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Our Ref: FOI 3008

Thank you for your request concerning Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing services related to Looked after Children (LAC) placed within our area from other authorities.

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

1) What is your LAC Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing (including specialist CAMHS) offer?

This information is already in the public domain¹. Please follow this [link](#) to our Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) webpage where you can find information on the services we offer.

2) Who provides your LAC Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing (including specialist CAMHS) service/ services?

Please follow the link provided under question 1.

3) Is there a charge for the LAC Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing (including specialist CAMHS) service/services, if so please provide a breakdown of charges for OOA LAC?

Yes there are costs involved for these services; these charges are based upon per contact;

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| CAMHS Initial Assessment | £504.00 |
| CAMHS Face to Face Contact | £245.00 |
| CAMHS non Face to Face Contact | £61.00 |

4) What is your LAC Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing (including specialist CAMHS) waiting times?

For Quarter 1 of 2018/19 CAMHS Targeted Team waiting times were:

- 100% offered first appointment for consultation within 28 days
- 88% appointment for consultation completed within 28 days

5) What percentage of OOA LAC who are referred for Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing (including specialist CAMHS) services are accepted and receive services?

For 2017/18

- 80% of referrals were accepted,

¹ Section 21 – Information is accessible through other means has been applied

- 20% were redirected to other non HPFT services such as schools counselling or had moved out of area before the first appointment was completed.

6) What is the rating (CQC/ OFSTED) for your Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing (including specialist CAMHS) service?

Our current rating is good.

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

Sue Smith

**Sue Smith
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](#).

