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Dear Sir/Madam

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)  
Request ID: FOI352538451**

Thank you for your request for information relating to children's continence services.

You have requested the following information:

**1. Does your local authority provide a dedicated children's continence clinic? (Yes/No)**

No

**If you answered no, please go to question 7.**

**2. Which of the following is covered by the dedicated continence clinic?**

**a. Bedwetting (Yes/No) If yes, for ages \_\_\_ to \_\_\_**

**b. Daytime wetting (Yes/No) If yes, for ages \_\_\_ to \_\_\_**

c. Toilet training (Yes/No) If yes, for ages \_\_\_ to \_\_\_

d. Constipation/soiling (Yes/No) If yes, for ages \_\_\_ to \_\_\_

e. Product (nappy/pad/washable pants) supply for paediatric continence problems (Yes/No)  
If yes, for ages \_\_\_ to \_\_\_

3. Is the amount of time dedicated to service provision in this clinic:

a. Determined by the number of children and young people (from birth to 18 years) being referred to the clinic each week? (Yes/No)

b. Regulated in another manner? Please explain:

4. Is continence a listed responsibility provided by your local authority area for any of the following professions:

a. School nurses (Yes/No)

b. Health Visitors (Yes/No)

c. Other healthcare professionals (Yes/No)

If Yes, please specify who: \_\_\_\_\_

5. If you answered yes to any of the professions listed in question 4, could you please tell us:

a. How many children and young people with continence problems do each of these professionals have responsibility for?

b. How many children and young people are on the waiting list for this service?

c. How long has the person currently at the top of the list had to wait?

6a. If you answered no to any of the professions listed in question 4 was there a decision taken to remove continence from the listed responsibilities of any of these professionals? (yes/no)

b. If yes, when did this happen? (please write the year)

7. Do you have any future plans to:

a. Commission/provide a new paediatric continence service? (Yes/No)

No

b. Review the existing paediatric continence service? (Yes/No)

No

**c. If so, please provide details \_\_\_\_\_**

Not applicable, please refer to Question 7b.

**8a. Are you aware of the Children's Continence Commissioning Guide? (Yes/No)**

**b. If yes, do the services commissioned/provided by your LA use it? (Yes/No)**

For Questions 8a and 8b, as part of the Family Health and Lifestyles Service the School Nursing Team provide a 12-week programme for Tier 1 continence support to families, excluding products and alarms. All other support for continence is commissioned by Coventry and Warwickshire CCG.

Contact details for Coventry and Warwickshire CCG for any information can be found on the following link:

<https://coventrywarwickshireccg.nhs.uk/contact/working-for-us/>

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Yours faithfully

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