

**NCC-042490-19 care home residents being moved out of their local area**

Dear Requester,

Firstly we apologise for the delay in responding, however this has taken some work to complete. The below is a response from the department which now answers your quest

We tend to try to identify placements which are “out of county” beyond Notts boundary; this includes those made in the City, which is technically out of county.

Obviously a number pf placements are made in the City and in neighbouring counties and are still within the person’s local area.

Below is a summary of new residential or nursing placements made outside Notts during 2018-19 (this doesn’t include any City placements which have been excluded directly for this question). Most are in neighbouring counties; so are likely to be local for the person (Staffordshire council covers Burton on Trent which is still relatively close)

We do not have a quick view for year to date in the same way as this - but it’s like to be similar in terms of few cases It would need some more work to produce which would take us over the threshold under s12 of the act and so cannot provide this information.

<b>New placements into residential or nursing care 2018-19</b>			
<b>County - out of area</b>	<b>Aged 65 and over</b>	<b>Aged 18-64</b>	<b>Grand Total</b>
<b>Derbyshire</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Leicestershire</b>	<b>5</b>		<b>5</b>
<b>Lincolnshire</b>	<b>4</b>		<b>4</b>
<b>South Yorkshire</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Staffordshire</b>	<b>1</b>		<b>1</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>27</b>

We trust this now resolves your enquiry, however should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me directly on the details below.

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. un regulated / 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@nottscc.gov.uk](mailto:complaints@nottscc.gov.uk) .

Kind Regards

Complaints and Information Team  
Nottinghamshire County Council  
County Hall

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 about care home residents being moved out of their local area.

1. How many care home residents have been moved to a care home out of their local area?
  - I. Of those who have been moved to a care home out of their local authority, how many were below the age of 65, and how many were aged 65 and above.
  2. For those who have been moved to a care home out of their local authority, please provide information about where they were sent. OR how far away they were sent (in miles or km).
  - II. For those who have been moved to a care home out of their local authority, where possible please provide the reason for why they were moved.
3. Please provide all of the data for the last financial year up to the time this request is answered. I.e. for the entire 2018/19 financial year as well as the remaining months up to the time that this request is answered. If feasible, please break this data up by month.

I would like to receive the information in electronic format and if possible an excel format.

I would be grateful if you could confirm in writing that you have received this request. I look forward to your response within 20 working days, as outlined by the statute.