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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI515987315

Thank you for your request for information relating to unregistered children'shomes.

You have requested the following information:

1. Could you please provide a breakdown of the number of looked after children who were placed in an unregistered children's home (not registered at the time of placement) by financial year:

2020/21 2021/22 2022/23

2020/21: 0 2021/22: 0 2022/23: 4

2. Could you please provide a breakdown of the ages of children living in an unregistered children's homes (not registered with Ofsted at the time of placement) in the 2022/23 financial year:

Under 5 Under 10 Under 16 Aged 16 and 17 Under 5: 0 Under 10: 0 Under 16: 4 Aged 16 and 17: 0

Please note that the ages provided were at the point of entering the placement.

3. How much did your local authority spend on unregistered children's homes for looked after children in 2022/23?

£574,386

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