



REGULATION 44 REPORTS AND FEEDBACK FROM COUNCILLOR VISITS

Home	September Regulation 44 Report	October Regulation 44 Report
FURZE HOUSE	22.09.16 A positive report with three recommendations. See other information below	This report is not yet been compiled as the visits took place at the end of October
WESTMINSTER HOUSE	21.09.16 This home is reported as running smoothly by the Independent person see note below	This report is not yet been compiled as the visits took place at the end of October
WALNUTS	22.09.16 The Walnuts as reported by the Independent Person is running smoothly with no concerns. They had two recommendations one relating to an inclusion of restriction of liberty within certain paperwork	This report is not yet been compiled as the visits took place at the end of October
Independent visitor	Bill Joyce	Bill Joyce

Other information about this period:

Positive comments were from parents relating to a questionnaire recently in Furze House.

It appears CIN documentation is not being obtained in a reasonable timescale; both the manager and respective authorities should be proactive in obtaining this in Westminster House. The reference in one recommendation which refers to 'unexplained bruising' would obviously need more scrutiny and triangulation reporting by the independent person.

Action for October onwards:

- NYAS has improved consistency with visitors to all three homes. Essentially, securing one visitor to commit to all three homes for a period of up to six-months.
- Access for the independent person to the electronic filing system to view files would be beneficial during regulation 44 visits

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