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Dear Requestor

Request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

On 19 June 2019 you sent a request, made under the Freedom of Information Act, relating to Fast Track Continuing Healthcare. I now provide this information as an attachment.

I trust that this is the information you require and that your request has been fully discharged.

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If you have queries about this response, please do not hesitate to contact me quoting the above reference number.

Yours sincerely

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Paddy Baker
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NHS Dorset Clinical Commissioning Group

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Q1:

What was the average time period in your CCG in days/hours from the point at which a Fast Track CHC application is made to the care package being provided for the financial year 2018/19?

Response:

NHS Dorset CCG does not hold this information as our systems do not capture it.

Q2:

What was the average time period in days/hours from the point at which a Fast Track CHC application is *approved* to the care package being provided for the financial year 2018/19?

Response:

NHS Dorset CCG does not hold this information as our systems do not capture it.

Q3:

During the financial year 2018/19, how many applications for fast track CHC did the CCG receive?

Response:

During 2018/19 NHS Dorset CCG received 1826 Fast Track applications.

Q4:

During the financial year 2018/19, how many applications for fast track CHC were funded?

Response:

During 2018/19 NHS Dorset CCG found 1534 fast track applications eligible for funding.