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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Please find below the response to your recent Freedom of Information request regarding Continuing Healthcare within NHS Southport and Formby CCG.

Request/Response:

1. What was the average time period in your CCG in days/hours from the point at which a Fast Track CHC application is made to the care package being provided for the financial year 2018/19?

Approval of fast tracks is within 4 hours, top range is 2 hours bottom range is 4 hours.

2. What was the average time period in days/hours from the point at which a Fast Track CHC application is approved to the care package being provided for the financial year 2018/19?

Fast track is approved within 4 hours of submission and within 48 hours the package of care is normally approved.

3. During the financial year 2018/19, how many applications for fast track CHC did the CCG receive?

Referrals	Female	Male	Grand Total
Jan 2018	14	10	24
Feb 2018	9	9	18
Mar 2018	9	11	20
Apr 2018	7	10	17
May 2018	12	13	25
Jun 2018	11	9	20
Jul 2018	15	18	33
Aug 2018	17	17	34
Sep 2018	11	9	20

Oct 2018	11	13	24
Nov 2018	20	14	34
Dec 2018	13	8	21
Jan 2019	13	9	22
Feb 2019	7	22	29
Mar 2019	9	17	26
Apr 2019	14	16	30
	192	205	397

4. During the financial year 2018/19, how many applications for fast track CHC were funded?

Fast Track eligible	Female	Male	Grand Total
Jan 2018	11	8	19
Feb 2018	8	9	17
Mar 2018	8	10	18
Apr 2018	7	10	17
May 2018	12	14	26
Jun 2018	12	10	22
Jul 2018	15	16	31
Aug 2018	18	15	33
Sep 2018	11	10	21
Oct 2018	9	13	22
Nov 2018	20	14	34
Dec 2018	13	7	20
Jan 2019	12	10	22
Feb 2019	7	16	23
Mar 2019	10	15	25
Apr 2019	13	15	28
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