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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Request ID: FOI573528614

Thank you for your request for information relating to Homeless deaths in 2023.

You have requested the following information:

Please can I request the number of deaths from 1st January 2023 – 31st December 2023 (inclusive) in each of the following housing situations in your local authority area:

- **accommodation for homeless people commissioned by your council, including hostels and supported accommodation for people identified as rough sleeping or with a history of rough sleeping**
- **exempt accommodation**
- **temporary accommodation commissioned by your local authority**
- **supported accommodation for homeless young people commissioned by your council**
- **rough sleeping or with no fixed abode**

Where you have access to any of the following information, please include the cause of death or suspected cause of death, date of death, the person's gender, the person's age when they died, their ethnicity, and their immigration status. If you cannot provide any of this additional information, then please just provide the number of deaths.

Please see the attached document with our response.

The supply of information in response to a FOI/EIR request does not confer an automatic right to re-use the information. You can use any information supplied for the purposes of private study and

non-commercial research without requiring further permission. Similarly, information supplied can also be re-used for the purposes of news reporting. An exception to this is photographs. Please contact us if you wish to use the information for any other purpose.

For information, we publish a variety of information such as: [FOI/EIR Disclosure Log](#), [Publication Scheme](#), [Facts about Coventry](#) and [Open Data](#) 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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Name	Sex	Ethnicity	Immigration status	Date of death
1	male	Not known	Not known	Jan 2023
2	male	White British	Not known	Aug 2023

- exempt accommodation

We do not collect information about exempt accommodation except where this is commissioned by the Local Authority, in which case the details would be included in the figure above. We are therefore advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act.

- temporary accommodation commissioned by your local authority

Name	Sex	Ethnicity	Immigration status	Date of death
3	male	White British	UK national	Feb 2023
4	male	White British	UK national	Mar 2023
5	male	White British	UK national	Apr 2023
6	male	White British	UK national	Jun 2023
7	male	White British	UK national	Jul 2023
8	male	Any other Asian background	Indefinite leave to remain	Jul 2023
9	male	White Irish	UK national	Sep 2023

10	male	Asian/Asian British: Pakistani	UK national	Oct 2023
11	male	Black/African/Caribbean/ Black British: African	UK national	Oct 2023
12	female	White British	UK national	Oct 2023
13	male	White British	UK national	Nov 2023
14	male	Asian/Asian British: Indian	UK national	Nov 2023
15	male	Don't know/refused	UK national	Dec 2023

• supported accommodation for homeless young people commissioned by your council

Name	Sex	Ethnicity	Immigration status	Date of death
16	male	Not known	Not known	Apr 2023

• rough sleeping or with no fixed abode

No deaths have been reported during 2023.