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## Request:

I am submitting this freedom of information request to find out the following information regarding children's social services (safeguarding):

1. How many child protection (safeguarding) social workers do you have in total within the local authority?

38

How many of these are employed on a permanent contract?

3. How many of these are agency workers?

4. What percentage of these social workers have more than five years post-qualification experience? 31.5%

5. What is the average length of social worker involvement with a young person before there is a handover in case responsibility? 114 days

6. What is the maximum amount of social workers a single child or young person has had in a twoyear period?

2013-14 = 10 SWs 2014-15 = 12 SWs 2015-16 = 10 SWs 2016-17 = 10 SWs

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