

### 35895 Changing Places Toilets

How many Changing Places Toilets does your Local Authority have and where are they located?

- a) in local authority managed buildings
- b) school/education buildings
- c) shopping centres
- d) transport hubs etc.

We do not hold a central record of all Changing Places Toilets in the City of Edinburgh Council area. Having completed searches of our records in relation to our operational property portfolio, we can find no record of a Changing Places Toilet.

The principal asset types which make up the operational portfolio include:

- Educational Buildings
- Community/Resource Centres & Libraries
- Health and Social Care Services
- Offices
- Depots and Stores
- Theatre, Arts Centres & Museums
- Care Homes
- Public Conveniences
- Leisure and Sports Facilities

Does your Local Authority receive requests by Community groups to ask the Local Authority to install a Changing Places Toilet in their facility?

If so, how many have you received in the last five years?

We do not hold records of any such requests in this period.

Does the Local Authority have any Changing Places Toilets applications going through the planning process at the date of this communication (13/02/2022)?

This information is publicly available via the Council's online Planning Portal at:

<https://citydev-portal.edinburgh.gov.uk/idxpa-web/search.do?action=simple&searchType=Application>

Search 'changing places' (without quotation marks) in the Simple search box. This shows that there is currently one live application.

The Portal will also show any Planning Applications which have already been decided.

Have any planning applications been altered to include a Changing Places Toilets due to the amendment of the Planning (Scotland) Act 2019?

(These powers have been used in the Town And Country Planning (Changing Places Toilet Facilities) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 ('the CPT Regulations'), which:

Amend and add new types of development that require a CPT;

Introduce a minimum size / capacity limit for requiring a CPT, recognising that it may not be reasonably practicable to provide a CPT (minimum 12m<sup>2</sup>) in smaller buildings; and amend the specification of the facility.)

No.

Does your Local Authority contract the services of an Inclusive Design Advisor to overlook planning applications before they are heard by your Planning Board?

No.