

Our Ref: PW/AKB/FOI-07-043

22<sup>nd</sup> July 2022

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Sent by email

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Dear

**FOI FOI-07-043:**  
**Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for your request dated the 11<sup>th</sup> July 2022. We can confirm that Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board do not hold the information that you have requested. Please see our responses in blue below / attached:

- 1. The current wait time for an undiagnosed child (under the age of 18) to see a psychiatrist for ADHD after being referred from a GP on the NHS.?**
  - a. Please can you also provide the average wait time for each of the last five years, if doing so will not push this request over the cost limit.**

Please be advised that the information requested is not held by the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board. The information can be obtained from the following Providers as detailed below:

**Midlands Partnership NHS Foundation Trust**  
<https://www.mpft.nhs.uk/about-us/freedom-information>

**North Staffordshire Combined NHS Trust**  
<https://www.combined.nhs.uk/get-in-touch/freedom-of-information/>

- 2. The current wait time for an undiagnosed adult to see a psychiatrist for ADHD after being referred from a GP on the NHS?**
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**3. The number of children (under the age of 18) with an ADHD diagnosis. Please provide the total and (if available) a breakdown by gender?**

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**4. The number of adults (over the aged of 18 with an ADHD diagnosis. Please provide the total and (if available) a breakdown by gender.**

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**5. How many adult assessments were done in the last year? Please provide the total and (if available) a breakdown by gender.**

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Individuals also access non-NHS providers; In 2021/2022 there were 75 assessments. Please note the information is not held for the prior five years.

**6. How many children assessments were done in the last year? Please provide the total and (if available) a breakdown by gender.**

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- 7. In the last year how many adult ADHD assessment referrals have been rejected? Please provide the total and (if available) a breakdown by gender.**

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Information not held for non-NHS Providers.

- 8. In the last year how many children ADHD assessment referrals have been rejected? Please provide the total and (if available) a breakdown by gender.**

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- 9. In the last year how many adults with an ADHD diagnosis had a death recorded as suicide. Please provide the total and (if available) a breakdown by gender?**

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[accessinformation@staffordshire.gov.uk](mailto:accessinformation@staffordshire.gov.uk)

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[foi@stoke.gov.uk](mailto:foi@stoke.gov.uk)

- 10. In the last year how many children with an ADHD diagnosis had a death recorded as suicide? Please provide the total and (if available) a breakdown by gender.**

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- 11. In the last year how many adults on the waiting list for an ADHD diagnosis had a death recorded as suicide? Please provide the total and (if available) a breakdown by gender.**

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- 12. In the last year how many children on the waiting list for an ADHD diagnosis had a death recorded as suicide? Please provide the total and (if available) a breakdown by gender.**

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### **Right of Appeal**

Should you require any further information or clarification regarding this response please do not hesitate to contact us. If you are dissatisfied with the response, you are entitled to request an internal review which should be formally requested in writing and must be within two calendar months from the date this response was issued.

### **To request an internal review**

You can request an internal review by contacting the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board FOI team by emailing the team at [StaffsStokeFOI@staffsstoke.icb.nhs.uk](mailto:StaffsStokeFOI@staffsstoke.icb.nhs.uk) or by post to the address at the top of this letter.

If you are not content with the outcome of your internal review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board FOI complaints procedure.

The ICO can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire. SK9 5AF  
[www.ico.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.uk)

Yours sincerely

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