

21 May 2021  
Our ref: 7293564

Thank you for your request received on 7 May 2021, for the following information:

**We would like to request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000:**

**1. How many adults in receipt of long-term social care, including those who received a personal budget under the Care Act 2014, had their care package reviewed in the each of the following financial years:**

- a) 2018-19**
- b) 2019-20**
- c) 2020-21**

**Please specify figures for both those in receipt of a personal budget and those not in receipt of one.**

**2. How many adults in receipt of long-term social care, including those who received a personal budget under the Care Act 2014, had their care package reduced in terms of (i) monetary value and (ii) number of hours received, in each of the following financial years:**

- a) 2018-19**
- b) 2019-20**
- c) 2020-21**

**Please specify figures for both those in receipt of a personal budget and those not in receipt of one.**

**3. How many social care services funded by the local authority do you operate?**

**Of them, how many have increased their care fee rates, and by what percentage, or cost (in monetary value) in each of the following financial years:**

- a) 2018-19**
- b) 2019-20**
- c) 2020-21**

**For all three questions, if you do not keep your records by financial year, please send us the data by calendar year or part thereof.**

We have processed this request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

## Response

The council holds the information requested and it is attached/ the answers to your questions are below

**1. How many adults in receipt of long-term social care, including those who received a personal budget under the Care Act 2014, had their care package reviewed in the each of the following financial years:**

Q1	Unique Clients who have had a review in the year (LTS002a/b)	Clients receiving PB in the year
2018-2019	2467	1213
2019-2020	2379	1219
2020-2021	1915	1180

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**2. How many adults in receipt of long-term social care, including those who received a personal budget under the Care Act 2014, had their care package reduced in terms of (i) monetary value and (ii) number of hours received, in each of the following financial years:**

Q2	Clients who had a reduction in their package	Clients receiving PB in the year
2018-2019	301	234
2019-2020	355	274
2020-2021	434	352

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Nil, London Borough of Barnet does not operate any care services, all services are commissioned from external companies or stand alone partners.

## Further information

If you are interested in the data that the council holds you may wish to visit Open Barnet, the council's data portal. This brings together all our published datasets and other information of interest on one searchable database for anyone, anywhere to access. <http://open.barnet.gov.uk/>

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