

DECISION NOTICE

Reference No: FOI1416
Date Request Received: 19/03/2020
Date of Decision: 17/04/2020

Request:

I am seeking the following information concerning the development, procurement or use of artificial intelligence, machine learning, data analytics or automated systems to receive requests for or conduct education, health and care needs assessments, or to produce or review education, health and care plans, for the purposes of the Children and Families Act 2014:

1. Any briefing notes, reports, plans, evaluations, summaries, or minutes.
2. Any training manuals, policies or staff educational materials.
3. Any data protection impact assessments or equality impact assessments.
4. Any contracts.

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Use the following if the request is an FOI and delete the EIR part below..

In accordance with Section 1(1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, you are advised that Lincolnshire County Council does hold information that falls within the description specified in your request.

1. Lincolnshire County Council (LCC) doesn't have official minutes from meetings as all the workshops that took place were collated into a spread sheet of feedback for developing the Hub for Lincolnshire. LCC do have wider documents and spread sheets. Please see attached the briefing power points that were used during the workshops.
2. None currently in place as LCC are yet to role this out and still in the developmental stage in relation to this.
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4. Contract awarded to Idox Software, through G-Cloud Framework, for an IT system for the upload and storage of information relating to EHCPs.

Value is £36,000 p.a. Contract length is four years – 2+1+1 – commencing 1 March 2020.

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