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**Request and Response:**

**Please note when we refer to “residential care home providers” this includes where the council itself operates the care home and where any company in which the council has an interest (either directly or indirectly) operates the care home.**

**Please note we only request information as it relates to beds funded 100% by the council and not where the cost of such a bed is funded wholly or partly by any NHS body.**

**Please note we request information related to all adult social care funded 100% by the council.**

**Please note when we refer to “Yr1, Yr2 and Yr3” we are referring to the council’s financial years (1) 2016/17, (2) 2017/18, and (3) 2018/19.**

**1. What is the standard rate per bed payable to residential care home providers that the council set in each of Yr1, Yr2, Yr3? Please provide the standard rates for all different bands/categories of services that the council set including a description of the band/category of service e.g. standard residential, residential special needs etc.**

Years 1 and 2 – Cornwall Council was using a Resource Allocation Tool to calculate the Care Home fee based on individual needs plus £230 Hotel costs for placements made in Care Homes.

In Year 3 Cornwall Council introduced a Usual Maximum Price for Care Home fees in Cornwall (placements made in other local authority areas by Cornwall will be based on the host authority rates. The Usual Maximum Price for 2018/19 was:

Residential	£687 per week
Residential Dementia	£736 per week
Nursing	£756 per week excluding FNC
Up to 20 hours a week 1:1 dedicated support	£15.31 per hour
20 hours plus dedicated 1:1 Support per week	Bespoke rate calculated using the iESE Care Funding Calculator

**2. For each of Yr1, Yr2 and Yr3, please provide the average price per bed that the council paid to residential care home providers in each of the bands/categories of services that the council has included in its response to Question 1.**

100% funded by the Council (No client contribution or Health element)

16/17 - £855.88

17/18 - £757.21

18/19 - £1,283.58

Net Amount paid by the Council for people with Client Contributions

16/17 - £632.19

17/18 - £654.64

18/19 - £714.69

Gross Amount paid by the Council for people with Client Contributions

16/17 - £758.16

17/18 - £790.11

18/19 - £853.18

We are unable to provide a breakdown of average costs paid for any different bands/categories as there is no way of identifying things like Residential EMI from standard Residential.

- 3. For each of Yr1, Yr2 and Yr3, please provide the total number of beds purchased by the council from residential care home providers split into the bands/ categories of services that the council has specified in its answer to Question 1.**

Year 1 (2016/17)

	Residential Placements	Nursing Placement
Learning Disabilities	289	0
Older People/Physical Disabilities	1022	496

Year 2 (2017/18)

	Residential Placements	Nursing Placement
Learning Disabilities	256	0
Older People/Physical Disabilities	1097	517

Year 2 (2018/19)

	Residential Placements	Nursing Placement
Learning Disabilities	246	5
Older People/Physical Disabilities	1036	490

- 4. For each of Yr1, Yr2 and Yr3, please provide the proportion (expressed as a percentage) and/ or number of beds purchased from residential care home providers in each of the bands/ categories of services that the council has specified in its answer to Question 1 that were purchased:**

- a. at the council's standard rate specified in its response to Question 1.
- b. below the council's standard rate specified in its response to Question 1.
- c. above the council's standard rate specified in its response to Question 1.

Year 1 and 2 Cornwall Council did not have a Standard Rate. In Year 3 Cornwall Council had a Usual Maximum Price rather than a Standard Rate therefore this information is not held by the Council.

**Information provided by:** Adult Social Care

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