

DWP Central Freedom of Information Team

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Our Ref: 3164

10 October 2012

Dear Mr Wolf,

You asked:

"We do not hold data on the number of participants that enter employment through the CAP contract, as contractors are paid a job outcome fee only when claimants enter a sustained period of employment." VTR 2939

<http://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/123650/response/304391/attach/2/FoI%202939%2015.08.12.pdf>

Based upon above reply please say how many times have outcome fees have been paid to each named contractor and how many people per contract in sustained employment do these outcome fees relate to for the Community Action Programme (CAP) aka SVLTU scheme? What is the value of the known outcome fees paid to date, per contractor?"

At present no job outcome fees for the Community Action Programme have been paid. Job outcome payments are made once an individual has participated in the programme and then been in sustained employment for six months. We will be publishing a full evaluation of the Support for Very Long Term Unemployed Trailblazer including a range of performance statistics in due course.

If you have any queries about this letter please contact me quoting the reference number above.

Yours sincerely,

DWP Central FoI Team

Your right to complain under the Freedom of Information Act

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