

UK Survey of allegations concerning the abuse or neglect of looked after children

Local Authority name	Leicester City Council
Completion date	27.11.2012
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Phase 1 of our study is asking for summary information from all Local Authorities. Please complete the following table with reference to all allegations of abuse or neglect of children in foster and residential placements referred to the LADO (or equivalent designated manager responsible for safeguarding Looked after children) in each year, and outcomes for those children.

		Foster Placements			Residential Placements		
Year (from 1 April to 31 March):		2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012
Allegations	Total number of allegations of abuse or neglect of children	15	15	21	12	12	8
	Number of allegations that were substantiated	1	4	2	0	0	0
	Number of allegations that were unsubstantiated	14	11	18	12	12	8
	<i>Of these:</i>						
	Number that proved to be unfounded	9	4	9	6	7	6
	Number unsubstantiated due to insufficient evidence	5	7	8	6	4	2
	Number that have yet to be decided	0	0	1	0	1	0
Outcomes for children	Number of <i>substantiated</i> allegations that resulted in the permanent removal of the child from the placement	1	3	0	0	0	0
	Number of <i>unfounded</i> allegations that resulted in the permanent removal of the child from the placement	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Number of <i>unsubstantiated</i> allegations that resulted in the permanent removal of the child from the placement	0	0	1	0	0	0

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