

## Freedom of Information Request

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**Information Requested:**

I'd like to request the following information for both adults (18+) and children (-18) please, could you please provide the information for adults and children separately:

EPUT only has a commissioned Adult ADHD service, therefore all response reflect the position adults aged 18+.

1) Since 2018 what has your average number of referrals per year been for ADHD EPUT's ADHD service started in August 2021. The number of new assessment referrals received between Aug-21 and Jun-22 is 591 and 204 for follow up/medication review. This totals 795 referrals received.

2) How many people are currently waiting to be assessed for ADHD  
There are 269 people currently waiting for a new ADHD assessment.

3) How many people are currently waiting to start treatment for ADHD  
This information is not currently available from the system to report.

4) What is the current length of time someone has to wait for an ADHD assessment  
Of the 269 patients in question 2 above, the average waiting time is currently 105 days.

5) What is the current length of time someone has to wait to start treatment post diagnosis  
This information is not currently available from the system to report.

6) Can you provide me with the email address of the person that commissions your ADHD service  
The ADHD service between Aug-21 and Jun-22 was jointly commissioned by West Essex CCG and North East Essex CCG.

7) What is the conversation rate for diagnosis versus referral

The service have confirmed a conversation rate of approximately 95% confirmed ADHD diagnosis following a new referral assessment.

8) How many staff do you have in your ADHD service and what are their clinical positions ie Nurse, consultant

2 x Full Time Nurses  
1 x Full Time Psychologist  
2 days a week Psychiatrist

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