

FOI Request - Foster Carer Approval and Payments - 101003693097

Between the date 01.08.2023 - 17.08.2024, please confirm the following:		a) Year of approval*	b) the number of children approved for	c) the age and gender of approval (if applicable)	e) if the approval was for respite, short term, long term or permanent placements (or any other variation of approval).
1. The number of total foster carers approved to foster with the Moray Council.	36				
		2019	3	3 - 18	Permanent and continuing care
		2020	2	8 - 18	Interim and Short breaks
		2009	4	Specific Children	Long term or interim carers
		2023	1	0 - 8	Interim
		2023	2	0-18	Interim
		2020	3	0 - 18	Permanent, Long term and short break
		2010	1	6-18	Permanent
		2009	1	5-18	Permanent and short break
		2017	3	5-18	Permanent and Continuing Care
		2013	1	0-18	Permanent or long term
		2010	2	5-18	Permanent, long term, Interim or short break
		2020	1	0-5	Long term, interim, short break or emergency
		2016	3	0-10	Long term or Interim or Short break

2015	2	7-18	Permanent, Continuing Care and short breaks
2013	2	5-7	Permanent emergency or short break
2019	2	0-6	Long term and interim
2024	1	upto 18	Permanent
2023	3	0 - 18	Interim, short break
2012	1	0 - 10	Long term, interim or short break and continuing care
2014	2	3 - 18	Permanent, long term or interim
2011	2	10-18	Permanent
2015	2	9 -18	Permanent short break or interim and Continuing Care
2008	0	10-18	Short break and interim
2020	5	Specific children	Long term, interim or short break
2019	2	10-16	Permanent, continuing care, long term, interim or short break
2019	3	0-18	Permanent and continuing care
2024	1	5 - 18	Long term, interim, emergency or short break
2017	1	6+	Permanent or long-term

2010	1	Specific Child	Permanent and continuing care
2009	1	0-18	Permanent and continuing care
2024	3	0 - 8	Long term, interim, short breaks or emergency
2011	2	13-18	Interim, Emergency and short break
2011	1	Specific YP	Permanent and continuing care
1996	1	10-18	Short break and emergency
2016	2	10-18	Interim, Long-term and Short Break

<p>f) Please confirm the number of foster carers who were not active for any period in the above timeframe.</p>	<p>The low numbers associated with this response may result in the identification of individuals, therefore numbers between 1 and 5 have been redacted. This information is exempt under Section 38(1)(b) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 - personal information.</p>
<p>2. Please also confirm the following: a) The dates each were not paid at full rate, b) The level of the foster carer when they were not paid at their full rate, c)The approval of the foster carer when they were not paid at their full rate.</p>	<p>The low numbers associated with this response may result in the identification of individuals, therefore numbers between 1 and 5 have been redacted. This information is exempt under Section 38(1)(b) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 - personal information.</p> <p>However, foster carers are paid at the same base level whether they are active or not.</p>

\* Please note, the specific date is exempt as it could lead to identification. This information is exempt under Section 38(1)(b) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 - personal information.