

## **FOI 0357/2023 Response**

### **Request**

Please tell me of the length of the current waiting time between referral acceptance and Diagnostic Assessment for ASD (Adult Autism Spectrum Disorder) in your Trust.

### **Response**

The Trust is unable to provide a response to your request for information.

This is because the Trust is not explicitly commissioned as a diagnostic service for ASD.

Please note that we do accept referrals where individuals have an existing diagnosis of ASD or behaviours suggestive of suspected ASD, but whose primary reason for referral to our services is co-occurring mental health needs.

Where an individuals are seeking a diagnosis of ASD, we would sign post them to appropriate providers for that.