



My Ref: FOI/4231
Your Ref:
Date: 09/04/2025
Enquiries to: Information Requests
E-Mail: informationrequests@barnsley.gov.uk

Dear Requester,

Re: Request for Information – Freedom of Information Act 2000

I wish to confirm that the council has completed its search for the information which you requested.

The information requested and our findings are as follows: -

Your questions and my findings are as follows:-

• **What was the lowest rate (£ per week) you paid for placing a person in your area for 2024/25 and 2025/26. Please disregard Funding Nursing Care (FNC) from these calculations. Fee Rates - Working Aged Adults (18-64) FY2024/25 FY2025/26 Residential Nursing (excl. FNC) Fee Rates - Older People (65+) FY2024/25 FY2025/26 Residential Residential Dementia Nursing (excl. FNC) Nursing Dementia (excl. FNC)**

Older people (65+)

Year	Residential	Residential EMI
2024/2025	751.56	807.62
2025/2026	806.42	866.58

The above rates reflect the rates paid to providers on our residential care framework for older people.

We do not pay an enhancement for nursing care, therefore the rates for Nursing care are the same as above with FNC added.

Working age adults (18-64)

Year	Residential - Lowest	Average
2024/2025	751.56	2648.26
2025/2026	806.42	2841.58

For working age adults fees are agreed case by case based on the needs of the individual, as such we do not have a separate rate for EMI.

The figures provided above reflect the lowest rates paid for a WAA residential placement in that financial year exclusive of FNC however we have also included the average as most WAA fees are above standard rates paid.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact Information Requests via email.

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Information Requests Team
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Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
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SK9 5AF

Email: <http://www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints>

Kind regards,

Information Requests Team, Barnsley MBC

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