Further to your information request FOI64934 please find your questions and our responses below:

**Learning Disability Residential Care**

1. How many people with a Learning Disability has the local authority placed in Registered Care Homes at 31st December 2012?
   a) How many are placed into LA run homes
   b) How many are placed into the Not for Profit sector homes
   c) How many are placed into private enterprise run care homes

**Response:** During the week of 31 December 2012, we had 129 LD Service Users in Residential Care Homes.
   a) 15 of which were placed in RBWM run Residential homes.
   b) & c) We do not hold records by class of provider to enable us to provide this analysis.

2. What is the average fee for placements in each of these sectors?

**Response:** There is no "fee" associated with those Service Users placed in RBWM run Residential Homes, instead the cost of providing these homes is incurred by the Borough.
- The average (mean) fee for all non RBWM run Residential placements (nb unable to split by class of provider) during the week of 31 December 2012 was £1,266pw.

3. How many new placements were made from 1st July 2012 to 31st December 2012?
   a) Of the new placements how many were placed into contracted beds?
   b) How many spot placements were made? Of the spot placements how many were placed into LA Care Homes, the Not for Profit Sector, and into Private Enterprise providers?

**Response:** There were 8 new Residential placements made between 1 July 2012 & 31 December 2012.
   a) 1 placement was made into RBWM run Residential placements / block beds.
   b) 7 were spot placements, however we do not hold records by class of provider to enable us to provide any further analysis.

4. Of the new placements made from 1st July 2012 to 31st December 2012 how many had an individual budget?

**Response:** None of the service users placed into residential homes between 1 July 2012 and 31 December 2012 had an individual / personal budget.

5. What percentage decrease/increase in residential care placements by the local authority happened between 31st December 2011 and 31st December 2012?

**Response:** There was a 7.5% increase in residential care placements by the local authority between 31 December 2011 and 31 December 2012.

**Learning Disability Supported Living**
1. How many people with a Learning Disability has the local authority placed in a Supported Living Environment at 31st December 2012 a) How many are placed into LA sponsored providers? b) How many are placed into the Not for Profit sector providers? c) How many are placed into private enterprise providers?
2. What is the average fee for placements in each of these sectors?
3. How many new placements were made from 1st July 2012 to 31st December 2012? a) Of the new placements how many were placed into contracted supported services? b) How many spot placements were made? • Of the spot placements how many were placed into; the Not for Profit Sector providers, and into Private Enterprise providers?

Response: 1. - 3. & 5. We do not hold records which distinguish Supported Living Placements from Domiciliary Care / Home Care to enable us to provide this analysis.

4. Of the new placements made from 1st July 2012 to 31st December 2012 how many had an individual budget?

All Service Users placed into Supported Living / receiving Domiciliary Care / Home Care would be in receipt of an individual / personal budget.

5. What percentage decrease/increase in supported living placements by the local authority happened between 31st December 2011 and 31st December 2012

Response: There was a 7.5% increase in residential care placements by the local authority between 31 December 2011 and 31 December 2012.

For all learning disability placements

1. Has the local authority carried out a true cost of care exercise? Where can it be accessed? What methodology was used in the exercise eg Care Funding Calculator?

Response: Without further clarification of what is meant by "True cost of care", we are unable to confirm whether such an exercise has been completed.

This concludes your request FOI64934.

If you require translation of the information you have been sent please do not hesitate the contact us.

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