



Freedom of Information request & West Norfolk CCG response

WN-2017-00006 – Children’s Dental Hospitals

1. As of March 31st, 2017, can you tell me how many children were on the waiting list to visit the CCG children's dental hospital?
2. If the CCG does not have a dedicated dental hospital, how long is the wait as of March 31st, 2017, for children's dental services?
3. How long is the present waiting list, in terms of months/weeks to be seen?
4. How long is the wait for teeth extractions?
5. How many children are affected by the wait for teeth extractions?
6. Is there a wait for youngsters to be added to the waiting list? if, so how many children are waiting to be placed on to the waiting list?
7. How many dental nurses does the CCG employ for children's dental services?
8. How many vacancies does it have at present?
9. How many children were on the waiting list to visit the CCG's children's dental hospital on:
 - a) March 31st, 2016?
 - b) March 31st 2015?
 - c) March 31st 2014?
 - d) March 31st 2013?

10. If the CCG does not have a dental hospital, how many children were on the waiting list to visit the CCG's children's dental services on:

- a) March 31st, 2016?**
- b) March 31st 2015?**
- c) March 31st 2014?**
- d) March 31st 2013?**

11. How many children received treatment at the children's dental services between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2016?

The information requested is not held by the CCG.

NHS England is responsible for the commissioning dental services. It is advised you refer your request to NHS England who may hold the information you seek. Contact details of their Freedom of Information Act team can be found in the following link: <http://www.england.nhs.uk/contact-us/foi/>.