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Dear Rachael Venables.

# Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Ref: FOI/2021/SG9751

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which we received on 11 August regarding CAMHS services. Please accept our sincere apologies for the delay in responding to your request.

## **REQUEST:**

1. Breaking down the data by each month, how many young people were referred to CAMHS service for Tier 3 support from March 2019 to July 2020?

## **RESPONSE:**

Month Year	No. of Patients
Mar-19	623
Apr-19	434
May-19	506
Jun-19	458
Jul-19	392
Aug-19	318
Sep-19	457
Oct-19	552
Nov-19	506
Dec-19	441
Jan-20	507
Feb-20	561
Mar-20	513
Apr-20	262
May-20	216
Jun-20	283
Jul-20	311
Grand Total	7340

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#### Caveat to the above:

CAMHS Outpatient and Community referrals have been excluded in order that there is no duplication with CAMHS Access. Access and Treatment – At least one clinically relevant attended and seen contact has taken place for all services except for the following: CAMHS Outpatients is a Treatment Only Service and CAMHS Access is Assessment Only. CAMHS Primary Mental Health Contract is a Tier 2 service and therefore not included.

2. Breaking down the data by each month, how many young people were refused CAMHS services, because the service lacked capacity from March 2019 to July 2020?

## **RESPONSE:** None

- 3. Regarding CAMHS services in the financial year 2018-19:
  - i. How many patients waited more than 4 weeks for an initial assessment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
  - ii. How many patients waited more than 18 weeks for an initial assessment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
- iii. How many patients waited more than 12 months for an initial assessment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
- iv. How many patients waited more than 4 weeks to start treatment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
- v. How many patients waited more than 18 weeks to start treatment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
- vi. How many patients waited more than 12 months to start treatment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
- vii. What was the longest wait time for treatment?

## **RESPONSE:** Please see attached.

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I trust this response is helpful to you. However, if you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Requests for an internal review should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original request and should be addressed to: *Mrs. Sam Kirkland, Head of Data Privacy, Unit 2, Bridge Park Plaza, Thurmaston, Leicester LE4 8BL* 

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If you require any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any communications.

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Yours sincerely,

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