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Dear

Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request that we received on 20th June 2019, with regards to Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS).

Request / Response:

1. In each year since 2010, what was the total expenditure for private sector Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS)?

Response: N/A. NHS Liverpool Clinical Commissioning Group does not have any private sector CAMHS contracts and does not fund any private sector local services for CAMHS.

2. In each year since 2010, what was the total expenditure on mental health services as a whole?

Response:

All ages

<u>Financial Year</u>	<u>Mental Health Spend (Direct)</u>	<u>Spend on Mental Health in other Areas</u>	<u>Total Mental Health Spend</u>	<u>Comments</u>
	£ 000s	£ 000s	£ 000s	
2013-14	66,747	15,820	82,567	<i>This figure is estimated as this was not a reporting requirement to NHS England in 2013-14</i>
2014-15	69,118	16,382	85,500	
2015-16	77,193	12,416	89,609	
2016-17	82,565	31,968	114,533	
2017-18	88,211	28,109	116,320	
2018-19	87,339	34,155	121,494	

3. In each of the last 5 years, what was the total expenditure of private health care?

Response:

Purchase of Non NHS Healthcare	Independent / Private £'000	Voluntary / Not-for-Profit £'000	Local Authorities £'000	Devolved Administrations £'000	Total £'000
2018/19	62,228	12,427	44,486	631	119,772
2017/18	48,738	11,380	45,880	499	106,497
2016/17	57,127	8,230	39,478		104,835
2015/16	46,480	8,061	43,096		97,637
2014/15	47,929	5,639	16,993		70,561

*Source: Statutory CCG Final accounts
(Note 45)*

4. Could the CCG outline its future plans to outsource care currently given by medical professionals and care providers to private healthcare businesses?

Response: LCCG has no strategy to outsource care, however where necessary private providers may be used to deliver services where appropriate e.g. spot purchase of a specialist bed, referral to a service not provided by an NHS provider.

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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,

**Corporate Services Team
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