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Dear Sir/Madam

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)**

**Request ID: FOI362838351**

Thank you for your request for information relating to mental health residential care (Adults).

You have requested the following information:

**I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information from Coventry City Council (my request relates to Mental Health Residential Care for Adults, NOT children).**

**Please could you provide me with the following information:**

**1a. How many people does the authority have placed in a CQC regulated Mental Health Residential Care setting within the boundaries of the authority?**

There are 83 residential placements made by the community mental health team.

**1b. How many of the above placements (1a) have been made in the past 12 months (Sep 2020 to Aug 2021 inclusive)?**

There were 23 residential placements made by the community mental health team

**2a. How many people does the authority have placed into an “out of area” (i.e. outside the boundaries of the authority) CQC regulated Mental Health Residential Care Setting?**

There are 52 placements made by the community mental health team.

**2b. How many of the above placements (2a) have been made in the past 12 months (Sep 2020 to Aug 2021 inclusive)?**

There were seven placements made by the community mental health team.

**3. What is the lowest, highest and average weekly price paid by the authority for one placement in a CQC regulated Mental Health Residential Care setting?**

In City: Section 117 placement fee contribution for the Council ranges from £325 to £1,425.

Out of City: Section 117 placement fee contribution for the Council ranges from £453 to £1,724.

**4. Is there a shortage of beds for CQC regulated Mental Health Residential Care placements within the authority and, if so, what is the shortfall / deficit?**

There is currently an estimated need for around 140 additional places over the next five years, though we will aim to meet this need through supported accommodation where possible. Our position on additional residential accommodation is therefore that this will be used as required to meet the more complex and challenging needs within the cohort that cannot be met through supported living. The market development plan will be published in the next couple of weeks which outlines local need, our anticipated commissioning intentions and the standards we expect from new provision.

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Yours faithfully

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