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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Request ID: FOI447141552

Thank you for your request for information relating to looked after children.

You have requested the following information:

Please provide the following information about looked after children in your local authority.

- **Please only include those looked after children who were placed by the local authority in the types of accommodation listed without a parent or other family member also living with them.**
- **Please treat a looked after child as living in any of the types of accommodation listed if they had been in that particular setting for a continuous 24-hour period or longer by 25 August 2022.**
- **25 August 2022 starts at 0.01am that day.**

1. The number of looked after children in your local authority who were on 25 August 2022 living in the following types of accommodation:

- a. **Bed and breakfast accommodation**
- b. **Boats**
- c. **Caravans**
- d. **Holiday rentals (includes chalets, cottages and Airbnb)**
- e. **Hotels**

2. Of all of your looked after children living in the following types of accommodation on 25 August 2022, how many were a) girls and b) boys:

- a. Bed and breakfast accommodation
- b. Boats
- c. Caravans
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- e. Hotels

3. Of all of your looked after children living in the following types of accommodation on 25 August 2022, how many were a) aged under 10 years; b) aged 11-12 years; c) aged 13-14 years; d) aged 15-16 years; and e) aged 17 years.

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4. Using the following (Department for Education) codes, please provide the ethnic origin breakdown of looked after children in your local authority who were on 25 August 2022 living in the following types of accommodation:

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5. Of all of your looked after children living in the following types of accommodation on 25 August 2022, how many had been in those types of settings for a) fewer than 7 days; b) between 7 and 14 days; c) between 15 and 21 days; d) between 22 and 30 days; and e) at least 31 days.

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Please count children as being in the same type of setting for a continuous time period even if they moved within that time period – but only if they moved to the same type of setting (so a child may have moved from one caravan to another, or lived in a series of rental cottages, for example).

6. What was the longest time period (NUMBER OF DAYS) any of your individual looked after children had lived continuously in any of the following types of accommodation by 25 August 2022.

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See the attached document.

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Yours faithfully

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Response - Nil to all above.

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WBRI – White British

WIRI – White Irish

WOTH – Any other White background

WIRT – Traveller of Irish Heritage

WROM – Gypsy/Roma

MWBC – White and Black Caribbean
MWBA – White and Black African
MWAS – White and Asian
MOTH – Any other Mixed background
AIND – Indian
APKN – Pakistani
ABAN – Bangladeshi
AOTH – Any other Asian background
BCRB – Caribbean
BAFR – African
BOTH – Any other Black background
CHNE Chinese
OOTH – Any other ethnic group
REFU – Refused
NOBT – Information not yet obtained

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Response - Questions 2 to 6 are not applicable.