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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI647989025

Thank you for your request for information relating to Social Care financial assessments.

You have requested the following information:

Clarification: This request relates to adult social care only

1. How many current social care clients do you have that are eligible for chargeable care?

4,833

2. How often do you review your current clients financial assessments?

The aim is review upon request from adult social care or financial representatives and adhoc reviews are undertaken for service areas.

3. What's the current average turnaround time for a financial assessment?

63 days.

4. Do you use 3rd parties to support in your processing of financial assessments?

No.

5. Do you carry out income maximisation and how often is this reviewed?

Yes, during the Financial Assessment appointment this is discussed and then an Assessment Officer will review at a later date to see if income has changed.

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Yours faithfully

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