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Request:

1. How many adult social workers are at your council? What is the split between employed and agency staffed?

63 employed - no agency workers

2. How many children social workers are at your council? What is the split between employed and agency staffed?

84 employed - no agency workers

3. How many transition team social workers are at your council? What is the split between employed and agency staffed?

NTC no longer have a separate transition team, workers from different teams come together to support a young person through the transitional period within their life at a time that is right for them

4. What was your training budget in 2017/2018 for adult social workers?

The Adult Social Care Training Budget is used not only for the qualified Social Work staff but for the whole of the ASC Service Area to which there are 501 staff members. The Budget for the financial year 2017-18 was therefore £52,715

5. What was your training budget in 2017/2018 for children social workers?

Budget £56,887

6. What was your training budget in 2017/2018 for transition team social workers?

Budget : £0 (Any transition training requirements would be picked up as part of the Adult or Children's Training Budget).

7. Was any of your training budget made up by grants? If so, how much?

No grant money

8. What training courses did you commission in 2017/2018 for adult social workers?

See attached table

- a/ How many sessions of each course did you commission?
- b/ What was the price per course?

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c/ Who delivered each course?

d/ What was the method of delivery (e.g. face or face, online etc.)

9. What training courses did you commission in 2017/2018 for children social workers?

1. Aim2

2. Approved Mental Health Practitioner

3. Management development for children's services managers

4. Parent Assessment Management Software (PAMS)

5. Supervision in psychosocial applications

6. Psychosocial applications when working with families

7. Post Qualifying awards for Social Workers

a/ How many sessions of each course did you commission?

• **Numbers 1 to 6 above x 1 of each**

• **Number 7 x 17 PQs**

b/ What was the price per course?

1. Aim2 £469.00

2. Approved Mental Health Practitioner £2,300 (worker did not take up place)

3. Management development for children's services managers £1,165

4. Parent Assessment Management Software (PAMS) £4,000

5. Supervision in psychosocial applications £2,400

6. Psychosocial applications when working with families £ 3,390

7. Post Qualifying awards for Social Workers £11,900

c/ Who delivered each course?

1. Aim2 - AIM Project

2. Approved Mental Health Practitioner - Northumbria University

3. Management development for children's services managers – Mc Kenchies Limited

4. Parent Assessment Management Software (PAMS) PAMS

5. Supervision in psychosocial applications - ICIS

6. Psychosocial applications when working with families - ICIS

7. Post Qualifying awards for Social Workers - Northumbria University*

d/ What was the method of delivery (e.g. face or face, online etc.)

All face to face



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10. What training courses did you commission in 2017/2018 for transition team social workers?

- a/ How many sessions of each course did you commission?
- b/ What was the price per course?
- c/ Who delivered each course?
- d/ What was the method of delivery (e.g. face or face, online etc.)

N/A

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