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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 21st June 2016.

You Asked for:

Information regarding atopic dermatitis:

1. How many adults have a diagnosis of Atopic Dermatitis (ICD-10-CM Diagnosis Code L20.9) in your CCG area?

This is referring to the register for Atopic Dermatitis which would be collected at practice level. NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group is unable to run a search on this without seeking approval from all GP practices to run reports.

However, from a secondary care perspective there were 15 admissions with a main diagnosis of atopic dermatitis in 2015-16.

2. How many referrals from primary to secondary care were made for adults with suspected Atopic Dermatitis (L20.9) between 1st January and 31st December 2015 in your CCG area?

The referrals data that NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group holds does not have this level of detail.

3. What proportion of these referrals was a diagnosis of adult Atopic Dermatitis (L20.9) confirmed?

The referrals data that NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group holds does not have this level of detail.

4. How many 'Statement of Fitness for Work' forms have been completed signing people off work as a result of Atopic Dermatitis (L20.9) in your CCG area?

NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group does not hold this information.

5. How many primary care consultations took place in your CCG area between 1st January and 31st December 2015 for:
 - a. first attendance - skin condition (L00-L99) (in adults)

- b. first attendance –Atopic Dermatitis (L20.9) (in adults)
- c. follow-up attendance –skin condition (L00-L99) (in adults)
- d. follow-up attendance –Atopic Dermatitis (L20.9) (in adults)

NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group does not hold information on primary care consultations.

6. Does your CCG have a commissioning policy on the following: (If yes, please provide details)
- a. Dermatology
 - b. Atopic Dermatitis

If applicable NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group would use the Procedures of Low Clinical Priority (PLCP), there is no specific individual commissioning policy for these conditions.

Please note that a copy of the most current CCG’s Procedures of Low Clinical Priority Policy (PLCP) can be located on our website if you use the following link:
<https://www.wirralccg.nhs.uk/About%20Us/PLCP.htm>

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