

Our ref: IG/FOI/FOI.403.25

11 August 2025

Sent via email to: [REDACTED]

Dear Sirs,

Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information, which was received on 14 July 2025, to confirm, in accordance with S.1(1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, that Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) does hold the information that you require.

For ease of reference your request is set out below and my response follows.

Your Freedom of Information (FOI) Request and Powys Response (Bold):

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request answers to the questions found on the attached form. **Please Note: We are not able to respond via online forms. Please see our response below.**

Q1. What is the name of your Trust?
Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB).

Q2. Where are you Based?

- England
- Scotland
- **Wales**
- Northern Ireland

Q3. Do you run an adult ADHD service?

- **Yes**
- No

Q4. How many adults are currently waiting for an ADHD assessment across your Trust?

I can confirm that there are currently 703 patients currently on the ADHD assessment waiting list.

Q5. How many referrals for adult ADHD assessments did you receive across your trust in 2024? Please enter the total number. If you do not record this information, please enter: Not recorded

I can confirm there was 751 referrals for adult ADHD assessments for 2024.

Q6. How many adult ADHD assessments did you carry out across your trust in 2024? Please enter the total number. If you do not record this information, please enter: Not recorded

I can confirm 455 adult ADHD assessments was undertaken in 2024.

Q7. Do you support patients while they are on the waiting list?

- Yes
- **No**

Q8. Please outline what support you offer patients while they are on the waiting list?

I can confirm that at present there is no support available for ADHD patients on the waiting list.

Q9. Has your any part of your Trust closed waiting lists for new adult ADHD assessment referrals at any point in the last 12 months?

- Yes
- **No**

Q10. Please give details of which services were affected and for how long?

Not applicable.

Q11. Do any adult ADHD services across your trust have an exclusion criteria for assessment referrals?

- Yes
- **No**

Q12. Please select all relevant reasons from this list below:

- We do not accept patients over a certain age
- We only accept patients with complex cases, eg other mental health conditions
- We do not accept patients who are being seen by an adult mental health team or have complex mental health conditions
- We do not accept patients if we believe their symptoms are not causing significant functional impairment
- The service is only commissioned to see a certain amount of patients, so new referrals are rejected after that target is reached

Not applicable based on Q11 above.

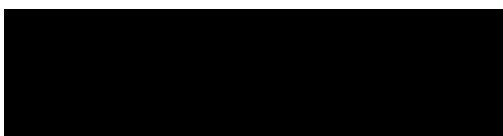
Q13. Feel free to add any more information here:
This is optional if you want to give more context to any of your answers.

Not applicable.

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If after Internal Review you remain dissatisfied you are also entitled to refer the matter to the information commissioner at the Information Commissioner's Office (Wales), 2nd Floor, Churchill House, Churchill Way, Cardiff, CF10 2HH. Telephone Number: 0330 414 6421.

Yours sincerely



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We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. We will reply to such correspondence in Welsh and this will not lead to a delay.