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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 which was received into this office on 24th February 2017.

You Asked for:

1. Which of the following individual therapy types do you commission or provide in your area?
 - a) Cognitive behavioural therapy
 - b) Dialectical behavioural therapy
 - c) Family therapy
 - d) Dynamic psychotherapy

NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) commissions all of the above services.

2. What is your average waiting time for individual therapy of the following types for the following financial years: 2014-15, 2015-16 and 2016-17.
 - a) Cognitive behavioural therapy

The average waiting times for Cognitive behavioural therapy for NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group is detailed below for your information:

Financial Year	Wait Time
2014/15	This information is unavailable
2015/16	14.5 Weeks (Snapshot as at 29/03/2016)
2016/17	30.5 Weeks (Snapshot as at 27/02/2017)

- b) Dialectical behavioural therapy
 - c) Family therapy
 - d) Dynamic psychotherapy

The above therapy wait times are not collected.

3. How many people are currently on your waiting lists for any form of psychological therapy for:

- a) A year or more
- b) More than six months but less than a year
- c) Less than six months

There are currently the following number of patients on the waiting list for Cognitive Behavioural therapy:

Waiting time	Number of Patients
Under 6 Months	2163
Over 6 months and under a year	814
Over a year	94

The following questions related to all patient in receipt of mental health care which you commission

4. What was the cost of sending patients to beds outside of the area covered by the CCG in:
- a. 2014-15
 - b. 2015-16
 - c. 2016-17 (up until end of January)

NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group has no out of area inpatient placements.

5. What is the number of adult patients sent to beds outside of the area covered by the CCG for:
- a. 2014-15 - **0**
 - b. 2015-16 - **0**
 - c. 2016-17 (up until end of January) - **0**
6. What is the number of children sent to beds outside of the area covered by the CCG for:
- a. 2014-15 - **0**
 - b. 2015-16 - **0**
 - c. 2016-17 (up until end of January) - **0**
7. Please provide a list of the hospitals to which adults have been sent from your trust this year for:
- a) 2014-15
 - b) 2015-16
 - c) 2016-17 (up until the end of January)

Not applicable.

8. Please provide a list of the hospitals to which children have been sent from your trust this year for:
- a) 2014-15
 - b) 2015-16
 - c) 2016-17 (up until the end of January)

Not applicable.

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