From: <u>FOI</u>

To:

Subject: Freedom of Information Request NCC-048266-20

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Dear Requester

Thank you for your request for information about substance misuse programmes in Nottinghamshire.

Please find our answers to your specific questions below

This request relates to the provision of female specific, free to use substance misuse treatment within Nottingham County Council's local authority area. Please see the below definitions to help inform Nottingham County Council's response:

- A free to use substance misuse service is a service that provides free treatment, support and/or advice to people affected by substance misuse.
- A female specific, free to use substance misuse service only provides treatment, support and/or advice to people who are female.
- A female specific space/programme within a broader free to use substance misuse service is an intervention/pathway that only people who are female can access. For example - a women only support group.

With the above in mind, please can Nottingham County Council respond to the following questions in keeping with freedom of information legislation:

1. What free to use substance misuse services are available to people (both men and women) in Nottingham County Council's local authority area? Please list all the services.

Nottinghamshire substance misuse services are delivered by Change Grow Live (CGL) and the offer to Nottinghamshire residents includes: advice and information, harm reduction advice and interventions, brief and extended brief interventions, comprehensive assessment, structured care planned treatment (both psychosocial and pharmacological interventions), community and inpatient detox services, residential rehabilitation placements, one-to-one and group support and facilitated access to community based support and activities (e.g. mutual aid groups, access to education, training and support).

2. Are any of the services listed in question 1 female specific?

No

3. Do any of the services listed in question 1 provide female specific spaces/programmes within a broader service? If yes please provide details of the female specific spaces/programmes offered?

I hope that you find this information to be helpful, however if you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, then please email us at foi@nottscc.gov.uk quoting the reference NCC-048266-20 and we will be happy to review your request

With kind regards

Complaints, Information and Mediation Officer Nottinghamshire County Council