

Dear

I am writing to you in reply to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to Nottinghamshire County Council. Firstly I apologise for the delay in replying to you and hope that it has not caused any inconvenience. I have the following information.

The numbers of social workers within children's services and family services
Headcount 307 / FTE 261.88

The number of foster carers who work for Nottinghamshire County Council
We have 413 foster carers; this includes kinship carers.

The number of youth workers employed by Nottinghamshire County Council
Headcount 190 / FTE 53.9 (this includes Youth support workers, Youth Workers and YS Senior Practitioners).

The number of children's homes run by Nottinghamshire County Council
We have 7 local authority children's homes.

The number of children's homes within Nottinghamshire County Council that are run independently
There are 26 home in Nottinghamshire (not including the city, which falls within Nottingham City Council).

If you have any queries or concerns then please contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

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 e-mail complaints@nottscc.gov.uk.

Yours sincerely

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