Dear Requester

I refer to your recent Freedom of Information request. The response is as follows:

- 1. Do you keep a register of the number of adults with learning disabilities in your local authority area? If so, how many adults in your local authority area are (at present) recorded as having learning disabilities? 2,350 *Reflects numbers supported, not a register of all adults with LD in Nottinghamshire / Reflects financial years, not calendar years.*
- 2. What support is available for vulnerable adults (including those with learning disabilities) accessing social housing? How does your council support vulnerable adults in the process of finding suitable accommodation? The Council takes a holistic approach and information, guidance and services will be sourced if appropriate. Currently the NCC social care worker who is involved with the person goes through accommodation panel and they are allocated to the accommodation and support coordinators who then look for housing, support with applications etc. Those workers go through the housing options available to them and helps them to decide what kind of housing they need, sources it and provides support to enable the person to navigate the system e.g. housing benefits, tenancy management etc. Information can also be found through the following links: housingwithsupportstrategy2019adults18 64.pdf (nottinghamshire.gov.uk) and Information about specialist residential care | Nottinghamshire County Council.
- 3. How many people with learning disabilities in your local authority have been housed outside of their local authority area in the last calendar year? If it doesn't exceed the cost limit, I would also like this information for the last three years please. 135 (this includes placements in Nottingham City area); 2018-19: 111 (data not available for 2019-20) Reflects numbers supported, not a register of all adults with LD in Nottinghamshire / Reflects financial years, not calendar years.
- 4. How many people on the current waiting list for social housing in your local authority area have a learning disability? We do not have access to this level of information as it would be held by District/ Borough/City councils rather than the County

I hope this assists. Should you have any further enquiries please do not hesitate to contact me directly on the details below.

Complaints, Information and Mediation Officer Nottinghamshire County Council

In addition to this and for future reference Nottingham 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.

If you wish to raise any concerns about the way your request was dealt with, then please write to the Team Manager, Complaints and Information, County Hall, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7QP or e-mail foi@nottscc.gov.uk quoting the reference number above.