Freedom of Information request - Adult Social care in Waltham Forest

1. The current average number of weekly hours commissioned to private domiciliary care providers for Adult Social Care as of August 2017

855,082 against Homecare - Framework

2. The estimated Annual Spend commissioned for Adult Domiciliary Care through private domiciliary care providers (Based on 2016)

£7,386,638.47

3. The type of agreements held with private domiciliary care providers commissioned to deliver Adult Social Care services such as frameworks, Spot Contracts, Block Contracts etc and their start/end dates

We use a dynamic purchasing system. The DPS runs as a "call off contract" – providers are invited to bid for packages via the DPS. There are also some providers who are paid through direct payments.

4. The lowest and highest (based on the standard daytime week day rate) charge rates per hour of domiciliary care charged to the local authority for Adult Social care commissioned through private domiciliary care providers

The Commissioning hourly rates range is £11.38 to £15.40 – average rate is £14.40

5. When you anticipate retendering for domiciliary care services for Adult Social Care

The contract for the DPS ends in October 2019 which would give the Council the opportunity to extend or enter into other types of agreements.

6. The names of the current Domiciliary Care Providers commissioned in your authority to deliver Adult Social Care

Please refer to attached Homecare Supplier Spreadsheet

7. The contact Name, Email address and Contact number of the person responsible for commissioning domiciliary care services in your authority

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8. Are commissioned providers required to use real-time electronic monitoring to provide data to the local authority and if so which system?

Yes, CM2000

9. The number of service users currently receiving a direct payment within your local authority as well as the number of average hours per week.

192 Service Users 2016/17

10. Is the local authority working with health partners to commission health funded care?

Yes

11. The authorities' current market positioning statement for Adult Social Care

Please refer to the link on our website

http://democracy.walthamforest.gov.uk/mobile/documents/s53970/2%20Appendix%201.pdf