

Corporate Parenting Panel October 2010

Attachment 2

Analysis of out of Borough Placements

Harrow's Neighbouring Authorities (Barnet, Brent, Ealing, Hertfordshire and Hillingdon) are highlighted.

All looked after children:

Total looked after children on 31 August 2010 = 131

Borough of placement	Number	%
Harrow	50	38.2%
Brent	22	16.8%
Kent	9	6.9%
Ealing	8	6.1%
Buckinghamshire	5	3.8%
Hertfordshire	4	3.1%
Barnet	2	1.5%
Cambridgeshire	2	1.5%
East Sussex	2	1.5%
Hampshire	2	1.5%
Haringey	2	1.5%
Hillingdon	2	1.5%
Northumberland	2	1.5%
Southwark	2	1.5%
(Missing from placement)	2	1.5%

1 client in each of the following boroughs (total = 15):

Barking and Dagenham, Central Bedfordshire, Derbyshire, Dudley, Hounslow, Lancashire, Liverpool, Milton Keynes, Oxfordshire, Somerset, Staffordshire, Stoke-on-Trent, Suffolk, West Berkshire, Wokingham.

Looked after children in foster placements:

Total looked after children in foster placements on 31 August 2010 = 70

Borough of placement	Number	%
Harrow	29	41.43%
Brent	17	24.29%
Ealing	4	5.71%
Hertfordshire	4	5.71%
Kent	4	5.71%
Northumberland	2	2.86%
Southwark	2	2.86%

1 client in each of the following boroughs (total = 8):
 Barnet, Buckinghamshire, Central Bedfordshire, East Sussex, Hampshire, Hounslow, Stoke-On-Trent,
 West Berkshire.

Location of Placement of London Authorities' Looked After Children

(Based on data collected 23 of the 33 London boroughs by London Assistant Directors and Heads of Children's Social Care Network)

London Authorities' Looked After Children Placed in Harrow:

Total number of looked after children placed in Harrow by other LAs in the sample = 96

Borough of placement	Number
Brent	47
Ealing	20
Islington	5
Croydon	4
H&F	4
Wandsworth	3
Westminster	3
Waltham Forest	2

1 client in each of the following boroughs (total = 8):
 Camden, Enfield, Hackney, K&C, Lambeth, Newham, Richmond, Tower Hamlets.

Statistical Neighbour comparison

Borough	Approx number of LAC	% Placed in borough	% Placed in neighbouring boroughs	% Placed elsewhere
Harrow	131	38%	29%	33%
Croydon	1047	62%	13%	25%
Ealing	425	44%	25%	31%
Enfield	286	47%	26%	28%
Hounslow	237	54%	17%	29%
Redbridge	220	53%	28%	19%

(Data was not available for other statistical neighbours: Barnet, Hillingdon, Kingston, Merton, Slough)