Drug use and possession	6,614	9,314	2700
Breaches of intervention orders	15,977	17,333	1356

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