

Ref: 21-273

Freedom of Information Request

18 May 2021

By Email

Dear Sir/Madam

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Trust's response is as follows:

- We can confirm that we do not hold the information you are requesting
- 1.The current wait time for an undiagnosed adult to see a psychiatrist for ADHD after being referred from a GP on the NHS
- 2. The current wait time for an undiagnosed child to see a psychiatrist for ADHD after being referred from a GP on the NHS
- 3. The current wait time to see a Cognitive Behavioural Therapist for ADHD following an ADHD diagnosis
- 4. The number of children (under the age of 18) with an ADHD diagnosis
- 5. The number of children (under the age of 18) with an ADHD diagnosis who are also being treated for a psychiatric comorbidity, including, but not limited to: depression, anxiety, personality disorders such as borderline personality disorder, sleep disorders and substance abuse.
- a. Please provide this as a breakdown by comorbidity
- 6. The number of adults (over the age of 18) with an ADHD diagnosis
- 7. The number of adults (over the age of 18) with an ADHD diagnosis who are also being treated for a psychiatric comorbidity, including, but not limited to: depression, anxiety, personality disorders such as borderline personality disorder, sleep disorders and substance abuse.
- a. Please provide this as a breakdown by comorbidity

Please could you also provide the average wait time for each year from 2015-2020, if doing so will not push this request over the cost limit.

The Trust does not hold information about this. Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) are not provided by University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust.

Please contact Avon and Wiltshire Mental Health Partnership: http://www.awp.nhs.uk/

This concludes our response. We trust that you find this helpful, but please do not hesitate to contact us directly if we can be of any further assistance.

If, after that, you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to:

Director of Corporate Governance
University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust
Trust Headquarters
Marlborough Street
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Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

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Yours sincerely

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