Q1) Between 1 January 2020 and 28 February 2021, how many individuals have been reported to your force as missing from a care home? (could you please break this information down per month).

	Total of Missing Reports* From a Care Home:												
	5402												
Jan20	Feb20	Mar20	Apr20	May20	Jun20	Jul20	Aug20	Sep20	Oct20	Nov20	Dec20	Jan21	Feb21
551	451	455	303	376	387	396	440	410	395	336	340	317	245

*The figures above relate to missing *reports* and not *individuals*. I.e. if a single person was reported missing 5 times during this period they would have generated 5 separate missing reports.

Q1a) In how many of such recorded missing persons cases over this (monthly) period was the missing person found 'safe and well' by police or voluntarily returned to their care home/ care provider?

There are discrepancies between recorded *missing* and recorded *found* reports due to different officers updating information when creating and closing a report, therefore found reports are generally more reliable for statistical purposes. Also to note: If the child returned to the care of parents this would have been updated accordingly and this missing episode would therefore feature in the *missing* search only.

Total of Found Reports* for Care Home Residents:														
	5383													
	Jan20	Feb20	Mar20	Apr20	May20	Jun20	Jul20	Aug20	Sep20	Oct20	Nov20	Dec20	Jan21	Feb21
Total	560	442	460	308	366	383	389	432	418	390	346	325	323	242
ROA	436	325	330	204	247	268	275	314	273	275	232	212	202	136
FSW**	555	437	455	304	365	378	386	428	413	385	341	321	315	236

Total Found	5383					
of which:						
Total Returned of Own Accord (ROA)	3729					
Total Found Safe and Well (FSW)	5319					

**Closed reports in which the individual did not suffer any harm whilst missing