



Coventry City Council

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Our reference: 20123339

Date: 20 October 2014

Dear 

### Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for requesting information about children being taken into care where obesity was a contributory factor, which the Council received on 15 October 2014. We are considering this under the the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ("The Act").

You have requested the following information:

*Please provide figures for the last three years on the number of children taken into care by the council with the primary reason for care order being obesity.*

It has been established that the Council does not record information relating to child obesity as a factor in care proceedings. Thus, we are unable to provide any information relating to the above, and are informing you as required by 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".

To advise and assist you regarding the types of information the Council does hold and regularly discloses, you may wish to view the latest Freedom of Information responses issued by the Council on our [disclosure log](#) or look at the [Council's Publication Scheme](#) and it's published reusable [Open Data](#) .

For a wider range of information about the Coventry area and to see what other organizations are doing, have a look at [Facts about Coventry](#)

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If you have any other issues relating to this request please do not hesitate to contact me.

You have a right to make representations about the outcome or handling of your request – in the first instance this must be made in writing within 40 working days of the date of this letter, to the Council's Information Governance Team at:

Council House, Room 21a  
Lower Ground Floor  
Earl Street, Coventry.  
CV1 5RR  
[infogov@coventry.gov.uk](mailto:infogov@coventry.gov.uk)

If you have done this and are still dissatisfied, the Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
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Yours sincerely

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