

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) 2002

Thank you for your email, dated 24 June where you requested information through the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002. Please find below responses to the questions you raised.

Please provide the following two figures for each of the four assessment types listed below, as current point-in-time figures where possible, or alternatively for the most recent available period:

- a) The median waiting time in weeks from GP referral to first assessment appointment**
- b) The total number of people currently on the waiting list**

The four assessment types are:

- 1. Adult ADHD assessment**
- 2. CAMHS (under 18) ADHD assessment**
- 3. Adult autism assessment**
- 4. CAMHS (under 18) autism assessment**

NHS Dumfries and Galloway do not hold this information in a reportable format; therefore, this request is refused under section 17 of FOISA.

There is no adult ADHD or autism service in NHS Dumfries and Galloway and ADHD or autism assessment are not routinely reported.

Under section 20 (1) of the Act, if you are dissatisfied with the way NHS Dumfries and Galloway has dealt with your request, you have a right to request a review of our actions and decisions in relation to your request, and you have a right to appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner.

A request for review must be made within forty working days from 17 July 2026 and should, in the first instance, be in writing to Julie White, Chief Executive, NHS Dumfries and Galloway, Ground Floor North, Mountainhall Treatment Centre, Bankend Road, Dumfries DG1 4AP or by e-mail to dg.feedback2@nhs.scot. You must provide your name, an address for correspondence, details of your original request and why you want a review.

If our decision is unchanged following review and you remain dissatisfied with this, you have the right to make a formal appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner. Requests for appeal should be made in writing to the Scottish Information Commissioner, Kinburn Castle,

Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, Fife, KY16 9DS, telephone 01334 464610, fax 01334 464611
or email: enquiries@FOI.scot

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. Minij', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Freedom of Information Officer