Home Office

Funding Eligibility for Local Authorities

Asylum Dispersal Grant 2026/27

Quarter 1 payment (April - June 2026)

Annex A

13/07/2026

Payment Allocation

Grant Recipient	Grant Funded Instruction
Wealden	**Asylum Dispersal Grant 2026/27**

Eligibility for an additional £100 payment is determined by an increase in the number of occupied beds in Home Office Supported Asylum Seeker accommodation, compared to the baseline as of 30th March 2025. This increase must occur within the geographical boundaries of the local authority and fall under the following categories:

- Dispersal Accommodation (DA)
- Overflow Dispersal Accommodation (ODA)
- Initial Accommodation (IA)
- Contingency Accommodation – Hotels (CAH) and Other (CAO)

Total Payment Eligibility for Quarter 1	**£42,500**

Table 1: Payment Eligibility Calculation

		Quarter 1		
	30 March 2026 (Baseline)	30-Apr-26	31-May-26	30-Jun-26
Dispersal Accommodation (DA) Occupied Beds	0	0	0	0
Overflow Dispersal Accommodation (ODA) Occupied Beds	241	335	395	418
Initial Accommodation (IA) Occupied Beds	0	0	0	0
Contingency Accommodation - Hotels (CAH) Occupied Beds	0	0	0	0
Contingency Accomodation - Other (CAO) Occupied Beds	0	0	0	0
Total Occupied Beds	**241**	335	395	418
	Growth	94	154	177
	Eligibility	94	154	177
Grant 2026/27 Q1 Payment		**£9,400**	**£15,400**	**£17,700**

Table 2: Payment Eligibility Formula

	30-Mar-26	30-Apr-26	31-May-26	30-Jun-26
Dispersal Accommodation (DA) Occupied Beds	DA_0	DA_1	DA_2	DA_3
Overflow Dispersal Accommodation (ODA) Occupied Beds	ODA_0	ODA_1	ODA_2	ODA_3
Initial Accommodation (IA) Occupied Beds	IA_0	IA_1	IA_2	IA_3
Contingency Accommodation - Hotels (CAH) Occupied Beds	HCA_0	HCA_1	HCA_2	HCA_3
Contingency Accomodation - Other (CAO) Occupied Beds	OA_0	OA_1	OA_2	OA_3
Total Occupancy	$T_0 = (DA_0+ODA_0+IA_0+CAH_0+COA_0)$	$T1 = (DA_1+ODA_1+IA_1+CAH_1+COA_1)$	$T_0 = (DA_2+ODA_2+IA_2+CAH_2+COA_2)$	$T_0 = (DA_3+ODA_3+IA_3+CAH_3+COA_3)$
Growth in Occupancy		$G_1 = T_1 - T_0$	$G_2 = T_2 - T_1$	$G_3 = T_3-T_2$
Occupancy eligible for payment	**$E_0=T_0$**	**E_1= Maximum of (G_1 or 0)**	**E2 =Maximum of ($G_1+G_2-E_1$ or 0)**	**E3= Maximum of ($G_1+G_2+G_3 - E_1 - E_2$ or 0)**
Grant 2026/27Payment	**T_0 x £1,200**	**E_1 x £100**	**E_2 x £100**	**E_3 x £100**
	Grant paid			