



Sent on behalf of Mendip District Council

Information Requests - MDC

County Hall
B2S
The Crescent
Taunton
TA1 4DY
Reference: 10988577

28 March 2023

Dear Requester

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information. We have processed your request under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You asked:

Can I please request the following information, all relating to the Council's recruitment of agency Social Workers;

- 1) Can the you please confirm the current Supply Chain Management / Managed Service Provider the Council uses for it's recruitment of Agency Social Workers
- 2) In the financial year 2021 - 2022, what was the total agency spend for A) Adult Services and B) Children and Families Services, specifically relating to Social Work
- 3) The number of agency workers engaged per category A and B listed above in question 2 during the same period

Our Response:

I am advising you that the information you requested is not held by Mendip District Council.

Mendip District Council do not employ Social Workers

Please quote the reference number 10988577 in any future communications.

I will now close this request.

If you feel your request has not been answered in sufficient detail, or if you wish to clarify the information given, please contact me, and I will be happy to address the

issues you raise.

Alternatively, if you are not satisfied with our response you may request an internal review. This is an independent investigation into the handling of your request, which is carried out by the Information Governance Team. The conclusions of this investigation, and if applicable, a fresh decision about the information to be provided, should be sent to you within twenty working days of receipt of the internal review request.

To request an Internal Review please respond to this letter detailing why you are not satisfied, and your request will be dealt with by the information governance team.

If you are not satisfied with the results of the internal review, you may then appeal directly to the Information Commissioner's Office with your complaint.

The Information commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

Telephone: 0303 123 1113

Web address: www.ico.gov.uk

<https://ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint/>

I will now close your request as of this date.

Yours faithfully

Information Request Officer

CCM Freedom of Information Requests Team