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**Request and response:**

**I would like to request the following information regarding spending and contracts for older person's social services (aged 65 and over). Please provide answers in the attached Microsoft Excel spreadsheet.**

- 1. Does the Local Authority operate a usual cost of care for older person's social services? By usual cost of care, we mean set weekly fee rates that the Local Authority pays to care providers for older people's residential, residential EMI, nursing, and nursing EMI care.**

No, for 2020/21 the Council has introduced expected ranges rather than Usual Maximum Price

- 2. If the answer to question 1 is 'yes', does the Local Authority have a banding system for fee rates? By 'banding system' we mean different levels of fees according to a council's own criteria i.e. quality grades.**

Not applicable

- 3. If the answer to question 2 is 'no', please provide the Local Authority's own set weekly fee rates for 2020/21 for:**

- a. Older person's residential**
- b. Older person's residential EMI**
- c. Older person's nursing**
- d. Older person's nursing EMI**



For 2020/21 Cornwall Council has introduced expected ranges for care home fees.

Residential Tiers	Carer Hours (Decimal)	Nursing Hours (Decimal)	Expected Range 2020-21
<b>Tier 1</b> (Formerly Residential)	21.6	0	£705 to £756
<b>Tier 2</b> (Formerly Res Dementia)	24.9	0	£753 to £804
<b>Tier 3</b> Residential Additional Support (New +10 hours)	34.9	0	£896 to £947
<b>Tier 4</b> Bespoke Care Funding Calculator	Bespoke	0	Bespoke

Nursing Tiers	Carer Hours (Decimal)	Nursing Hours (Decimal)	Expected Range 2020-21 (Includes FNC)
<b>Tier 1</b> (Formally Nursing Standard)	24.1	8.44	£990 to £1,044
<b>Tier 2</b> (New Nursing +10)	34.1	8.44	£1,134 to £1,188
<b>Tier 3</b> (New Nursing +20)	44.1	8.44	£1,277 to £1,331
<b>Tier 4</b> Bespoke Care Funding Calculator	Bespoke	Bespoke	Bespoke

4. If the answer to question 2 is 'yes', please provide the Local Authority's own weekly set fees associated with each band/grade for 2020/21 for:

- a. Older person's residential
- b. Older person's residential EMI
- c. Older person's nursing
- d. Older person's nursing EMI

Not applicable



**5. Please provide the highest, lowest, average (mean) and median actual weekly fees paid to older person's care providers in 2020/21**

- a. Older person's residential
- b. Older person's residential EMI
- c. Older person's nursing
- d. Older person's nursing EMI

Cornwall Council is unable to split the fees paid to differentiate the EMI placements and therefore gives below details for all Nursing and all Residential. The 2020/21 figures are predictions as discussions with providers are still ongoing.

Residential	2019/20	Predicted 2020/21
Highest	£3,058.00	£3,149.74
Lowest	£399.65	£411.64
Median	£772.00	£795.16

Nursing	2019/20	Predicted 2020/21
Highest	£2,437.01	£2,510.12
Lowest	£390.00	£401.70
Median	£830.00	£854.90

**For clarification, EMI stands for Elderly Mentally Infirm**

**If figures for 2020/21 are not available, please provide budgeted or predicted figures**

**Information provided by:** Adult Social Care

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