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## **Re: Freedom of Information Request**

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

### Request/[Response](#):

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?
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?
3. Regarding CAMHS services in the financial year 2018-19:
  - a. How many patients waited more than 4 weeks for an initial assessment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
  - b. How many patients waited more than 18 weeks for an initial assessment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
  - c. How many patients waited more than 12 months for an initial assessment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
  - d. How many patients waited more than 4 weeks to start treatment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
  - e. How many patients waited more than 18 weeks to start treatment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
  - f. How many patients waited more than 12 months to start treatment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
  - g. What was the longest wait time for treatment?
4. Regarding CAMHS services in the financial year 2019-2020:
  - h. How many patients waited more than 4 weeks for an initial assessment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
  - i. How many patients waited more than 18 weeks for an initial assessment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
  - j. How many patients waited more than 12 months for an initial assessment? (What percentage of the total is this?)

- k. How many patients waited more than 4 weeks to start treatment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
- l. How many patients waited more than 18 weeks to start treatment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
- m. How many patients waited more than 12 months to start treatment? (What percentage of the total is this?)
- n. What was the longest wait time for treatment?

For questions 1-4 – NHS Southport and Formby CCG does not hold this information; you may wish to refer your query to –

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