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Request:

1. How many building based day care centres for older people, aged 65 or over, are there currently in your council?

The Council does not have any building based day centres however we commission seven day centres for people 65+

2. How many building based day care centres for older people, aged 65 or over, have been closed in the past five years?

None

3. How many older people, aged 65 or over, are currently in your council area?

This information is exempt from disclosure in response to this request under section 21, information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means, as it is available online at https://my.northtyneside.gov.uk/category/113/datastore

4. How many older people, aged 65 or over, are currently in your council area that are eligible for the council to pay towards the cost of their care (estimate is absolutely fine)?

This information is not held

5. How many older people, aged 65 or over, are receiving funding from the council for day care services?

123 people currently receive a day care service.

6. How many older people, aged 65 or over, attended day care centres for older people in 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018 in your council?

2013/14 - 362 2014/15 - 349 2015/16 - 327 2016/17 - 253 2017/18 - 186 2018/19 - 207

7. What was the total number of day care visits made by all older people, aged 65 or over, to day care centres in your council in 2016, 2017 and 2018?

2016/17 - 27927

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2017/18 - 20093 2018/19 - 11433

8. What was the total expenditure on day care for older people, aged 65 or over, in your council in 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018?

Expenditure on Day care costs for Older People (65+) is recorded in financial years running from 1st April to 31st March. Day care costs were as follows for the following financial years

2013/14 - £294,048 2014/15 - £303,245 2015/16 - £634,158 2016/17 - £588,803 2017/18 - £554,178

9. How much funding did day care centres, for older people aged 65 or over, receive in 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018?

This information is not held. The response to Q8 sets out the Authority's expenditure on these services.

10. What is the process followed by the council once an older person, aged 65 or over, is deemed eligible for day care in your council?

People are assessed under The Care Act 2014. North Tyneside Council use a strengths based approach. If day care is identified as a way of meeting the assessed outcomes then it would be included in their support plan and authorised by a manager.

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