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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 23rd April 2018.

You Asked for:

1. The number of people deemed ineligible for continuing healthcare for each financial year since 2011/12 and the reasons these applications were turned down.
2. The number of Continuing Healthcare (CHC) appeals since 2011/12, broken down by financial year.
3. The number of successful CHC appeals for each financial year since 2011/12 and the reason these appeals were successful.

I would be grateful if you would provide your response either in Excel format or in the body of an email, rather than PDF.

Our Response:

Please find the information you have requested in the attached Excel spreadsheet, as per your request.

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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1	The number of people deemed ineligible for continuing healthcare for each financial year since 2011/12 and the reasons these applications were turned down.	
	2011/12	N/A
	2012/13	N/A
	2013/14	N/A
	2014/15	N/A
	2015/16	66
	2016/17	185
	2017/18	198
2	The number of Continuing Healthcare (CHC) appeals since 2011/12, broken down by financial year.	
	2011/12	N/A
	2012/13	N/A
	2013/14	N/A
	2014/15	N/A
	2015/16 (2015 ONLY)	3
	2016/17 (2016 ONLY)	23
	2017/18	15
3	The number of successful CHC appeals for each financial year since 2011/12 and the reason these appeals were successful.	
	2011/12	N/A
	2012/13	N/A
	2013/14	N/A
	2014/15	N/A
	2015/16 (2015 ONLY)	3
	2016/17 (2016 ONLY)	10
	2017/18	2

Q1) Data only available from 2015/16 due to previous database migration.
Q2&3) Data only available from 2015, when the CHC service transferred from the Commissioning Support Unit. Also please note due to previous recording methods the data is only available for 2015 & 16 in calendar year.