



Reference: FOI3561

Request:

The FOI is relevant to how many unaccompanied asylum seeking children (UASC) has your council volunteered to support since 2018-2020. Please could I have the following information broken down separately for each question by individual year.

1. Please could I have the total of UASC your council has cared for in 2018, 2019, 2020

****1****

With a further breakdown of that total:

2. Total number of UASC accepted and cared for through the National Transfer Scheme during 2018, 2019, 2020 (breakdown separate for each year please)

****0****

3. Total number of UASC accepted and cared for through the DUBS transfer scheme during 2018, 2019, 2020 (breakdown separate for each year please)

****0****

4. Total number of UASC accepted and cared for through the pan-London rota referral scheme during 2018, 2019, 2020 (breakdown separate for each year please)

****0****

5. Total number of UASC accepted and cared for through the VCRS (the Vulnerable Children Resettlement Scheme) during 2018, 2019, 2020 (breakdown separate for each year please)

****0****

6. Total number of UASC accepted and cared for after spontaneous arrival during 2018, 2019, 2020 (breakdown separate for each year please)

****2019 = 1****

7. Total number of UASC accepted and cared for via any other scheme/means of arrival during 2018, 2019, 2020 (breakdown separate for each year please)

****0****

Definitions: The National Transfer Scheme was launched to encourage all local authorities to volunteer to support unaccompanied asylum-seeking children (UASC) In support of the scheme, the government increased funding for UASC from £24,675 to £41,610

Please follow this link for more information <https://www.gov.uk/government/news/government-launches-national-transfer-scheme-for-migrant-children>

DUBS : <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/policy-statement-section-67-of-the-immigration-act-2016/factsheet-section-67-of-the-immigration-act-2016>

VCRS: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/uk-resettlement-programmes-funding-instruction-2020-to-2021>

Pan London Rota: <https://www.londoncouncils.gov.uk/our-key-themes/asylum-migration-and-refugees/unaccompanied-asylum-seeking-children-uasc>

Children count as under 18.

Please note these are voluntary schemes so you may not have taken part.