

## Acid attacks: F2013-111

**“I am writing to request a detailed breakdown of the files held by the Department for International Development regarding acid attacks.**

**I request that I may be informed of the names of the files with a brief synopsis of their subject matter.”**

DFID holds information relevant to your request.

We do not hold any paper files meeting the terms of your request. However, we hold three folders on our Electronic Document and Records Management (EDRM) system (“Quest”) and we have interpreted your reference to files to be equivalent to “folders” on our EDRM.

Information relating to the folders is as follows:

Folder Name	Brief Synopsis
Acid Survivors Trust International (ASTI) /Quest/03 Policies, programmes and projects/Policy work/UN, Conflict and Humanitarian Portfolio/Conflict, Humanitarian and Security/Violence against Women and Girls (VAWG)/Acid Survivors Trust International (ASTI)	This folder contains information as follows: DFID provided £127,889 between 1 November 2011 and 31 July 2012, through an Accountable Grant to Acid Survivors Trust International (ASTI) to collect and analyse data and evidence to inform the development of a project to tackle acid violence. The Business Case for this project is already in the public domain and can be found on our projects database <a href="#">here</a> .
ASTI Acid International Projet /Quest/03 Policies, programmes and projects/Manage programmes and projects/United Nations, Conflict and Humanitarian Division/Conflict, Humanitarian and Security/Non Country Programme Management/Violance Against Women and Girls (VAWG)/ASTI Acid International Projet [sic]	This folder contains information on Phase 1 of the project and the contents are similar to those above.
ASTI Support for Survivors of Acid and Burns Violence (203022) /Quest/03 Policies, programmes and projects/Manage programmes and projects/Conflict Humanitarian and Security Division/Conflict, Humanitarian and Security Department/Live programmes and projects/ASTI Support for Survivors of Acid and Burns Violence (203022)	This folder contains information on Phase 2 of the ASTI project. It is a management file and contains documents relevant to the project. This project is currently going through DFID’s project approval processes. The Business Case for the project will be published on DFID’s projects database when approved (under reference 203022).

It is also possible that DFID may hold information regarding acid attacks in other areas of Quest or elsewhere but these are the only three specific folders we hold on the system on the subject of interest to you.