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Information request

I am trying to find some data that provides a breakdown of the amount of people in London that have child dependents and are in the ESA work related activity group.

Ideally I am looking for this data at both the London region level and broken down by London borough, and would like it to cover the period from November 2010 – most recent data available.

DWP response

In response to your question, caseload statistics for the number of Employment and Support Allowance claimants who have been placed in the Work Related Activity Group and have one or more child dependants by Local Authority, Region and quarter can be found in the attached Excel document (FOI 2014-1314 Response.xls).

You may find it useful to know that information on the total number of Employment and Support Allowance claimants in the Work Related Activity Group is published via the Departmental Tabulation tool which allows users to create their own tables and can be found here:

http://tabulation-tool.dwp.gov.uk/100pc/esa/tabtool esa.html