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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 the 28<sup>th</sup> October 2014.

### You Asked for:

1. What were the average waiting times for GP referrals to memory clinics in each quarter of 2014/15?
2. What were the average waiting times for GP referrals to memory clinics in each quarter of 2013/14?
3. What were the average waiting times for GP referrals to memory clinics in each quarter of 2012/13?
4. What were the average waiting times for GP referrals to memory clinics in each quarter of 2011/12?

Please see below the answers for question 1 – 4:

Memory Assessment Service Average Waiting Times - Days	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15
Q1	77	70	40	37
Q2	66	99	40	39
Q3	67	59	43	
Q4	47	42	47	

5. What amount of funding was allocated to memory clinic services in 2014/15? **£891,405**  
(Value includes 2.5% CQUIN Commissioning for Quality and Innovation payment)

6. What amount of funding was allocated to memory clinic services in 2013/14? **£934,223 (Value includes 2.5% CQUIN Commissioning for Quality and Innovation payment)**
7. What amount of funding was allocated to memory clinic services in 2012/13? **£891,965 (Value includes 2.5% CQUIN Commissioning for Quality and Innovation payment)**
8. What amount of funding was allocated to memory clinic services in 2011/12? **£990,150 (Value includes 2.5% CQUIN Commissioning for Quality and Innovation payment)**
9. How many people were referred each quarter of 2014/15 to memory clinics? How many of these were diagnosed with dementia? **NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) does not hold this information; this is held by Cheshire & Wirral Partnership NHS Foundation Trust (CWP). I would advise for you to contact them direct on [FOI@cwp.nhs.uk](mailto:FOI@cwp.nhs.uk)**
10. How many people were referred each quarter of 2013/14 to memory clinics? How many of these were diagnosed with dementia? **Please see response to question 9.**
11. How many people were referred each quarter of 2012/13 to memory clinics? How many of these were diagnosed with dementia? **Please see response to question 9.**
12. How many people were referred each quarter of 2011/12 to memory clinics? How many of these were diagnosed with dementia? **Please see response to question 9.**

I hope this sufficiently answers your FOI enquiry however if you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact a member of the FOI team (contact details at the top of this letter).

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