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Discarded Needles

In each year 2021-22, including the current year to date, how many complaints have been made to the council regarding discarded needles and syringes. If the council has more specific data on where in the council area these needles were located, please provide that data as well.

Needles complaints by ward	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	Grand Total
01-Almond	1	1	2	1	3	4	12
02-Pentland Hills	7	9	2	2	3	6	29
03-Drum Brae/Gyle	2		1	2		3	8
04-Forth	7	8	13	4	5	2	39
05-Inverleith	1	4	4	1	3		13
06-Corstorphine/Murrayfield				3	1	2	6
07-Sighthill/Gorgie	7	12	17	20	19	9	84
08-Colinton/Fairmilehead		2	2		1	1	6
09-Fountainbridge/Craiglockhar	1	2	5	8	3	5	24
10-Morningside	3		2		7	2	14
11-City Centre	17	41	78	114	109	72	431
12-Leith Walk	15	23	22	33	71	33	197
13-Leith	15	14	8	37	26	25	125
14-Craightinny/Duddingston	8	6	8	19	14	3	58
15-Southside/Newington	7	6	10	15	17	14	69
16-Liberton/Gilmerton	1	1	3	3	6	1	15
17-Portobello/Craigmillar	6	5	3	6	8	3	31
No code allocated			1				1
Grand Total	98	134	181	268	296	185	1162