

FOI Request – Parent Advocacy – 101003040050

For the period starting 1st January 2020 and ending 31st December 2021, for your local authority;

- a) How many meetings relating to children and families have been held (including Child Protection Case Conferences, LAC meetings, Child's plan meetings, etc.)?
 - Child Protection Case Conferences = 178
 - Looked After Child meetings = 673
 - Child Planning meetings = 467

- b) How many of these meetings were attended by parents (Mother, Father, Kinship Carer, Adoptive Parent) with an advocacy support worker?
 - In accordance with Section 12(1) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002, we are unable to provide this information.

- c) Does your local authority offer advocacy services for parents?
 - Yes

- d) Is there a third sector organisation that offers advocacy services for parents?
 - Yes. Services are contracted by the local authority.

- e) Is there peer to peer support advocacy services available for parents in your local authority?
 - No