

Response to Request for Information

Reference FOI 001293
Date 4 July 2017

Homeless

Request:

Please tell me how many people assessed as homeless died in your local authority area while sleeping rough in:

- a) 2012/13 = 0
- b) 2013/14 = 0
- c) 2014/15 = 0
- d) 2015/16 = 1
- e) 2016/17 = 0

If possible (but please don't reject the entire request if this part is not possible) please tell me for each person

- a) the cause of death

In respect of your question a) above, 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".

- b) whether that person had approached the council requesting assistance prior to their death
Yes in 2013/14 an offer of temporary accommodation was made however this was refused the applicant then moved out area.
- c) the age of the person
Date of birth – 26 July 1985