

56120 Adult Social Care Commissioning

Please provide the following information relating to how the Council commissions social care via its Framework Providers, to address and service the adult social care services it is responsible for:

Regarding the current framework for providers:

- a) How many framework providers does the Council have?

91.

- b) When is the current framework for providers due to end?

One Edinburgh: 27 Providers: Framework in place from 01/06/2025 until 31/05/2035.

Place to Live: 12 Providers: Framework in place until 30/9/2026.

Care and Support 52: Providers: Framework period extended to allow for current Procurement activity to conclude.

- c) Does the Council have any plans to procure a replacement framework for providers to deliver adult social care services in:

i) 2024/2025, or;

ii) 2025/26?

Please refer to our draft Strategic Plan for Health and Social Care in Edinburgh 2025-28 – Edinburgh Health & Social Care Partnership which is published on our website at:

<https://www.edinburghhsc.scot/whoweare/our-draft-strategic-plan-for-health-and-social-care-in-edinburgh-2025-28/>

Further information on future procurement for Adult Services can be found on the Public Contracts Scotland website at:

<https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/>

How many service users (recipients of adult social care services funded by the Council) does the Council typically have at any one time during a year currently?

There are currently 5,997 people receiving a care service in their own home.

(Further Clarification:

My questions all refer to Care in the Community. So, this would include:

Domiciliary Care/Home Care/Care at Home,

Supported Living,

Extra Care,

Shared Lives,

Mental Health, and

Supporting People with Disabilities

where in all cases this is done via Care in the Community services (conducted in the client's own home).

And not Residential Care/Care Homes, nor Nursing Care/Nursing Homes, nor Day Care, nor Direct Payments, nor Alert Alarms/Telecare.

The type of framework I am referring to is a procurement framework, sometimes referred to as a 'dynamic purchasing system', which care providers can apply to join and will then, if approved, be offered care packages by the Council's care commissioning/brokerage team for the providers to fulfil on the Council's behalf.

Could the Council please advise the answers with respect to: (my Q1) the framework for providers (or each framework if there is more than one) addressing Home Care, Supported Living, Extra Care, Mental Health and Supporting People with Disabilities in the community only, and the number of providers on each such framework delivering these Adult Social Care Services (i.e. not details of each and every provider, just the number on each framework please)?

Also, with respect to my Q2, this question is seeking a snapshot of the number of service users (recipients of these Adult Social Care services funded or part-funded by the Council) that the Council typically has presently?)