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Sent via email to: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information which was received on 5 May 2023, to confirm, in accordance with S.1(1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, that Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) partly holds the information that you require.

For ease of reference your request is set out below and our response follows:

Your Freedom of Information (FOI) Request:

I am writing to request information under the FOI Act.

I would appreciate the results within the 20-day limit please or sooner.

I would like to know:

- 1: The number of referrals to your neurodevelopmental services for children and young people for 2017, 2021 and 2022.
- 2: The average wait in weeks for a first assessment/appointment within your neurodevelopmental services for children and young people for 2017, 2021 and 2022.
- 3: The number of children and young people waiting for a neurodevelopmental assessment as of the date of this request or the nearest available date please.
- 4: The number of children and young people referred to your neurodevelopmental services who were discharged without an assessment or treatment for 2017, 2021 and 2022 please.
- 5: The longest wait in weeks of any CYP awaiting a first appointment with your neurodevelopmental services as of the date of this request or nearest available date.

If you do not offer neurodevelopmental assessments, please could you tell me who does in your area.

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Tŷ Glasbury, Ysbyty Bronllys,
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Powys Teaching Local Health Board

Powys Response:

Please note that data is not available for 2017 as the Neurodevelopmental Service was not operational until the end of this year.

Q1. Please see table below for the number of referrals into the neurodevelopmental services for children and young people.

2021	2022
228	580

Q2. Please see the table below for the average wait in weeks for a first assessment/appointment within the neurodevelopmental services for children and young people

2021	2022
50	33

Q3. 500 children and young people are waiting for a neurodevelopmental assessment as 30.04.2023.

Q4. Please see the table below for the number of children and young people referred to the neurodevelopmental services who were discharged without an assessment or treatment.

2021	2022
1	3

Q5. 66 weeks is the longest wait in weeks of any Children and Young People awaiting a first appointment for neurodevelopmental services as of the date of this request or nearest available date.

Should you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me at the address below.

If you are dissatisfied, with the way your request has been dealt with by PTHB, you have the right to request a review in which case you should write to:

Chief Executive
Powys Teaching Health Board Headquarters
Glasbury House
Bronllys Hospital
Bronllys
Brecon
Powys LD3 0LY

If you are still dissatisfied at the end of the review, you may complain to the Information Commissioner, who can be contacted at the following address:

Information Commissioner's Office - Wales
2nd Floor,
Churchill House,

Churchill Way,
Cardiff, CF10 2HH
Tel: 029 2067 8400 Fax 029 2067 8399

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Yours sincerely



Joy Garfitt

Interim Director of Operations/Director of Community & Mental Health