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## PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL

Clare Sanderson

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Dear Clare Sanderson

### Freedom of Information Act 2000, Reference: FOI-11956-2022

The council has completed its search relating to your request about Supervised Contact Services received on Thu, 10 Feb 2022.

#### Request

1. What are your current arrangements regarding supervised contact, in-house/outsourced, including current contracted provider(s) of any commissioned supervised contact services and the contract length?
2. Does the council use either external providers or staffing agencies to supply supervised contact services?
3. If the council uses external providers, is this done by directly engaging with agencies, or a tendered service?
4. If the service is currently outsourced, what is end date for the contract and do you intend to retender?
5. What is the council's current annual spend on external providers for contact services?
6. What is the name and contact details of the council officer responsible for this service?
7. Where does the council advertised their tender opportunities?

#### Response

The council does hold information within the definition of your request.

1. Delivered in-house
2. Delivered by own staff
3. Not applicable
4. Not applicable

5. Not applicable

6. There are individual managers in the different geographical parts of the county. Ultimately, Lynn Berryman - Assistant Director (Children & Young People) is responsible.

7. The Chest - details on the Council's

website <https://www.cumbria.gov.uk/scprocurement/tenderingandcontracts/tenderingandcontracts.asp>

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Yours sincerely

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