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QUESTIONS AT ANY TIME TO CABINET PORTFOLIO HOLDERS

Question From:	County Councillor Iain McIntosh
Subject:	Provision of adult and children's social services
Question To:	County Councillor Myfanwy Alexander
	Portfolio Holder for Adult Social Care and Welsh Language and County Councillor Rachel Powell Portfolio Holder for Young People and Culture

Question:

The provision of adult and children's social services is one of the most important responsibilities that local authorities throughout the entire country have, and rightly so, as it is important that both vulnerable adults and children, and those with special needs, are provided with the right levels of support to ensure they are cared for properly. I understand Powys County Council does not provide all social services from within the authority, with some being provided by external agencies. I'd like to ask about the cost of such service provision. Can the social service portfolio holders please confirm how many individuals in total (adults and children combined) have, over the last 12 months, cost this authority;

Up to £1,000 a week
Between £1,001 and £5,000 a week
Between £5,001 and £10,000 a week
Between £10,001 and £20,000 a week
Between £20,001 and £30,000 a week
Between £30,001 and £40,000 a week
Over £40,001 a week.

Can the portfolio holders also please confirm what measures are in place to ensure the costs of providing social services are kept under control.