

Mr. Richard Chandler

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26 June 2017

Our ref: 3401295

Dear Mr. Chandler

Thank you for your request for information received on 5 June 2017.

This request is being handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I can confirm that the information requested is held by Harrow Council. I have detailed below the information that is being released to you.

## **Your Request**

Please can you provide me with information regarding the number of Looked After Children you have placed with Foster Carers and how many with IFA's?

We currently have 124 fostered children of which 29 are IFA.

Also please advise of the weekly costs related to these i.e. how much you pay weekly to these?

We currently have 29 children placed with IFA foster carers at an average cost of £829 per week (not including mother & baby foster placements).

In house Foster Carers receive £356 per week (basic).

If you have any questions, please contact me on 020 8736 6786 or

If you are dissatisfied with the way your request for information has been handled, you can request an internal review of Harrow Council's decision by writing to:

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Telephone: 0303 123 1113

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There is no charge for making an appeal.

Yours sincerely

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