

Our ref: IG/FOI/FOI.439.25

26 August 2025

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 30 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 each question individually.

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

I would like the information on waiting lists as of the end of July 2025.

Q1. Could you please tell me how many adults are currently awaiting an ADHD assessment in your health board?

**I can confirm that there are currently 703 patients currently on the adult Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) assessment waiting list.**

Q2. Could you also tell me how many children are currently awaiting an ADHD assessment in your health board?

**Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) offers a holistic neurodevelopment assessment inclusive of ADHD. There are currently 1080 children and young people waiting for a first appointment.**

Q3. Do you operate any specialist neurodevelopmental screening service? If so, have these received Welsh Government funding? If so, please detail the amount of funding awarded per financial year since April 2022.

**Whilst we do use screeners as part of the assessment, we do not operate any specialist neurodevelopmental screening service currently.**

Q4. How long have the three adults waiting the longest been on the waiting list been waiting (in weeks?)

**I can confirm that the longest wait on the waiting list for all three patients is 106 weeks.**

Q5. How long have the three children waiting the longest on the waiting list been waiting (in weeks)?

- **126 weeks**
- **118 weeks**
- **107 weeks**

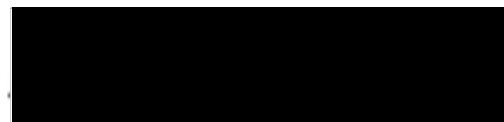
Q6. Do you have a shared care policy in place for patients with a private diagnosis?

**Adult and Children's Services – No policy at present.**

Under the terms of the Health Board's Freedom of Information procedure, individuals seeking access to recorded information held by the Health Board are entitled to request an internal review of the handling of their requests. If you would like to complain about the Health Board's handling of your request, please contact us directly at the address below or register your complaint via [Powys.FOI@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Powys.FOI@wales.nhs.uk)

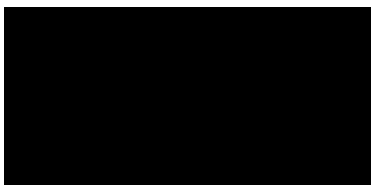
If after Internal Review you remain dissatisfied you are also entitled to refer the matter to the information commissioner at the Information Commissioner's Office (Wales), 2nd Floor, Churchill House, Churchill Way, Cardiff, CF10 2HH. Telephone Number: 0330 414 6421.

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.