

Further to your information request FOI/EIR 24/25-183, please find your question and our response below.

Request:

1. The average length of time households spent in temporary accommodation (including b&bs and hotels) after making a homelessness application to the council :

a) between April 1st 2023 and March 31st 2024

b) between April 1st 2024 and July 31st 2024

2. The average length of time households with children spent in temporary accommodation (including b&bs and hotels) after making a homelessness application to the council:

a). between April 1st 2023 and March 31st 2024

b). between April 1st 2024 and July 31st 2024

3.Whether the figures you provide take into account households being moved from one temporary accommodation – to another. Or whether it is reflective of the amount of time the same households are spending in temporary accommodation (even if it is 4 hotels etc, over time)

Response:

1.

- a) 4 months 2 weeks
- b) 4 months

2.

- a) 3 months 1 week
- b) 4 months

3. All the same accommodations we do not move people.

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 24/25-183.

If information has been refused, please treat this as a Refusal Notice for the purposes of the Act.

If you disagree with our decision or are otherwise unhappy with how we have dealt with your request in the first instance you may approach foi@eastcambs.gov.uk and request a review. A request for review must be made in no more than 40 working days from the date of this email.

Should you remain dissatisfied with the outcome you have a right under s50 of the Freedom of Information Act to appeal against the decision by contacting the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.