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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI374514974

Thank you for your request for information relating to new employees probation extension.

You have requested the following information:

- 1. How many employees within the children services have had their probationary period extended
- b. How many of the employees had their probation extended beyond the normal 3months stated in the Council's Probationary Period For New Employees Policy
- c. How many of the employees had probationary period extended for 6 months or more and on what grounds.

For Questions 1 to 3, we can confirm that we do not hold this information and are advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. The Council's HR databases does not record or store extensions on probation periods.

For information, we publish a variety of information such as: <u>FOI/EIR Disclosure Log</u>, <u>Publication Scheme</u>, <u>Facts about Coventry</u> and <u>Open Data</u> that you may find of useful if you are looking for information in the future.

If you are unhappy with the handling of your request, you can ask us to review our response. Requests for reviews should be submitted within 40 days of the date of receipt of our response to your original request – email: infogov@coventry.gov.uk

If you are unhappy with the outcome of our review, you can write to the Information Commissioner, who can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF or email icocasework@ico.org.uk.

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

Yours faithfully

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