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Dear 

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for requesting information about older people's residential care, which the Council received on 3rd December 2013. Your request has been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ("The Act").

You have requested the following information;

- 1. The number of older people (age 65+) the council has placed and funded in:**
 - a) In residential care**
 - b) In residential EMI care**
 - c) In nursing care**
 - d) In nursing EMI care**
 - e) In the home via domiciliary care**

Please supply this information by year for 2008 - 2013

- 2. The LA budget for spend on older person's services**
 - a. Total**
 - b. Allocated to residential care**
 - c. Allocated to Nursing care**
 - d. Allocated for domiciliary care**

Please supply this information by year for 2008-2013 and give budgeted spend for 2014 if available

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In respect of Question 1 and 2

Following careful consideration, the information you requested is being withheld as it falls under the exemption in Section 21 of the Act which relate to Information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means.

The exemption applies as the information is published and publicly available to view by accessing data from the National Adult Social Care Intelligence Service (NASCIS) at: <http://nascis.ic.nhs.uk/> you will need to register to obtain access to the data.

For data in respect of question 1, you will need to look at the Referrals, Assessments and Packages of Care (RAP) data set for all the years requested.

For data in respect of question 2, you will need to look at the Expenditure and Use of Resources (PSSEX1) reports for data for all the years requested.

3. The number of older people (age 65+) the council has placed and are privately funded in:

- a. In residential care**
- b. In residential EMI care**
- c. In nursing care**
- d. In nursing EMI care**
- e. In the home via domiciliary care**

Please supply this information by year for 2008 – 2013.

4. The number of older people (age 65+) the council has placed, have LA funding but are also subject to a third party top up

- a. In residential care**
- b. In residential EMI care**
- c. In nursing care**
- d. In nursing EMI care**
- e. In the home via domiciliary care**

Please supply this information by year for 2008-2013

In respect of question 3 and 4

The information requested is not held in the format requested. In respect of question three, where a person within a care home setting has savings above the capital limit then they are considered a self-funder and a financial assessment record is not recorded by the Council.

In respect of question four, following reasonable enquiries, it has been established that the Council does not hold the above information.

This is because, the Council holds data on the number of people placed in residential and nursing care whom also pay a third party top up, however it is not possible to break down this data in the categories requested. Consequently, we are unable to provide any information relating to the above and are informing you as required per Section 1(1) (a) of the Act that states:

"Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information of the description specified in the request".

5. The number of care homes in the council area registered to cater for

- a. Older person's residential care**
- b. Older person's nursing care**
- c. EMI care**

Type of care provision	Number of homes
Older person's residential care	29
Older person's nursing care	7
EMI care (Dementia)	14

Please note, there are also five providers with dual registration to provide residential and nursing provision which have not been included in the figures above. Additionally

6. What is the price for a basic spot contract bed paid to the independent sector provider for:

- a. Older person's residential placement**
- b. Older person's residential EMI placement**
- c. Older person's nursing placement**
- d. Older person's nursing EMI placement**

Please supply this information by year for 2008-2013

	2008-9	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14
Residential	£351.50	£360.50	£362.90	£367.35	£371.29	£371.29
Residential EMI	£393	£403	£405.40	£409.85	£413.79	£413.79
Nursing Standard*	£463.80	£475.50	£480.30	£484.75	£488.69	£488.69
Nursing Dementia*	£490.30	£502.50	£507.30	£511.75	£515.69	£515.69

The above figures are inclusive of the social services contribution, the service user contribution and the registered nursing care contribution (*RNCC is applicable for Nursing Homes only)

7. Please state the predicted / negotiated price for 2014 for

- a. Older person's residential placement**
- b. Older person's residential EMI placement**
- c. Older person's nursing placement**
- d. Older person's nursing EMI placement**

8. How many of those older person's placed and funded by the LA are subject to a higher price than the basic spot contract bed prices for

- a. Older person's residential placement**
- b. Older person's residential EMI placement**
- c. Older person's nursing placement**
- d. Older person's nursing EMI placement**

In respect of questions 7 and 8

In respect of question seven and eight, following reasonable enquiries, it has been established that the Council does not hold the above information

In respect of question seven, the information is not held as prices for 2014 have not been negotiated. In respect of question eight, this information is not routinely collected. In order to produce this information a new report would need to be written for the data to be extracted from the Adult Social Care Case Management system and the information is therefore not held in the format requested.

Consequently, we are unable to provide any information relating to the above and are informing you as required per Section 1(1) (a) of the Act that states:

"Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information of the description specified in the request".

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If you wish to apply to reuse the information you have requested or have any other issues relating to this request please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Yours sincerely



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