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Request:

I am currently working on a project about care homes across the UK.

As part of this, and if possible, could you please answer the following questions?

How many available spaces are there currently in the elderly care homes in your vicinity?

We have 1501 beds across North Tyneside and 236 vacancies at 21/2/2018

• What was the average weekly cost of elderly care homes in each of the calendar years of 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014 and 2013?

NB that the average fees below do not include NHS Funded Nursing Care

2013/14 £434.56 2014/15 £441.07 2015/16 £452.73 2016/17 £483.24 2017/18 £499.16

• How many individuals applied for funding support to support their residency in an elderly care home in each of the calendar years of 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014 and 2013?

The following data shows the number of clients starting an NTC funded long term nursing or residential placement. This data is only available for the following financial years, calendar years are not used for reporting.

2014/15 308 2015/16 382 2016/17 368

• How many individuals did you provide funding support to, so to aid residency in an elderly care home in each of the calendar years of 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014 and 2013?

The following data shows the number of clients receiving an NTC funded long term nursing or residential placement during the year reported. This data is only available for the following financial years, calendar years are not used for reporting.

2014/15 1081 2015/16 1140 2016/17 1243

• How many individuals funded their own residency in an elderly care home in each of the calendar years of 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014 and 2013?

Not known, we do not hold this information.

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