

Reference: FOI.ICB-2526/421

Subject: Adult ADHD Pathway

I can confirm that the ICB does hold some of the information requested; please see responses below:

QUESTION	RESPONSE
<p>1. Do you have a clinical threshold for determining whether an individual will receive an ADHD assessment and if so, please can you share it with us?</p>	<p>The ICB does not have any EFR/Prior approval policies specifically in relation to ADHD.</p> <p>The BNSSG referral pathways and joint formulary page 'REMEDY' includes information relating to Adult ADHD referrals, shared care and follow up: ADHD (adult) (Remedy BNSSG ICB)</p> <p>Please also see NHS Choice Framework - what choices are available to you in your NHS care - GOV.UK, noting that referrals made under Right to Choose would be subject to the exclusions listed here. It is worth noting that individual providers may have their own exclusion criteria, and would need to be contacted directly for this information. As well as Avon and Wiltshire Mental Health Partnership (AWP) NHS Trust; https://www.awp.nhs.uk/contact-us/freedom-information</p>
<p>2. Do you operate a single point of access or triage service that manages all ADHD assessment referrals? If yes, can you please share details of the model?</p>	<p>No, there is not a SPA (single point of access) or triage service for ADHD in BNSSG as there are a mixture of providers.</p>

<p>3. Do you commission any support services for patients either with ADHD or waiting for an assessment? If yes, please outline what these offers are.</p>	<p>Please refer to the links below for information regarding accessing ADHD assessments via Right to Choose and the BNSSG Neurodiversity Hub:</p> <p>Accessing autism and ADHD assessments via Right to Choose - BNSSG Healthier Together</p> <p>Neurodiversity Hub - BNSSG Healthier Together</p>
<p>4. Would you be happy to have a 30-minute teams meeting with [REDACTED] commissioners to discuss the above in more detail. If yes, please provide a contact name and email address for us to get in touch.</p>	<p>Please contact the Mental Health Contracting team directly: bnssg.mh.contract@nhs.net</p>

The information provided in this response is accurate as of 27 February 2026 and has been approved for release by Helena Fuller, Deputy Director of Business, Strategy and Planning and Rosi Shepherd, Chief Nursing Officer for NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire ICB.