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Dear Mr Hanna

**Re: Request for information – Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Further to my letter of 25 June 2013, please find enclosed the information you requested in relation to Northern Health and Social Care Trust (NHSCT) Policy and Procedures on what actions social workers take before placing a patient in a residential or private nursing home.

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I trust that the information provided is helpful to you. However, if I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

(Electronically sent, therefore, not signed)

**Irene Jardine**  
**Information Governance Support Officer**

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