

Response to Request for Information

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Child Social Care and Risk of Radicalisation

Request:

This is a request under the Freedom of Information for data held by the authority relating to children deemed to be at risk of radicalisation.

Please let me know, for each calendar year 2013, 2014 and 2015 to date:

1. How many referrals there have been to the authority's child social care services of children deemed to be at risk of radicalisation;

2. How many children each referral related to;

3. How many of these children were classed as "missing" at the time of the referral;

4. How many referrals resulted in the child being deemed to be at risk of radicalisation.

5. The source of the referral (eg police, school)

6. In how many referrals was the source of the risk related to i) Islam ii) Far right radicalisation

7. For those referrals in 4, the current status of the child eg

Response:

In response to your request I can confirm we do not record the information in the format you have requested. In order to provide you with this information we would need to manually search all referral files which we estimate will cost more than the appropriate limit to consider your request. The appropriate limit is specified in regulations and for the Council this is set at £450. This represents the estimated cost of one person spending 2½ working days in determining whether the Council hold the information, locating, retrieving and extracting the information. Consequently the Council is not obliged under the Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to respond to your request.