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## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST 1415

I write further to your email dated 04 December 2020.

Your request has been dealt with under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA), explained on our <u>freedom of information</u> page.

## Your request:

If your local authority does not commission any domestic abuse services, please do skip questions 1) and 2) as only question 3) will be applicable.

If your local authority answered any or all of the questions in this FOI request last year and nothing has changed for any of the three questions, please let us know.

Q1) Please fill out this table with information about the all the domestic abuse contracts your local authority commissions.

What services do	When did the	When will this	What is the total	Which
you commission	current contract	commissioned	monetary value	organisation
for survivors of	for this	service be re-	of the contract	currently holds
domestic abuse	commissioned	tendered?	for this	this contract?
(adults and	service start, and	(Month/Year)	commissioned	
children)?	what is its		service?	
	duration?			
	(Month/Year)			
e.g. Michela	e.g. March 2019	e.g. March 2024	e.g. £515,000	e.g. Avon Valley
House refuge for			(£103,000 per	Domestic Abuse
survivors of			year)	Service
domestic abuse				

Q2) Looking at your total current commissioned spend on domestic abuse provision, it is currently higher or lower or the same as when you last commissioned domestic abuse provision, and if higher or lower, by how much?

Q3) Does your local authority fund any domestic abuse services outside of a commissioning process? If so, please list them here:

What non-commissioned	Funding amount	How do you fund this	Which organisation
services do you fund for	(per financial	service?	receives this funding?
survivors of domestic	year)		
abuse (adults and			
children)?			
e.g. A children's worker	e.g. £30,000 per	e.g. A grant from our	e.g. Avon Valley
for the Michela House	year	Housing Department	Domestic Abuse Service
refuge			

## Our response:

North West Leicestershire district Council does not comission any domestic abuse services. However, we do have one grant-funded project.

What non-commissioned services do you fund for survivors of domestic abuse (adults and children)?	Funding amount (per financial year)	How do you fund this service?	Which organisation receives this funding?
Part time outreach worker provided by Women's Aid but based in housing options	£15,000	A grant from our Housing Options Team	Womens Aid Leicester and Leicestershire

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Yours sincerely

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