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I am responding to your request for information received 5th July 2019. This has been treated as a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am now enclosing a response which is attached to the end of this letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me on the contact details above if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

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Request:

I am currently helping conduct research on CAMHS and transitioning and is wondering if I could request some information from your NHS Trust? Please find the questions below:

Question 1. Do you provide CAMHS (Child and adolescent mental health service)?

Answer: Yes.

Question 2. If you do offer CAMHS, what is the age threshold for people receiving OCD treatment within CAMHS?

Answer: We have no lower age threshold, the upper age threshold is 18 years old for OCD and all other mental health disorders.

Question 3. In addition, what measures do you have in place for transitioning from CAMHS to Adult Mental Health Services with regard to OCD?

Answer: The Trust has a comprehensive Transition from Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services to Adult Mental Health Services Policy in place for young people continuing to experience OCD and/or other mental health disorders and need to continue their care. See link below to the policy which is readily available on the internet:

<https://www.elft.nhs.uk/uploads/files/1/ELFT%20Adolescent%20to%20Adult%20Transition%20Policy%20v2%202.pdf>