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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI666979164

Thank you for your request for information relating to Freedom of Information Request regarding Adult Autism and Learning Disability Services.

You have requested the following information:

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I would like to make the following request for information relating to adult autism and learning disability services for the financial year 2024/25 in your local authority.

Question 1

Please tell us the average (arithmetic mean in £ and pence) rate you pay for externally provided adult learning disability and autism services (not your in-house services) for each of the service types as follows:

- a. The weekly rate for Residential homes (including profound and multiple learning disability (PMLD) services and respite care): £1557.29 (in city residential)
- b. The hourly rate for Domiciliary care:£21.26
- c. The hourly rate for Supported living for people with non-complex support needs:£20.35
- d. The hourly rate for Supported Living for people with complex support needs (please provide your criteria for the application of the complex rate):

As above we do not have set complex rates

e. If the rates you apply to framework and non-framework contracts differ, please indicate the difference and provide a rationale

We do not have set framework rates, other than for day opportunities please see attached document.

If the service is not commissioned on an hourly basis, please provide an estimated average hourly rate based on the average number of hours per week.

Question 2

Please tell us the average (arithmetic mean as a percentage) annual fee rate uplift (inflationary uplift) you have implemented in 2024/25 for externally provided adult learning disability and autism services (not your in-house services) for each of the service types as follows:

- a. Residential homes (including profound and multiple learning disability (PMLD) services and respite care)
- b. Supported living
- c. Day services
- d. Domiciliary care

2024/25 rates as follows:

- 6.5% care homes
- 6.8% supported living
- 6.8% day opportunities
- £1.36 per hour home support

Question 3

For question 3, we are asking for two different service fee rates relating to adult learning disability and autism day services.

- 3i. Supported in a group
- a. Please tell us the average (arithmetic mean in £ and pence) rate you pay per hour for someone supported in externally-commissioned day services in a group (for example, the day rate divided by 6 hours + staff and people present).

Please see attached day opportunities framework rates

- b. What is the expected ratio of staff to supported persons at these day services? This will vary depending on the needs/complexity of the service and numbers attending.
- c. Do your day services for those supported in a group include transport?- No
- d. Do your day services for those supported in a group include food/refreshments?- No

3ii. 1-1 support

a. Again focusing on day services, please tell us the average (arithmetic mean in £ and pence) rate you pay per hour for someone who needs 1-1 support?

Please see attached day opportunities framework rates

- b. Do your 1-1 support day services include transport? No
- c. Do your 1-1 support day services include food/refreshments?- No

Please note: If two staff are supporting up to 8 people, we would expect the hourly rate for the service to be approximately a quarter of the hourly rate for a one-to-one service.

Question 4

Which of your externally-commissioned services do you consider to be offering preventative interventions that generate savings elsewhere for the council and what is your brief rationale for thinking this?

All of our services have an aim of enablement and promoting independence which aims to achieve better outcomes for people and reduced costs to the Council. Our specific Preventative Support Grants (PSG's) services many of which are co-founded by Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board, aim to improve people's lives and reduce calls on our long term health and care budgets and some other Council budgets e.g. housing. However, as we are currently undertaking a review of all PSG's and a period of consultation we are unable to provide either an accurate or appropriate response until this has been concluded.

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Please remember to quote the reference number above in your response.

Yours faithfully

Information Governance

Day Opportunities

The percentage award criteria for price is 40%

The element scored is the hourly rate against each Lot.

Bid prices will be assessed as detailed in the ITT.

The maximum hourly price permitted is as shown. Any Tender above the maximum price will be excluded.

For any Lots your are not Tendering for please insert N/A (not applicable).

If you omit to include a bid price for a Lot you are intending to tender for, your Tender for that Lot will be excluded.

Organisation Name:				
Lot	Need Level	Max Price - 2024	Provider Bid Price - per hour	
Lot B1 - Community Peer Support Networks - low	1:5 ratio - Low level needs	£19.42		
Lot B2 - Supported Day Opportunities - low Lot B2 - Supported Day Opportunities - Medium	1:20 ratio - Low / medium level needs 1:4 ratio - Medium level needs	£8.78 £19.82		
Lot B2 - Supported Day Opportunities - high	1:1 ratio - High standard level needs	£20.47		

Lot B2 - Supported Day Opportunities - high	2:1 ratio - High enhanced level need	£22.05	
Lot B3 - Complex Day opportunities - high	1:1 ratio - High standard level need	£21.44	
Lot B3 - Complex Day opportunities - high	2:1 ratio - High enhanced level need	£22.04	