

Reference: FOI3344

Request:

1. Number of adult safeguarding concerns or referrals received.

2403

2. Number of adult safeguarding enquiries commenced under section 42 of the Care Act 2014.

700

- 3. In respect of adult safeguarding enquiries commenced under section 42 of the Care Act 2014, please provide:
- a. Whether the adult at risk was a new referral

(206),

or already known to social care services

(494) This is based on the contact date.

b. Who was the referral from? (police, health, self-referral, family or friends, other) (contact source of contact that progressed to enquiry)

CONTACT SOURCE	Count
A&E Staff	14
A-Other NTC Departments	9
A-Out of Hours	2
Adult Social Care	46
Ambulance	40
Anonymous	2
Carer	9
Central Government	3
Community Learning Disability Team (CLDT) NHCFT	5
Community Nurse	17
Community Psychiatric Nurse	18
District Nurse NHCFT	2
Drug/Alcohol Services	10
Family Partner	3
Family/Friend/Neighbour	45
GP	13
Hospital-In Area	40

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Hospital-Out Of Area	21
Housing	15
Independant Provider Agency	182
Legal Agency	1
Northern Doctors (NDUC)	1
Occupational Therapist NHCFT	2
Other	40
Other Local Authority	1
Other NTC Department(s)	4
Parent	1
Physiotherapist	1
Police	88
Primary Care (Health)	6
Probation	5
Psychiatrist	3
Psychology Services	3
Self	43
Vol Org/Agency (Other)	5

c. What type of abuse was the safeguarding referral regarding? (e.g. Neglect and acts of omission, physical abuse, financial abuse, psychological abuse, sexual abuse, self-neglect, organisational abuse, domestic abuse, sexual exploitation, discriminatory abuse, modern slavery).

ADUGE TYPE	•
ABUSE TYPE	Count
Discriminatory	9
Domestic Abuse	97
Emotional/Psychological	125
Financial and Material	183
Modern Slavery	7
Neglect and Acts of	
Omission	206
Organisational	24
Physical	199
Self-neglect	135
Sexual	32
Sexual Exploitation	28

4. In relation to adult safeguarding enquiries under section 42 of the Care Act 2014 concluded during this time,

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- in how many was the risk removed?

116

- in how many did the risk remain?

69

However please note this additional information for context:

RISK OUTCOME Count
No risk identified 37
Risk assessment inconclusive 30
Risk reduced 508

This context is important in terms of Making Safeguarding Personal, as the process must take account of the person at risk's desired outcomes and this may involve actions that fall short of completely eliminating risk. This should not be seen as a failure of the process.

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