

NCC-048156-20 Safeguarding - looked after children

Dear Requester,

Further to your request for information please see attached.

We are unable to provide details pertaining to the safeguarding element of the request as this would require checking over 300 records at a minimum of 15-20 mins per record which would exceed the appropriate limit under s.12 of the Freedom of information Act and so we are applying this exemption at this time. You may wish to consider amending the request or reducing the size or type of information you require and we will look at this again for you.

We trust this now resolves your enquiry. Where we have not been able to provide details we expect that this information is not held by Nottinghamshire county Council at this time.

We suggest all requesters search under our publication scheme in advance of requesting information under the freedom of information act.

Nottinghamshire County Council regularly publishes previous FOIR, s and answers on its website, under Disclosure logs. (see link) <http://site.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/thecouncil/democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/>

You can use the search facility using keywords. i.e. care / home etc.

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 Team Manager, Complaints and Information Team, County Hall, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7QP or email complaints@nottsc.gov.uk .

Kind Regards
Complaints and Information Team
Nottinghamshire County Council
County Hall

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

Subject: Looked After Children and Safeguarding

Date Sent: 15.12.2020

Between the 6th January 2019 and 9th December 2020 (703 days)

How many looked after children Under 18 who you have placed in unregulated and/or unregistered accommodation for any time period anywhere in the United Kingdom, have you received a safeguarding concern about during the time frame above?

Please provide the following information in a redacted format where necessary, the type of safeguarding concern as defined by the list in the guidance notes (below)

Please provide age sex and gender and ethnicity of each person. If it would help to protect identity I would be happy to receive the information in a manner that is blind to the ethnicity the child

Guidance Notes

For the purpose of this FOI a safeguarding concern is defined as any one or more of the following:

Bullying and cyberbullying

Child sexual exploitation

Domestic abuse

Female genital mutilation

Grooming

Neglect

Non-recent abuse

Online abuse

Physical abuse

Child trafficking

Emotional abuse

Sexual Abuse

For the purposes of this FOI a looked after child is defined as any child who has been in the care of their or any other local authority for more than 24hrs any in the United Kingdom

For the purposes of this FOI unregulated and unlicensed accommodation should be taken to mean any accommodation that is not inspected by Ofsted and/or any accommodation that is not licensed and/or inspected by any Statutory and/or regulatory body
To save falling into exemptions please redact any information that will identify a person