

Request:

- 1) Does the Local Authority's Director of Public Health have an estimate for the number of:
 - a) Dependent drinkers within your local authority area? YES
 - b) Hazardous drinkers within your local authority area? YES

- 2) Does the Local Authority's Director of Public Health have an estimate for the number of children in your local authority area in;
 - a) Families with a dependent drinker(s) NO
 - b) Families with a hazardous drinker(s) NO

- 3) Can the Local Authority's Director of Public Health provide me with the estimates referenced in request 1 and 2?
 - a) Dependent drinkers within your local authority area? 2604
This data is based on the data provided in the following publication '*Estimates of Alcohol Dependence in England based on APMS 2014, including Estimates of Children Living in a Household with an Adult with Alcohol Dependence Prevalence, Trends, and Amenability to Treatment Robert Pryce, Penny Buykx , Laura Gray , Tony Stone , Colin Drummond , and Alan Brennan prepared for PHE in April 2017*'

 - b) Hazardous drinkers within your local authority area?
23.5% or 38,089 adults in North Tyneside aged 18+ drink more than 14 units of alcohol each week (Data from Health Survey for England in LAPE 2017 and based on 2015 mid population estimates for adults 18+ in North Tyneside)

- 4) Does the Local Authority's Director of Public Health have in place a strategy of support for children of:
 - a) Dependent drinkers NO
 - b) Hazardous drinkers NO

- 5) If so can I;
 - a) Have a copy of the strategy referenced in request 4 and;
 - b) Have an estimate of the budget provision made for this support

- 6) Can the Local Authority's Director of Public Health provide me with an estimate for the number of referrals in your area made for treatments for alcohol misuse in the last year for which data is available?

In 2015/16 there were 374 alcohol referrals to structured treatment in North Tyneside
In 2015/16 there were 113 alcohol and non-opiate referrals to structured treatment in North Tyneside



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Reference: RFI 1709052

- 7) Can the Local Authority's Director of Public Health provide me with an estimate for the amount spent on treatments for alcohol misuse in the last year for which data is available?

See response to question 8 below

- 8) Can the Local Authority's Director of Public Health provide me with an estimate for the amount your local authority area is forecast to spend on treatments for alcohol misuse in:
- a) 2016/17
 - b) 2017/18
 - c) 2018/19

North Tyneside Council commission a drug and alcohol treatment service from Northumberland Tyne and Wear NHS Foundation Trust. This service does not differentiate between drug and alcohol treatment, and so it is not possible to quantify the element that specifically relates to alcohol. The cost of this contract in 2016/17 was £1.823m, and was the final year of a 3 year contract. The contract was extended for a further 2 years, starting in April 2017 and expires on 31st March 2019, and is agreed at £1.934m per annum.

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