

		Responded	How many children are provided ABA/VB across settings listed home, primary, secondary, special school or part time	How many via tribunal and how many without	Without tribunal how many initiated legal action but reached settlement pre-tribunal	Policy documents on awarding ABA	Rationale for awarding ABA	Criteria on SEND Local Offer page?
Darlington Borough Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req#incoming-762755	Partial	There are no children whose approved programme of provision identifies a specific ABA therapy programme.	n/a	n/a	The local authority does not have any specific policy documents relating to this type of therapy.	n/a	not answered
Durham County Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req_2#incoming-765696	Partial	0 (zero)	n/a	n/a	Not applicable as this has not been an issue for the local authority	n/a	not answered
Gateshead Metropolitan Borough Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req_3#incoming-751080	Partial	In response to your recent FOI request we have no children in Gateshead receiving ABA	n/a	n/a	not answered	n/a	not answered
Hartlepool Borough Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req_4#incoming-775840	Partial	number suppressed, figure of 5 or less	In Hartlepool ABA has not been due to tribunal order or settlement following legal action	In Hartlepool ABA has not been due to tribunal order or settlement following legal action	Requests would be considered on an individual basis for those children and young people undergoing an EHC assessment or review. The agreement for such provision would be considered under the guidance for Personal Budgets (link attached)	Requests are considered on an individual basis	not answered
Middlesbrough Borough Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req_5#incoming-763168	Partial	number suppressed, figure of 5 or less	number suppressed, figure of 5 or less	number suppressed, figure of 5 or less	There are no policy documents directly associated with Applied Behavioural Analysis provision and decisions on any package of support for any child is based upon a multi-agency assessment of that child's individual needs and discussion between schools, young people, parents and the LA.	There are no set criteria for use of ABA as indicated in the response to policy, decisions on any provision is based upon a multi-agency assessment of that child's individual needs and discussion between all parties including young people and parents.	not answered
North Tyneside Metropolitan Borough Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req_6#incoming-757101	Information not held	Information not held. Parents usually pay privately and do not always inform school or us if their child is accessing it	n/a	n/a	not answered	n/a	not answered
Northumberland County Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req_7#incoming-760143	Information not held	Northumberland County Council does not have data regarding ABA provision	Northumberland County Council does not have data regarding ABA provision. If a specific order or request was made we would make new arrangements on an individualised basis.	n/a	If a specific order or request was made we would make new arrangements on an individualised basis. Northumberland County Council does not have a specific policy or programme to deliver ABA.	If a specific order or request was made we would make new arrangements on an individualised basis. Northumberland County Council does not have a specific policy or programme to deliver ABA.	not answered
Newcastle upon Tyne City Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req_8#incoming-766451	Yes	Newcastle Local Authority (LA) has 1 pupil currently receiving an ABA home programme	No tribunal order or legal action was initiated	No tribunal order or legal action was initiated	Newcastle LA does not have any policy documents associated with ABA	Newcastle LA agreed to the recommendation of Applied Behavioural Analysis as a result of evidence supporting the Statutory Assessment process.	There is no criteria for awarding ABA laid out on our SEND Local offer page.
Redcar and Cleveland Borough Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req_9#incoming-761666	Information not held	Nil - we do not hold the information requested	n/a	n/a	not answered	not answered	not answered
South Tyneside Metropolitan Borough Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req_10#incoming-753265	Yes	There are no (zero) children currently on these programmes.	n/a	n/a	We do not have a current policy document associated with the awarding or any Applied Behavioural Analysis (ABA) provision	nor do we have a rationale for awarding it (ABA) without a tribunal order	For the same reason, ABA does not feature in our Local Offer
Stockton-on-Tees Borough Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req_11#incoming-792411	Internal review requested	Response overdue	Response overdue	Response overdue	Response overdue	Response overdue	Response overdue
Sunderland City Council	https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/applied_behavioural_analysis_req_12#incoming-766398	Information not held	The Council does not hold this information, it would be held by the individual schools. The contact details for all schools within Sunderland's Local Authority boundaries are available from the schools directory (link attached)	n/a	n/a	not answered	n/a	not answered

North East England Local Authority Freedom Of Information Request Response Table 2016		Additional information for Data Table	
<u>Those who responded at all</u>		<u>Who has responded and has policy documents?</u>	
Yes	2	Answered question - Yes	0
Partial	5	Answered question - No policies held	6
Not held	4	Not answered	1
Awaiting Internal Review	1	Not applicable response	0
Refused	0		7
	12		
<u>Of those 7 responded, who is providing ABA ?</u>		<u>Who has responded and has given a rationale for ABA awarding process?</u>	
Answered - yes ABA provided	1	Answered	4
Answered - Yes , figure 5 or less suppressed	2	Not applicable response	3
Answered - none receiving	4	Not answered	0
	7		7
<u>Of those 3 who are providing in some capacity, who answered about Tribunals?</u>		<u>Send Local Offer question answered</u>	
Yes	2	Response - yes	0
Not answered	1	Response - no	2
		Not answered	5
			7
<u>Of those 2 who provided tribunal info , which answered about legal and settlements ?</u>			
Yes	2		
Not answered	0		
<u>Of those 2 who responded with tribunal and legal info, who has policies ?</u>			
Yes	0		
No	2		
ZERO of the 12 Local Authorities for North East England were able to provide all information requested			