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Dear

Request for Information: Freedom of Information Act

Thank you for your email of 7 August making a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. You requested the following information and the Trust is able to provide the information below in response:

Request:

- 1) How many children received treatment from your local CAMHS in the financial years:
 - a. 2014/15
 - b. 2015/16
 - c. 2016/17
 - d. 2017/18

- 2) Please can you breakdown the figures given in answer to Q1a-d by (i) the type of mental health issue that was being treated, and (ii) the ethnicity of the child?

Response:

Q1: We have based this on local versions of report for the national CAMHS accessing indicator. This counts how many children have received at least two clinical contacts with CAMHs in a financial year. Data only available for years provided.

2015/16: 8,420

2016/17: 10,337

2017/18: 10,898

Q2: data based on open on caseload during financial year, for ethnicity only, treatment data is not available without exceeding the appropriate limit set in regulation by section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act.

| | 15/16 | 16/17 | 17/18 |
|---|-------|-------|-------|
| Asian or Asian British - Any other Asian background | 0.7% | 0.8% | 0.8% |
| Asian or Asian British - Bangladeshi | 0.1% | 0.2% | 0.1% |
| Asian or Asian British - Indian | 0.4% | 0.5% | 0.5% |
| Asian or Asian British - Pakistani | 0.7% | 0.7% | 0.9% |
| Black or Black British - African | 0.4% | 0.4% | 0.4% |
| Black or Black British - Any other Black background | 0.4% | 0.4% | 0.4% |
| Black or Black British - Caribbean | 0.3% | 0.3% | 0.3% |
| Mixed - Any other mixed background | 1.7% | 1.6% | 2.1% |
| Mixed - White and Asian | 0.7% | 0.8% | 1.0% |
| Mixed - White and Black African | 0.5% | 0.6% | 0.6% |
| Mixed - White and Black Caribbean | 1.6% | 1.6% | 1.7% |
| Other Ethnic Groups - Chinese | 0.1% | 0.0% | 0.1% |
| Other Ethnic Groups - Any other Ethnic Group | 0.8% | 0.8% | 0.6% |
| White - Any other background | 4.9% | 5.1% | 4.6% |
| White - British | 85.0% | 84.7% | 84.5% |
| White - Irish | 0.4% | 0.4% | 0.3% |
| Not Stated | 1.3% | 1.2% | 1.1% |

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to me and I will ensure the decision is reviewed. The Trust will consider undertaking a review if requested to do so within 40 working days of the date the response is received by the applicant, and will apply discretion if a longer period of time has passed.

Should you wish to make a complaint as a result of the outcome of such a 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 complaints procedure provided by the Trust for FoI Act matters.

The ICO can be contacted at:

The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF

Please contact me if there are any further queries.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Mark Underwood

Head of Information Governance