

I'm researching what happens to children deprived of their liberty under court orders sought by councils. Please can you help with the following? Please use the attached spreadsheet.

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- 1) How many children have been subject to deprivation of liberty orders (following council applications) in 2021 and so far in 2022 (Jan to Sep)?
- 2) How many of these children (see Q1) have been placed in unregulated placements (that is placements not regulated by Ofsted)?
- 3) How many of these children (see Q1) were aged under-16?
- 4) How many of these children (see Q1) were given out-of-area placements?
- 5) Please list all the different types of accommodation/ placement recorded in your data for these children (see Q1), which might include hostels, flats, B&Bs, shared houses, family homes, caravans, canal boats etc? Please include the number of placements for each type of accommodation/placement recorded in your data if possible otherwise just list the different types.
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 - OFSTED registered childrens homes
 Unregulated children's homes avaiting
 - Unregulated children's homes awaiting OFSTED registration with court oversight
 - CQC registered care home