

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_55_22

You asked:

If retrieving all of the below data exceeds the appropriate limit (18 hours) for the FOI, please answer only questions 1c, 2c and all of question 5.

1. How many individuals were granted NHS Continuing Healthcare funding via the Fast-Track Pathway in the following financial years?

- a) 2018-19**
- b) 2019-20**
- c) 2020-21 - 92**

Please note, CTMUHB recording method for Fast Track Applications has changed since we became Integrated Locality Groups in August 2020. Therefore, any reports prior to 20/21 would not accurately reflect the actual Fast Track applications that have been agreed via our Panel process.

2. How many individuals initially granted NHS Continuing Healthcare funding via the Fast-Track Pathway had a Decision Support Tool (DST) assessment in the following financial years:

- a) 2018-19**
- b) 2019-20**
- c) 2020-21 - 0**

Please note, the CTMUHB process is to complete a nursing assessment after 3 months of a Fast Track Application not a DST. A DST would only be completed if the nursing assessment completed outlined that a primary health need was no longer present, as you will see to date no DST were completed

3. How many of the individuals outlined in answer 2a were found by the DST assessment to be:

- i) Eligible for Continuing Healthcare funding**
- ii) No longer eligible for Continuing Healthcare funding**
- iii) Other (please detail where possible)**

Not applicable.

4. How many of the individuals outlined in answer 2b were found by the DST assessment to be:

- i) Eligible for Continuing Healthcare funding**
- ii) No longer eligible for Continuing Healthcare funding**
- iii) Other (please detail where possible)**

Not applicable.

5. How many of the individuals outlined in answer 2c were found by the DST assessment to be:

- i) Eligible for Continuing Healthcare funding**
- ii) No longer eligible for Continuing Healthcare funding**
- iii) Other (please detail where possible)**

Not applicable.