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Dear

Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing in response to your e-mail of the 7th February 2025. Your request has been processed using the Trust's procedures for the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000).

Requested information:

Can you please provide the below information.

- How many current patients are awaiting assessment for ADHD and Autism within Children and Adults?
 - **CYP ADHD- Data is enmeshed within the Trust core CAMHS and cannot be extrapolated at this time.**
 - **Adult ADHD- 2400 open referrals that have no Quantitative Behavioural (QB) start date.**
 - **CYP ASD 1583**
 - **Adult ASD 439**
- Are you using external provider to support with Assessments? If so who are they?
 - **Yes, Psicon in CYP ASD.**
 - **There are no private providers commissioned to complete ADHD assessment with the Trust.**
- Which department manages the ADHD and Autism clinics?
 - **The Adult ADHD team manage all referral for assessment for the Adult ADHD service. CYP ADHD assessment are managed by the core CAMHS.**
 - **All ASD assessments are managed by the Autism Assessment service which covers both adult and CYP requests.**
- What is the current Spend for the service?

Service	Spend
School Age ASD	£613,386
Autism Assessment Service	£444,947
ADHD Services	£332,268

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review of the management of your request. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Dr Buki Adeyemo, Chief Executive, North Staffordshire Combined Healthcare Trust, Trust Headquarters, Lawton House, Bellringer Road, Trentham, ST4 8HH. If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely



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