

## Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 which was received into this office on 19<sup>th</sup> September 2017.

### You Asked for:

1. How many people applied to your CCG for continuing healthcare funding between 2013 - present
2. Of these, how many are successful in being granted the funding between 2013 - present
3. Of these, how many were unsuccessful between 2013 – present
4. Of the cases that were unsuccessful, how many asked for the CCG to review their application for funding between 2013 – present?
5. How many of these reviews found in favour of the applicant?
6. How many cases were transferred to an independent review panel between 2013-present? How many of the independent reviews found in favour of the applicant

I am looking for this information to be broken down on an annual basis and, if possible produced in spreadsheet format.

### Our Response:

Please see table of information below

	Q1	Q2	Q3
2014/15	325	279	46
2015/16	535	456	70
2016/17	901	703	178
2017/18 - to date	441	358	80

Please note for the above we cannot provide figures for 2013/14 due to the inability to differentiate assessment/application types accurately prior to database improvements and migrations.

	Q4	Q5	Q6
2015	3	3	1
2016	23	10	2
2017	11	6	3

Please note that information prior to 2015 is unavailable.

We hope this information is useful, however if you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact a member of the Corporate Affairs Team (contact details at the top of this letter)

Yours sincerely



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