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Request for Information: Ref NCC-030574-18

Number of children social services had contact with due to forced marriage in 2017.

Thank you for your request for information. I can now let you have the following information in response to the questions you raised.

- 1. How many children did the child and social services department have contact with in 2017 where the child was in the care of social services and at risk of:
- a) Child &/or forced marriage? 0
- b) honour-based violence? 0
- c) Female genital mutilation? 0
- 2. How many children did the child and social services department have contact with in 2017 where the child was at risk of
- a) Child &/or forced marriage? 4
- b) honour-based violence? 4
- c) Female genital mutilation? 6

Date ranges taken from 1/1/17 - 31/12/17. 'Contact with' is taken to mean that a Child and Family assessment was conducted, as this is when these risk factors are identified.

We hope this now satisfies your request, and should you have any further enquiries please do not hesitate to contact me directly using the contact details below. In addition and for future reference Nottinghamshire County Council regularly publish previous Freedom of Information Requests and answers on our website, under Disclosure logs, available at the following link:

http://site.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/thecouncil/democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/

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Yours sincerely

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