

Response to Request for Information

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HMO Properties and Temporary Accommodation

Request:

Please find below our Freedom of Information request in relation to information on HMO properties and temporary accommodation.

Please can you provide the following information for your area:

- 1) In the past 12 months, the total number of families placed in temporary accommodation by the Local Authority?
In the past 12 months, the total number of families placed in temporary accommodation by the Local Authority 189 families.
- 2) In the past 12 months, the total number of children placed in temporary accommodation by the Local Authority?
In the past 12 months, the total number of children placed in temporary accommodation by the Local Authority 372 children.
- 3) On average, how long do families reside in temporary accommodation?
On average, how long do families reside in temporary accommodation? 72.52 nights on average.
- 4) In the past 12 months, the total number of families residing in HMO properties?
We have 127 mandatory licenced HMOs at this present time.
- 5) In the past 12 months, the total number of children residing in HMO properties?
Whilst the properties have licenced conditions attached with regards to permitted numbers we do not keep records if occupants and cannot answer any detail as required below. We do not keep any other information as requested in this FOI and are unable to provide any further information from Private Sector Housing.
- 6) The total number of HMO properties?
We do not have the total number of HMOs as this is un-regulated and there is no obligation on landlords to provide this information to us.