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19 January 2016

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request that we received on 18 January 2016, with regards to treatment services of adult onset posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD).

Request/**Response**

We would be grateful if you could provide us with the following information regarding the treatment services of adult onset posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD) as provided within your clinical commissioning group.

- The staffing dedicated to PTSD i.e. how many staff from how many different professional disciplines are working in service
- In the 12 month period leading up to receiving this request, the total number of referrals made within your CCG for PTSD treatment, the total number accepted for treatment and the number that completed eight or more treatment sessions, and a breakdown of accepted referrals in terms of age, ethnicity and gender.
- The models of psychological intervention and the levels provided for PTSD treatment.
- The type of formal social support provided to patients suffering PTSD and/or their families.
- An indication of any outreach work being carried out with populations who are underrepresented in accessing mental health services but are likely to be exposed to considerable psychological trauma e.g. homeless persons.

We are unable to provide you with the information you have requested under section 1 (1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act as we do not hold the information you have requested. Please direct your request to Mersey Care NHS Trust:

By email to: freedomofinformation@merseycare.nhs.uk

**Or by letter to: Mersey Care NHS Trust,
Communications Office,
V7,
Kings Business Park,
Prescot,
Merseyside
L34 1PJ.**

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The ICO can be contacted at:

Information Commissioners Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
www.ico.gov.uk

Should you require any further information, clarification regarding this response or do not feel that your request has been answered as you would expect, please contact us to discuss.

Yours sincerely,

**Customer Relations Lead
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