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I am responding to your request for information received 9 July 2025. 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,

Information Rights Coordinator

If you are dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your FOIA request then you should contact us and we will arrange for an internal review of this decision.

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Request: I am writing to request information under the FOI Act about your CAMHS services/neurodevelopmental assessment services for Children and Young People.

Question 1: The number of young people on your waiting list for a first appointment (assessment) as of the date of this email or nearest available.

Answer: 1,596.

Question 2: The average length of time young people are currently waiting between referral and first appointment (assessment)

Answer: Currently an average of 46 waiting days.

Question 3: The average length of time young people are currently waiting between initial referral and first therapeutic intervention.

Answer: Currently an average of 67 waiting days.

Question 4: How many young people assessed were not offered follow up treatment at Camhs in the year 2024-25, as a number and a proportion of the total of young people assessed?

Answer: The number of young people assessed that received no follow up:

Total – 12,754.

Proportion – 27.8%.

Question 5: The longest time any young person has been on your current waiting list (as of the date of the receipt of this email or nearest)

Answer: Longest time for patient currently on the waiting list - 975 days.

Question 6: The average wait between referral and assessment for neurodevelopmental / neurodiverse conditions on the date of this request or nearest available data.

Answer: Average of 125 waiting days.

Question 7: The number of young people on the waiting list for neurodevelopmental / neurodiverse assessments on the date of this request or nearest available data.

Answer: 623.



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