



**Enquiries to:** Information Team  
**Our Ref:** FOI 1367357

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Dear Mr Calver

### **Freedom of Information Request 1367357**

Thank you for your recent request received 5 September 2019. Your request was actioned under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in which you requested the following information:-

I would be grateful if you could supply the following information from your local authority:

- \* Housing policy for care leavers
- \* Strategy for Children in Care
- \* Mental Health Strategy for Children in Care

Under the terms of the Open Government License, the documents above will be placed on the website of Isabel's Voice (free to the public), unless you remove your permission to do so.

### **Response**

Liverpool City Council confirms that it holds information relevant to the terms of your request, our response being set out below:-

- \* We do not have a separate policy; the care leaver offer is on line and covers housing and is available at [www.liverpool.gov.uk/council/strategies-plans-and-policies/children-and-families/liverpool-leaving-care-local-offer-2019/](http://www.liverpool.gov.uk/council/strategies-plans-and-policies/children-and-families/liverpool-leaving-care-local-offer-2019/)
- \* This strategy is currently under review
- \* We do not have a specific mental health strategy for Children in Care. We do have the 5 year Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing Local Transformation Plan (LTP) and annual refreshed versions which aims to improve support and services for all children and young people. The link to the 5 year LTP is [www.liverpoolccg.nhs.uk/health-and-services/children-and-young-people/children-and-young-peoples-mental-health-camhs/](http://www.liverpoolccg.nhs.uk/health-and-services/children-and-young-people/children-and-young-peoples-mental-health-camhs/)

This concludes our response.

The City Council will consider appeals, referrals or complaints in respect of your Freedom of Information Act 2000 and you must submit these in writing to [Informationrequests@liverpool.gov.uk](mailto:Informationrequests@liverpool.gov.uk) within 28 days of receiving your response.

The matter will be dealt with by an officer who was not previously involved with the response and we will look to provide a response within 40 days.

If you remain dissatisfied you may also apply to the Information Commissioner for a decision about whether the request for information has been dealt with in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

The Information Commissioner's website is [www.ico.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.uk) and the postal address and telephone numbers are:-

Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK95AF. DX 20819. Telephone 0303 123 1113.

Email: [mail@ico.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:mail@ico.gsi.gov.uk) (they advise that their email is not secure)

I trust this information satisfies your enquiry.

Yours sincerely

## Information Team