

21 August 2012

## **Freedom of Information Request**

Thank you for your email of 9 August 2012, in which you have requested information relating to temporary qualified social workers. Specifically, you have requested the following:

*“How many qualified Social Workers were working on a temporary (Agency) basis at the Council on 2nd July 2012 analysed by:  
1. Children’s Services  
2. Adult Services”*

Your request has been considered under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and I can confirm the following:

The break down of social workers employed on a temporary contract on 02 July 2012 is as follows:

Children services 22  
Adult services 16

If you are dissatisfied with the way the council has handled your request under the Freedom of Information Act you may ask for an internal review. This should be submitted to us within 40 working days of this response. You can do this by outlining the details of your complaint by:

**Email:** [information@croydon.gov.uk](mailto:information@croydon.gov.uk)

**Writing:** Complaint Resolution Team  
London Borough of Croydon  
Taberner House  
Park Lane  
Croydon, CR9 3JS

Any requests received after the 40 working day time limit will be considered only at the discretion of the council.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner’s Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire SK9 5AF

Yours sincerely

Information Co-ordinator