

Response to Request for Information

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Homeless Applications

Request:

Could you please send me the following information for the financial years 2015/16, 2016/17 and 2017/18:

- 1. How many homeless applications were referred to Now Medical Ltd
- 2. How many homeless applications were not found to be in priority need after they were referred to Now Medical Ltd

In response to Your above questions, Section 1 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 places two duties on public authorities. Unless exemptions apply, the first duty at:

- Section 1(1) (a) is to confirm or deny whether the information specified in a request is held.
- The second duty at Section 1(1)(b) is to disclose information that has been confirmed as being held.

In respect of your above questions, it has been established after careful consideration that the Council does not hold the above information.

Consequently, 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".