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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your email of 14th October 2016. You made the following requests for information:

Would it be possible to send over the number of care applications by LA from 2011-12?

Please see below for our response.

Local Authority	2011-2012									
	Care applications received					Number of subject children				
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full Year	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full Year
Barnsley	13	16	9	10	48	21	28	13	17	79
Bath & North East Somerset	6	3	4	9	22	8	4	8	13	33
Bedford Borough	6	12	9	18	45	9	21	14	33	77
Birmingham	53	75	44	61	233	68	110	75	93	346
Blackburn	15	15	16	11	57	32	31	27	20	110
Blackpool	14	16	19	13	62	29	25	25	20	99
Bolton	14	22	16	26	78	32	44	19	35	130
Bournemouth	13	19	6	13	51	25	28	10	20	83
Bracknell Forest	2	2	5	6	15	3	3	10	8	24
Bradford	33	41	37	25	136	49	59	63	38	209
Brighton and Hove	24	30	30	12	96	51	51	59	20	181
Bristol	30	16	16	32	94	50	28	26	43	147
Buckinghamshire	14	15	9	20	58	21	25	12	32	90
Bury	12	13	18	20	63	16	18	32	29	95
Calderdale	12	15	19	7	53	20	21	37	10	88

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Cambridgeshire	10	13	20	11	54	13	26	31	19	89
Central Bedfordshire	14	10	7	16	47	26	23	15	26	90
Cheshire East	11	11	1	9	32	22	25	1	14	62
Cheshire West & Chester	11	20	16	17	64	24	39	31	27	121
Cornwall	16	24	23	34	97	25	34	42	55	156
Coventry	22	22	17	29	90	38	29	30	56	153
Cumbria	28	27	30	27	112	45	43	55	37	180
Darlington	4	12	9	9	34	8	19	18	20	65
Derby City Council	22	24	30	27	103	43	35	46	50	174
Derbyshire County Council	28	37	37	33	135	41	80	67	49	237
Devon	22	41	29	25	117	43	64	42	45	194
Doncaster	24	31	25	34	114	38	53	42	61	194
Dorset	7	5	6	16	34	12	6	8	29	55
Dudley	13	17	20	18	68	19	31	31	32	113
Durham	17	33	27	34	111	40	55	48	61	204
East Riding of Yorks	7	13	15	13	48	11	20	21	25	77
East Sussex	32	27	25	30	114	62	55	43	44	204
Essex	59	58	63	38	218	96	102	98	48	344
Gateshead	19	20	16	17	72	36	36	26	37	135
Gloucestershire	14	10	18	13	55	35	15	35	24	109
Halton	5	8	4	9	26	8	14	4	17	43
Hampshire	29	34	35	30	128	41	61	63	53	218
Hartlepool	4	8	9	3	24	7	11	17	5	40
Herefordshire	4	7	9	6	26	6	9	12	6	33
Hertfordshire	37	48	34	39	158	62	84	57	60	263
Isle Of Wight	5	4	5	4	18	6	5	10	7	28
Isles Of Scilly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kent	70	76	92	82	320	133	131	169	128	561
Hull	26	25	24	18	93	43	38	35	26	142
Kirklees	20	26	28	29	103	36	37	32	40	145
Knowsley	6	4	6	6	22	10	9	13	10	42
Lancashire	47	46	48	63	204	79	69	69	101	318
Leeds	53	62	44	59	218	78	95	68	86	327
Leicester City	22	13	19	23	77	40	17	31	29	117
Leicestershire	25	23	18	14	80	43	33	21	19	116
Lincolnshire	13	27	31	23	94	27	39	51	30	147
Liverpool	32	27	21	38	118	52	44	30	60	186
London-Barking & Dagenham	25	13	17	14	69	52	24	27	21	124
London-Barnet	11	12	10	9	42	17	24	19	13	73
London-Bexley	11	8	10	12	41	17	12	25	21	75
London-Brent	14	11	20	16	61	20	15	41	23	99

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London-Bromley	8	7	13	10	38	14	11	22	14	61
London-Camden	6	17	15	11	49	7	26	18	19	70
City Of London	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	1	0	2
London-Croydon	10	18	15	20	63	15	34	32	31	112
London-Ealing	24	16	14	16	70	42	33	30	32	137
London-Enfield	15	8	8	11	42	27	12	11	11	61
London-Greenwich	13	16	14	18	61	24	26	21	24	95
London-Hackney	9	7	18	12	46	16	11	32	17	76
London-Hammersmith & Fulham	10	14	13	14	51	12	21	21	18	72
London-Haringey	33	24	17	10	84	73	34	31	11	149
London-Harrow	4	3	6	9	22	8	7	8	13	36
London-Havering	2	1	5	6	14	2	1	7	9	19
London-Hillingdon	12	12	7	14	45	24	21	13	29	87
London-Hounslow	7	6	9	11	33	8	10	19	13	50
London-Islington	11	5	14	11	41	16	8	19	24	67
London-Kensington & Chelsea	3	7	3	4	17	3	8	6	9	26
London-Kingston-upon-Thames	6	2	6	2	16	8	2	10	2	22
London-Lambeth	20	20	17	34	91	23	38	22	57	140
London-Lewisham	18	17	20	27	82	26	34	23	37	120
London-Merton	8	4	6	3	21	14	6	16	4	40
London-Newham	6	10	12	16	44	11	22	22	19	74
London-Redbridge	10	6	5	8	29	18	11	9	15	53
London-Richmond	2	1	4	3	10	2	1	4	7	14
London-Southwark	26	31	20	23	100	41	48	26	34	149
London-Sutton	5	5	11	8	29	17	7	13	13	50
London-Tower Hamlets	11	12	13	6	42	15	19	19	10	63
London-Waltham Forest	9	18	13	9	49	13	23	18	10	64
London-Wandsworth	10	10	12	6	38	16	17	24	8	65
London-Westminster	8	7	4	7	26	9	11	6	10	36
Luton	14	11	9	12	46	21	20	20	21	82
Manchester	33	36	42	50	161	54	55	73	104	286
Medway	3	14	19	19	55	3	15	33	29	80
Middlesbrough	21	18	17	24	80	41	42	30	54	167
Milton Keynes	12	8	6	13	39	16	13	10	15	54
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	15	15	20	10	60	18	31	29	22	100
Norfolk	41	45	43	51	180	55	70	68	84	277
North East Lincolnshire	5	8	8	6	27	5	12	13	8	38
North Lincolnshire	10	5	8	4	27	15	10	10	9	44
North Somerset	5	5	10	5	25	7	10	25	9	51
North Tyneside	12	11	10	17	50	26	21	21	36	104
North Yorkshire	15	16	18	17	66	24	29	37	27	117

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Northamptonshire	24	22	22	30	98	48	42	42	52	184
Northumberland	6	14	17	8	45	9	24	30	14	77
Nottingham City	21	25	15	29	90	35	41	31	48	155
Nottinghamshire	32	29	28	38	127	52	51	41	53	197
Oldham Metropolitan	7	8	16	11	42	11	19	26	18	74
Oxfordshire	19	14	19	21	73	31	22	37	30	120
Peterborough	12	12	23	16	63	18	23	30	25	96
Plymouth	16	15	13	17	61	25	26	18	22	91
Poole	5	5	4	8	22	10	7	6	11	34
Portsmouth	6	7	10	14	37	8	11	14	19	52
Reading	7	15	12	12	46	13	26	21	20	80
Redcar & Cleveland	10	22	16	15	63	14	42	32	30	118
Rochdale	15	24	19	15	73	18	44	31	27	120
Rotherham	24	9	24	21	78	45	12	35	33	125
Rutland	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	4	5
Salford	15	11	14	23	63	21	18	27	38	104
Sandwell	20	26	24	19	89	39	43	30	37	149
Sefton	14	13	9	17	53	26	22	21	25	94
Sheffield City	28	37	37	30	132	46	62	56	56	220
Shropshire	9	7	12	5	33	13	9	27	8	57
Slough	4	11	7	6	28	6	18	12	10	46
Solihull	3	5	10	6	24	4	6	21	20	51
Somerset	26	35	22	26	109	34	54	27	54	169
South Gloucestershire	8	10	6	12	36	10	15	8	20	53
South Tyneside	24	18	22	26	90	41	32	27	48	148
Southampton	16	24	13	30	83	29	47	24	43	143
Southend	0	0	0	0	0	15	11	14	13	53
St Helens	8	10	15	8	41	8	17	25	11	61
Staffordshire	25	32	29	42	128	39	52	53	63	207
Stockport	12	11	14	14	51	15	15	22	20	72
Stockton-On-Tees	18	23	24	26	91	39	54	55	44	192
Stoke-On-Trent	23	20	17	22	82	40	38	18	34	130
Suffolk	33	27	24	24	108	53	52	28	36	169
Sunderland	24	17	21	15	77	47	37	37	29	150
Surrey	31	31	27	42	131	45	60	37	72	214
Swindon	4	7	7	6	24	9	9	13	11	42
Tameside	12	24	15	16	67	15	38	17	35	105
Telford & Wrekin	9	21	12	6	48	11	31	24	10	76
Thurrock	7	7	11	7	32	16	19	32	21	88
Torbay	10	18	14	11	53	13	24	22	23	82
Trafford	10	6	2	12	30	15	9	3	18	45
Wakefield	17	19	17	14	67	36	28	24	19	107
Walsall	12	8	13	17	50	17	13	22	25	77
Warrington	11	13	10	13	47	17	18	14	15	64



Warwickshire	19	29	30	33	111	30	48	59	51	188
West Berkshire	1	6	2	3	12	1	18	5	3	27
West Sussex	21	15	21	19	76	37	28	28	27	120
Wigan	13	10	21	14	58	24	14	34	18	90
Wiltshire	10	10	7	15	42	25	20	17	23	85
Windsor & Maidenhead	4	6	3	1	14	6	13	8	1	28
Wirral	14	16	24	22	76	26	32	43	42	143
Wokingham	4	3	5	3	15	6	9	8	3	26
Wolverhampton	20	22	24	29	95	43	46	49	54	192
Worcestershire	17	13	14	19	63	35	23	17	27	102
York	14	14	9	7	44	26	23	16	11	76
National Total	2,376	2,605	2,552	2,709	10,242	3,994	4,402	4,244	4,387	17,027

Notes:

1. Figures in the above table and graph are provided from the Cafcass national case management system (CMS). The unit of measurement is a care application, upon its receipt by Cafcass from the Court and its entry into CMS, and the number of children subject to those applications. In 2011-12, 2 applications were received 'Out of Jurisdiction' and are not counted in this breakdown. CMS is a live system and any late entries will be accounted for at the time of release of subsequent updates to this data. This data will be updated on a quarterly basis as per the financial year.

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