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I am responding to your request for information received on 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2019. This has been treated as a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am now enclosing a response which is attached to the end of this letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me on the contact details above if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

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**Request:**

**In reference to tier four CAMHS service users for 2017-2018, 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 (to date) please provide the total number of:**

\*\*\*Please note, only Luton and Bedfordshire CAMHS is applicable here as the other localities within the Trust (City & Hackney, Newham and Tower Hamlets CAMHS) have their own inpatient units and have not had any out of area placements during the periods requested.

**Question 1. Out of area placements (OAPs) active at period end**

Answer: Please see table below.

<b>Out of area placements (OAPs) active at period end – Financial Year</b>	<b>Luton</b>	<b>Bedfordshire</b>	<b>Total</b>
April 2017 to March 2018	6	18	24
April 2018 to March 2019	9	11	20
April 2019 to October 2019	6	7	13

**Question 2. OAPs that started during the period.**

**Question 3. OAP which ended during the period.**

Answer: Please see table below for questions 2 and 3.

	<b>Financial Year</b>	<b>Luton CAMHS</b>	<b>Bedfordshire CAMHS</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>OAPs that started during the period. (Counting admission)</b>	2017-18	13	62	75
	2018-19	18	52	70
	2019 (Apr – Oct)	6	22	28
<b>OAPs which ended during the period. (Counting Discharge)</b>	2017-18	19	55	74
	2018-19	13	54	67
	2019 (Apr – Oct)	8	27	35

**Question 4. OAP bed days.**

Answer: The Trust does not have tier 4 inpatient units in Bedfordshire and Luton, therefore this is not applicable.

**Question 5. Length of stay for OAPs during each period.**

Answer: Please see table below.

	<b>Financial Year</b>	<b>Luton CAMHS</b>		<b>Bedfordshire CAMHS</b>	
<b>Length of stay for each OAP during each period. (Days)</b>	<b>2017-18</b>	1	293	1	140
		2	264	2	98
		3	275	3	170

		4	106	4	38
		5	143	5	47
		6	22	6	202
		7	8	7	30
		8	103	8	40
		9	20	9	126
		10	46	10	89
		11	64	11	10
		12	169	12	44
		13	45	13	145
		14	21	14	166
		15	50	15	104
		16	25	16	60
		17	21	17	133
		18	29	18	1
		19	24	19	75
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				21	54
				22	4
				23	13
				24	40
				25	6
				26	56
				27	138
				28	24
				29	55
				30	138
				31	138
				32	81
				33	34
				34	53
				35	20
				36	39
				37	unknown
				38	120
				39	23
				40	87
				41	28
				42	5
				43	38
				44	41
				45	46
				46	45
				47	30
				48	82

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			49	21
			50	32
			51	54
			52	19
			53	1
			54	15
			55	6
	<b>2018-19</b>	<b>Luton CAMHS</b>	<b>Bedfordshire CAMHS</b>	
		1	169	1
		2	50	2
		3	25	3
		4	21	4
		5	142	5
		6	29	6
		7	97	7
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			47	69	
			48	22	
			49	33	
			50	52	
			51	8	
			52	6	
			53	41	
			54	27	
	<b>2019 (Apr – Oct)</b>	<b>Luton CAMHS</b>	<b>Bedfordshire CAMHS</b>		
		1	214	1	519
		2	193	2	110
		3	211	3	189
		4	195	4	329
		5	74	5	223
		6	124	6	212
		7	33	7	164
		8	62	8	116
				9	104
				10	35
				11	11
				12	68
				13	9
				14	70
				15	90
				16	125
				17	85
				18	34
				19	16
				20	112
				21	4
				22	46
				23	55
				24	3
				25	1
				26	6
				27	19

**Question 6. Please provide the breakdown of inappropriate and appropriate placements for each period.**

Answer: Please see table below.

	<b>Financial Year</b>	<b>Luton CAMHS</b>	<b>Bedfordshire CAMHS</b>	<b>Total</b>
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<b>Appropriate placements</b>	2017-18	13	58	71
	2018-19	18	52	70
	2019 (Apr – Oct)	6	21	27
<b>Inappropriate placements</b>	2017-18	0	4	4
	2018-19	0	0	0
	2019 (Apr – Oct)	0	1	1

**Question 7. Please provide the furthest and shortest distance that service users traveled for OAPs.**

Answer: Luton and Bedfordshire CAMHS do not have inpatient units and all of their admissions would be out of area placements therefore this does not apply.

**Question 8. Please provide the age of the youngest and oldest service users sent on OAPs.**

Answer: Please see table below.

	<b>Financial Year</b>	<b>Luton CAMHS</b>	<b>Bedfordshire CAMHS</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Age of the youngest service users sent on OAPs.</b>	2017-18	12	13	12
	2018-19	12	13	12
	2019 (Apr – Oct)	14	13	13
<b>Age of the oldest service users sent on OAPs.</b>	2017-18	18	17	18
	2018-19	17	17	17
	2019 (Apr – Oct)	17	17	17

**Question 9. Please provide a list of services/trusts patients were sent to during each period.**

Answer: Please see table below.

<b>List of services/trusts patients were sent to during each period.</b>	<b>2017-18</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Huntercombe Maidenhead</li> <li>• Huntercombe Stafford</li> <li>• Coborn</li> <li>• Priors Chelmsford</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Beacon Center</li> <li>• Berkshire</li> <li>• Burrows</li> <li>• Cambian Willows</li> <li>• Coborn Centre</li> <li>• Cygnet Healthcare Sheffield</li> <li>• Darwin Centre</li> <li>• Elysium Health Care</li> <li>• Highfield</li> <li>• Huntercombe</li> <li>• Huntercombe Maidenhead</li> <li>• Huntercombe</li> </ul>
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	<b>2018-19</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coborn</li> <li>• Coborn unit ED</li> <li>• Collingham Garden</li> <li>• Cygnet Hospital Bury</li> <li>• Forest House</li> <li>• Huntercombe Maidenhead</li> <li>• Huntercombe Maidenhead Thames Ward</li> <li>• Ida Darwin</li> <li>• St Andrews Northampton</li> <li>• The Burrows</li> <li>• The Priory London</li> <li>• The Sett Northampton</li> <li>• The Willows</li> <li>• Willow Lodge</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Berkshire Adolescent Unit</li> <li>• Burrows</li> <li>• Cambian Willows</li> <li>• Coborn Centre</li> <li>• Colchester PICU</li> <li>• Darwin Centre</li> <li>• Forest House</li> <li>• Huntercombe Maidenhead</li> <li>• Kent House, Orpington</li> <li>• Poplars</li> <li>• Priory Chelmsford</li> <li>• Priory North London</li> <li>• Priory Southampton</li> <li>• Priory Ticehurst</li> <li>• Priory Ticehurst HDU</li> <li>• St Andrews</li> <li>• St Aubyn Centre</li> <li>• St Aubyn Centre - Longview Ward</li> <li>• The Burrows</li> <li>• The Cygnet,</li> </ul>

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	<b>2019 (Apr – Oct)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Luton</li> <li>• The Priory Chelmsford - transferred to St Aubyn</li> <li>• The Priory North London</li> <li>• Cambian Willows</li> <li>• Coborn</li> <li>• Ellern Meade</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coborn Centre</li> <li>• Coral Ward LDH</li> <li>• Cygnet Hospital, Sheffield</li> <li>• Cygnet, Bury</li> <li>• Forest House</li> <li>• Huntercombe Maidenhead</li> <li>• Poplars</li> <li>• Priory, Cheadle</li> <li>• Priory, Woodbourne Birmingham</li> <li>• St Aubyns Centre</li> <li>• St Aubyns Centre, Longview Ward</li> <li>• The Burrows</li> <li>• The Sett</li> </ul>