

Freedom of Information Act 2000 disclosure log entry

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Subject

Under 11s School Referrals 2015/16 to 18/19

Details of enquiry

1. The total number of referrals made to mental health services by primary schools (for pupils aged 11 and under) for each of the last four financial years (including 2018/19)?
2. The total number of referrals made to mental health services by primary schools (for pupils aged 11 and under) which were declined for each of the last four financial years (including 2018/19)?
3. The known most number of times an individual child referred by a primary school has been declined mental health services over the last four financial years - including 2018/19 (i.e. this is according to records which are kept, please don't independently investigate if records are not able to be filtered to check this)?
4. The longest known time spent by an individual child referred by a primary school on a waiting list for mental health services over the last 4 financial years - including 2018/19 (i.e. this is according to records which are kept, please don't independently investigate if records are not able to be filtered to check this)?
5. The average waiting time spent by a child referred by a primary school to be seen by mental health services in 2018/19?

Response Sent

1. The total number of referrals made to mental health services by primary schools (for pupils aged 11 and under) for each of the last four financial years (including 2018/19)?

2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19
186	225	230	251

2. The total number of referrals made to mental health services by primary schools (for pupils aged 11 and under) which were declined for each of the last four financial years (including 2018/19)?

2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19
0	0	3	1

3. The known most number of times an individual child referred by a primary school has been declined mental health services over the last four financial years - including 2018/19 (i.e. this is according to records which are kept, please don't independently investigate if records are not able to be filtered to check this)?

2015/16-2018/19
1

4. The longest known time spent by an individual child referred by a primary school on a waiting list for mental health services over the last 4 financial years - including 2018/19 (i.e. this is according to records which are kept, please don't independently investigate if records are not able to be filtered to check this)?

2015/16-2018/19
282 days

5. The average waiting time spent by a child referred by a primary school to be seen by mental health services in 2018/19?

2018/19
23 days