

FOI number: **HBC\_FOI\_2019053**  
Date FOI Received: **17/01/2019**  
Department: **Hertfordshire County Council (Not Hertsmere Borough Council)**  
Title: **Young Carers**  
Description: **Number of young carers under 18 and amount spent on support for 2008-2018 by year.**

**Request:** *(As Redacted sent by requestor)*

Dear Sir/Madam

I would like to request the following information:

**1) How many young carers under the age of 18 are identified in your area?**

2008/09

2009/10

2010/11

2011/12

2012/13

2013/14

2014/15

2015/16

2016/17

2017/18

This year to date.

**2) Does your area run a dedicated service for Young Carers (under the age of 18)?**

**3) Details of how much was spent on support for young carers in –**

2008/09

2009/10

2010/11

2011/12

2012/13

2013/14

2014/15

2015/16

2016/17

2017/18

This year to date.

I would like a copy of the information and would prefer for it to be sent by email if possible. If any part of the information requested is covered by one or more of the absolute exemptions in the Act please treat this request as a request for that part of the information which is not covered by the absolute exemption.

If you need further details in order to identify the information requested or a fee is payable please let me know as soon as possible.

If you are of the view that there may be further information of the kind requested but it is held by another public authority please let me know as soon as possible. Please continue with this application as quickly as possible.

I believe that the information requested is required in the public interest for the following reasons: To uphold public confidence that the council has thorough policies on the type of information it is obliged to record .

Sincerely

**Response:**                    ***(Response as Redacted sent by service)***

Thank you for your query.

Hertfordshire is a two tier area and this service is not provided at a district level but by the County Council.

Therefore, please refer your FOI request to Hertfordshire County Council who will be able to help you.

Kind regards  
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