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Dear

Request for Information: Freedom of Information Act

Thank you for your email of 16 October 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 aged 11 or under were referred in total to your CAMHS service in the following calendar years (please can you break these figures down by the gender of the child M/F please):

- a. 2013
- b. 2014
- c. 2015
- d. 2016
- e. 2017

2) How many children aged between 12 and 17 years old were referred in total to your CAMHS service in the following calendar years (please can you break these figures down by the gender of the child M/F please):

- a. 2013
- b. 2014
- c. 2015

d. 2016

e. 2017

3) Please provide a breakdown of the figures given in the answers to Q1a-e and Q2a-e by the broad type of mental health issue of the child.

Response:

1. Under 11 CAMHS referrals 2013-2017

AgeBand 11_Or_Under				
Referrals_Count	Gender			Grand Total
	Female	Male	Not Specified	
Financial_Year				
2013	1563	3273	1	4837
2014	1447	3111		4558
2015	2496	4818		7314
2016	2318	4417	3	6738
2017	1400	2370	2	3772
Grand Total	9224	17989	6	27219

2. 12-17 CAMHS referrals 2013-2017

AgeBand 12_17					
Referrals_Count	Gender			Grand Total	
	Female	Male	Not Specified		
Financial_Year					
				Prefer not to say	
2013	5784	3287			9071
2014	5965	3487	1		9453
2015	8750	4940	4	1	13695
2016	8110	4827	4		12941
2017	5329	3134	8		8471
Grand Total	33938	19675	17	1	53631

3.

year/broad description	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	Grand Total
Referral request for assessment	13885	13976	20864	19257	10723	74436
Referral for Court report or assessment	12	4	13	9	0	38
Referral request for assessment of Eating Disorder	10	26	109	350	537	1032
Referral request for Neuro Developmental assessment	1	5	23	63	983	1075
	13908	14011	21009	19679	12243	80850

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