

Freedom of Information Request - Excess winter deaths and illness

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Request:

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request information about the steps Eastleigh Council is taking to comply with the National Institute of Clinical Excellence's (NICE) Guideline NG6 on Excess winter deaths and illness and the health risks associated with cold homes.

My questions are:

1. What steps is your local authority Health & Wellbeing Board taking to meet Recommendation 1: Develop a strategy

1. What steps is your local authority Health & Wellbeing Board taking to meet Recommendation 2: Identify a point of contact (health and housing referral service) for people living in cold homes.

1. Could you please provide a copy of your local authority Joint Strategic Needs Assessment

Response:

Hampshire County Council is the local authority for this request and the link to their online Freedom of Information Request form is:

<https://www.hants.gov.uk/aboutthecouncil/informationandstats/freedomofinformation>