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Thank you for your request concerning ADHD provision with our trust.

Your request has been considered and processed in accordance with the requirements of the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2000.

1. How many diagnoses of ADHD were there in the Trust in each of the last 10 years?

We can only provide data from 2014. This is because we changed our Electronic Patient Recording system in 2013 and this resulted in a distortion of the data migrated across to the new system. We would not be able to show a true reflection of the number of diagnoses there were.

Please also note that there may well be other young people who have a co-morbid mental health problem who do have ADHD but this is not the primary mental health concern recorded.

Year	Numbers
2014	729
2015	340
2016	375
2017	642
2018	244

2. How many children and adults are currently waiting for an ADHD diagnosis?

There are 153 waiting for diagnosis.

3. What is the average wait for an ADHD diagnosis for Children?

The average wait for diagnosis is 114 days.

4. What is the average wait for an ADHD diagnosis for Adults?

The average wait for diagnosis is 117 days.

5. What is the Trust target time for an ADHD waiting time?

There is no Trust target for waiting times for ADHD.

Should you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Please find enclosed an information sheet regarding copyright protection and the Trust's complaints procedure in the event that you are not satisfied with the response.

Yours sincerely

Sharon Farrell

Information Rights Officer

Enc: Copyright Protection and Complaints Procedure Information Leaflet.

If you would like to complete a short survey in relation to your Freedom of Information request please scan the QR code below or click [here](#).

