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Department: Hertfordshire County Council (Not Hertsmere Borough Council)

Title: (EHCP) Education, Health and Care plan assessments

Description: Details of refusals and mediation for (EHCP) Education, Health

and Care plan assessments

Request: (As Redacted sent by requestor)

Dear sir/madam,

I am writing to you under the freedom of information act 2000 to request the following information from you:

How many requests for EHCP assessments have been made in 23/07/2018-23/07/2019?

How many plans were created in this period

How many assessments were refused at initial request?

How many plans were released after the statutory 20 week deadline?

How much was spent on EHCP mediation during 23/07/2018-23/07/2019?

How many EHCP mediation sessions were completed?

How many applications for appeal to first tier tribunal regarding change to content or name of provision in an EHCP were lodged during 23/07/2018-23/07/2019?

How many first tier tribunals went ahead?

How many were in favour of the LA?

What was the cost to the LA of processing the paperwork involved with, and attending tribunals during 23/07/2018-23/07/2019?

Thank you for your time, I look forward to hearing from you.

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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