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Re: Freedom of Information Request - CHC (Continuing Healthcare) Assessment Data

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received into this office on 2nd August 2021.

You Asked for:

1. Currently how many Adults and Children's CHC Assessments are outstanding within the Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG)?
2. How are the CHC assessments broken down?
3. What staffing groups complete the assessments (for example, Qualified Nurses, Occupational Therapists, Physiotherapist, Qualified Social workers)?
4. Who is the budget holder for this project and what are their contact details?

Our Response:

1. There are currently 14 cases that have waited more than 28 days for an assessment.
2. All 14 cases were received through referral for Continuing Healthcare (CHC).
3. Qualified nurses complete the assessments on behalf of NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) but the assessments are reviewed in partnership with qualified Social Workers from the Local Authority (LA).
4. Lorna Quigley is the Director of Quality and Safety at NHS Wirral CCG and is the budget holder. Please see below for her contact details:

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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)

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