

6 November 2017

Our Ref: RFI 21631

Dear

**Freedom of Information Act 2000
Information in Relation to Nursing Care Provided to a Children at Home**

I am writing to confirm that the South Eastern Health & Social Care Trust (the Trust) has now completed its search for the information relating to the above which you requested on 10 October 2017. A response to both your questions is provided below:-

Q1. *In the last 12 months has your Trust provided nursing care for a child within the child's own home?*

A1. Yes. The Trust has provided nursing care to children in their own homes through the Community Children's Nursing Service (CCN) and the Children's Learning Disability Nursing Service (CNLD), based on the assessed needs of the individual.

Q2. *If so, for how many children?*

A2. The number of children who received nursing care at home through the CCN service is approximately 260.

The number of children who received nursing care at home through the CNLD service is approximately 150.

Under the terms of the legislation, if you are unhappy with this response you have the right to seek a review within the Trust in the first instance. If you wish to do so, please write to me at the address below.

If after such a review you are still unhappy with the response, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner who will undertake an independent review. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, SK9 5AF.

If you have any queries about this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

Yours sincerely

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Directorate Support