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# Cais Rhyddid Gwybodaeth / Freedom of Information request Ein Cyf / Our Ref: 23-C-047

#### You asked:

1. The current waiting time (in weeks) for children referred for an assessment for autism as of Monday, 29 March 2023.

114 weeks

2. The current waiting time (in weeks) for adults referred for an assessment for autism as of Monday, 29 March 2023.

The average waiting time in weeks for adults waiting for a diagnostic assessment as of Monday, 29 March is 42 weeks. This includes patients who have been sent screening tools.

3. The current waiting time (in weeks) for children referred for an assessment for ADHD as of Monday, 29 March 2023.

113 weeks

4. The current waiting time (in weeks) for adults referred for an assessment for ADHD as of Monday, 29 March 2023.

Please note that our new outpatient waiting lists to not identify if the patient is waiting for an ADHD assessment. The average waiting time for all undiagnosed new adult patients waiting to see a psychiatrist including those waiting for an assessment for ADHD as of Monday, 29 March 2023 is 4.5 weeks.

- 5. Does your health board have a specialist budget allocated for the following conditions:
  - Autism, or Autism Spectrum Conditions (ASD)
  - ADHD: Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder, or ADD: Attention Deficit Disorder

Children's service - SBUHB have one integrated waiting list for ASD or ADHD or both. We assess children & young people from 5 years old to 17 years and 6 months within our service budget. No specialist budget.

Adult service - No allocated budget for ADHD.



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ASD - Western Bay Integrated Autism Service has an annual budget of £398,000 – this is for the populations of Neath Port Talbot, Swansea and Bridgend.

#### - Dyscalculia

Children's service - There is no Dyscalculia assessment service.

Adult service - There is no Dyscalculia assessment service

### - Dyslexia

Children's service - Dyslexia is an educational assessment outcome, and the budget is managed by the Local Authority.

Adult service - There is no Dyslexia assessment service

Dyspraxia, or Developmental Coordination Disorder (DCD)
Children's service - DCD +/- dyspraxia is a Community Paediatric diagnostic service and is separately funded.

Adult service - There is no Dyspraxia, or Developmental Coordination Disorder (DCD) assessment service

## - Tourette's Syndrome

Children's service - Tourette's is one of the three types of Tic Disorder; Motor tics only, Vocal tics only or both motor and vocal (Tourette's). Tic Disorders are assessed by CAMHs which is hosted by Cwm Taf Morgannwg Health Board. Please contact them for this information.

Adult service - There is no stand alone Tourette's assessment service

6. If yes to question 5, how much of your budget is allocated to each of the above for 2023.

Please see Q5.