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**Date:** 19<sup>th</sup> February 2024

**Address / Email:**

Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

**Request**

*We are writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information. Please may you provide us with answers to the following questions:*

1. *How many people are **currently** on your waiting list for ADHD assessments?  
Please break this down between children and adults.*
2. *How many assessments have you **carried out** every calendar year between 2018 and 2023?  
If possible, please break this down between children and adults.*
3. *How many ADHD referrals did you **receive** each calendar year between 2018 and 2023?  
Please break this down between children and adults.*
4. *How many ADHD referrals did you **accept** each calendar year between 2018 and 2023?  
Please break this down between children and adults.*
5. *What is the (mean) average time patients wait between referral and an assessment for ADHD  
for each calendar year between 2018 and 2023?  
If possible, please break this down between children and adults.*

**Response**

We do not carry out ADHD assessments at DGFT. We would sign post the individuals to speak to their GP for a referral to Black Country Mental Health.

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

Information Commissioners Office

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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Team**

**The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust**