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Dear Henry Shelford,

**Freedom of Information request
NHS West & North London (Ref: WNLICB-26060)**

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request made to NHS West & North London Integrated Care Board. The ICB was established on the 1 April 2026 after the North West London and the North Central London ICBs merged together. I apologise for the delay in responding.

You requested the following information:

Dear FOI Team,

I am writing to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 for the following information regarding ADHD assessments within NHS West and North London ICB.

Adult ADHD Assessments

- 1. How many adults do you have waiting for an ADHD diagnosis at the moment?*
- 2. How many adults were given an ADHD Assessment in the last year (1st April 2025 - 31st March 2026).*
- 3. If an adult was referred to you now when would you expect them to be seen?*
- 4. Please describe your current Adult ADHD Assessment pathway.*
- 5. Do you have any indicative activity plans in place for Right to Choose ADHD Adult Assessment providers?*
- 6. If yes, to the above, please outline each indicative activity plan (for Adult ADHD Assessment providers) that you have in place. Including the name of the provider and the activity plan they are to adhere to.*

Child ADHD Assessments

- 7. How many children do you have waiting for an ADHD diagnosis at the moment?*
- 8. How many children were given an ADHD Assessment in the last year (1st April 2025 - 31st March 2026).*
- 9. If a child was referred to you now when would you expect them to be seen?*
- 10. Please describe your current Child ADHD Assessment pathway.*
- 11. Do you have any indicative activity plans in place for Right to Choose ADHD Child Assessment providers?*



12. If yes, to the above, please outline each indicative activity plan (for Child ADHD Assessment providers) that you have in place. Including the name of the provider and the activity plan they are to adhere to.

Our response to your request is:

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1. How many adults do you have waiting for an ADHD diagnosis at the moment?
The ICB does not hold this information. Please request information from the NHS providers direct.

2. How many adults were given an ADHD Assessment in the last year (1st April 2025 - 31st March 2026).

The ICB does not hold this information. Please contact the NHS providers direct.

3. If an adult was referred to you now when would you expect them to be seen?
The ICB does not hold this information. Please contact the NHS providers direct.

4. Please describe your current Adult ADHD Assessment pathway.
Patients are referred into the appropriate service by their GP.

5. Do you have any indicative activity plans in place for Right to Choose ADHD Adult Assessment providers?

Yes.

6. If yes, to the above, please outline each indicative activity plan (for Adult ADHD Assessment providers) that you have in place. Including the name of the provider and the activity plan they are to adhere to.

The requested information is considered exempt information under Section 43 of the Freedom of Information Act – *information is exempt information if its disclosure would, or would likely to, prejudice the commercial interests of anybody* – information relating to ADHD Right to Choose providers' indicative activity plan details and allocations form part of a contractual and operational arrangements between the ICB and individual providers of service. There are provider specific capacity, activity assumptions, and service delivery models.

Child ADHD Assessments

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The ICB does not hold this information. Please contact the NHS providers direct.

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Patients are referred into the appropriate service by their GP.

11. Do you have any indicative activity plans in place for Right to Choose ADHD
Child Assessment providers?

Yes.

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ADHD Assessment providers) that you have in place. Including the name of
the provider and the activity plan they are to adhere to.

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If you are dissatisfied with our response you can request an internal review of your
response by emailing wnlicb.foi@nhs.net. The outcome will be reported back to you.
Where you feel your request has still not been dealt with properly, you can appeal to
the Information Commissioner by writing to: *The Information Commissioner, Wycliffe
House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF*.

Further information on the Freedom of Information Act is available at:
<http://www.ico.org.uk>.

Yours sincerely,

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Freedom of Information Manager

