



Information Governance

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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)
Request ID: FOI318427262

Thank you for your request for information relating to Social care case management, joint funding agreements and deferred CHC Assessment Information.

Your request and our responses are shown below:

For both Adults and Childrens Social Care

1. Does your local authority use social care case management system(s)? If so, please list the name of the supplier(s).

1. Care Director (Adults) Liquid Logic (Children's)

2. What is the contract start date for your Social care management supplier? (dd/mm/yy)
2010.

3. What is the contract end date for your Social care management supplier? (dd/mm/yy)

End dates 2027/28

4. What was the annual cost of your social care management supplier(s) for the financial year 19/20 (April 2019 - March 2020)?

Approximately £150k

5. Does your organisation use any other third-party systems or service providers to support your organisation with social care management or care assessments? If yes, please fill out the below for all third-party systems used (see spreadsheet)

No

Joint Funded Agreements

6. Does the social care team at the local authority have an agreement in place for funding joint packages of care including Section 117 Aftercare?

There is a draft agreement with NHS partners in development for S117 and a Memorandum of Understanding in place for those people with Learning Disability. The Local Authority has an agreement in place regarding funding of joint packages through Continuing Health Care, which is consistent with national guidance.

7. If Yes, please state which agreement below is in place for funding joint packages of care including Section 117 aftercare, as seen below-

A) A 50:50 share of costs for all cases

B) A different share of costs e.g., 40:60, 30:70 (please state the share used)

C) A share of costs calculated on a case-by-case level using an algorithm

D) Other (please state)

For S117 cases there is case discussion based on indicative budget allocations. For CHC, health needs beyond the remit of the Local Authority are identified through the CHC assessment and the NHS are responsible for meeting those needs based on the actual cost/time to do so.

8. How many people were covered by joint funded packages of care as of 1st March 2021?

We do not hold this information and are informing you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. The local authority only records the element that relates to social care provision as part of the joint funded service.

9. What was the annual cost to the local authority for joint funded packages of care for the financial year 19/20 (April 2019-March 2020)?

See response to Question 8. This is not identifiable as we only record the element relevant to social care therefore it is not possible to breakdown the joint funded figures from the wider social care funded services packages.

Deferred CHC Assessments

Due to the suspension of the continuing healthcare (CHC) processes in March 2020, CCGs and LAs had a backlog of deferred assessments for people who would have normally been assessed for CHC.

10. How many deferred Care Act Assessments for CHC cases did the local authority have in its backlog as of the 1st September 2020?

35.

11. How many deferred Care Act Assessments for CHC cases did the local authority have

left to complete on the 1st March 2021?

0.

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Yours faithfully

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