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Request for Information: Ref NCC-043170-19

Qualified social workers

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

1.How many qualified social workers at Nottingham County Council have completed the social work National Assessment and Accreditation System as of 31/1/2020? 13 by 31/01/20, with 4 more undertaking it in February, and 13 more booked in for March

2.What percentage of the social work workforce has the DfE set for your authority to have completed accreditation and by what date? 20-30% - Phase 2 ran from Summer 2019 through to Spring 2020

3.Has your authority provided any financial incentive to encourage social workers to volunteer for accreditation and if so how much? NO

4.If your authority has provided a financial incentive from what budget has this been funded? NO

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, [click here](#) to see the Disclosure logs.

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to the

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Yours sincerely

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