

FOI Answers

Local Authority: **City of Edinburgh Council**
Date: **24/07/2025**

1. Please could you supply the name, email address and telephone number of the commissioner with responsibility for learning disabilities placements.	Name	Job title
	Anna Duff	Service Director for Mental Health, Substance Use
2. Please provide the total number of adults with learning disabilities funded by the Local Authority in residential care. Please supply this information as a snapshot at the end of the year for the financial year 2024/25 and the most up to date snapshot available for 2025/26.	2024/25	2025/26
Total in residential care	96	99
3. Of the total number of adults with learning disabilities funded by the Local Authority in residential care (q.2) please provide the number that are in 'in area' placements and the number that are in 'out of area' placements. Please supply this information as a snapshot at the end of the year for the financial year 2024/25 and the most up to date snapshot available for 2025/26.	2024/25	2025/26
In area	28	28
Out of area	68	71
4. Please provide the total number of adults with learning disabilities funded by the Local Authority in supported living. Please supply this information as a snapshot at the end of the year for the financial year 2024/25 and the most up to date snapshot available for 2025/26.	2024/25	2025/26
Total in supported living	643	644
5. Please provide the number of adults with learning disabilities who transitioned from children's learning disabilities services into adult's services - into adult residential care services only, into adult supported living services only, and into adult's services in total. Please supply this information as a snapshot at the end of the year for the financial year 2024/25 and the most up to date snapshot available for 2025/26.	2024/25	2025/26
Total transitioned	14	3
Transitioned to residential care	0	0
Transitioned to supported living	14	3
6. Please provide the number of adults with learning disabilities who 'stepped down' from specialist inpatient hospital placements into adult residential care and supported living services. Please supply this information as a snapshot at the end of the year for the financial year 2024/25 and the most up to date snapshot available for 2025/26.	2024/25	2025/26
Stepped down into residential care	0	0
Stepped down into supported living	0	0
7. Please provide the local authority's total expenditure on residential care and supported living for adults with learning disabilities for the financial year 2024/25, and budgeted expenditure for 2025/26.	2024/25	2025/26
Total expenditure on residential care	£18,545,582	£18,243,660
Total expenditure on supported living	£102,606,366	£106,356,870
8. Please provide the highest, lowest, and average weekly rate paid by the Local Authority for residential care placements for adults with a learning disability for each of the financial years 2024/25 and 2025/26. If the Local Authority has weekly rate bands, please also provide these.	2024/25	2025/26
Highest weekly rate, £	£10,074	£11,887
Lowest weekly rate, £	£684	£902
Average weekly rate, £	£2,950	£3,145
Weekly rate bands, £ (if used)	£0	£0
9. Please provide the number of adults with learning disabilities funded by the Local Authority in residential care with fees per week of:	2024/25	2025/26
Less than £1,500	20	19
£1,500 to £2,999	43	40
£3,000 to £4,999	20	24
£5,000 or more	13	14