

NHS and Social Care Partnership Trust

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Dear Finvola,

Request for Information

I write further to your request FOI ID 45652 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding: -

CYMPHS/CAMHS in the last five years

Your request is set out below:

How many children (under18) have been referred to CYMPHS/CAMHS in the last five years. [Between April 6 - April 5]?

Can you provide the total number of children referred for each year; 2019/2020, 2020/21, 2021/22, 2022/23 and 2023/24.

For each year, can you provide the number of children referred broken down by primary cause (such as, anxiety, depression etc.)

For children referred this year alone (Between April 6 - April 5 2023/24), how many received treatment?

Between April 6 - April 5 2023/24, how many referrals to CAMHS were either deemed inappropriate or rejected?

Between April 6 - April 5 2023/24, what was the average and maximum waiting times for CAMHS treatments from referral to first appointment?

Between April 6 - April 5 2023/24, how many CAMHS patients were sectioned?

As of September 2024, how many children and adolescents are on the waiting list for CAMHS?

The Kent and Medway NHS and Social Care Partnership Trust are not commissioned to provide the CAMHS services for the Kent and Medway area. These are provided by the North East London NHS Foundation Trust who should be contacted directly to provide a response.

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Trust Chair – Dr Jackie Craissati Chief Executive – Sheila Stenson I confirm that the information above completes your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I am also pleased to confirm that no charge will be made for this request.

If you have any questions or concerns or are unhappy with the response provided or the service you have received you can write to the Head of Information Governance at the address on top of this letter. If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

Yours Sincerely

On Behalf of The Information Governance Department