

NHS Calderdale CCG's response to your request can be found below.

I would like to ask if Calderdale CCG funds and/or commissions any services for victim-survivors of sexual violence or abuse. This could encompass services for children, young people or adults, and could include different types of support services (e.g. SARC, advocacy, counselling services, etc.).

NHS Calderdale CCG commissions Calderdale Open Minds (CAMHS) to provide focused, evidence-based support and guidance to children/young people aged up to 18 years old (or 25 if SEND), presenting with a mental health need. This includes support for children/young people whose emotional wellbeing and mental health has been affected by sexual violence or abuse. Open Minds (CAMHS) provide clinical mental health interventions where there is clear evidence and/or likelihood of a positive result.

NHS Calderdale CCG also commissions mental health services for adults, including psychological (talking) therapies, counselling and psychology services.

If the CCG does fund and/or commission these services, I would like to ask which services are financially supported/invested in?

Calderdale Open Minds (CAMHS) is provided by Northpoint Wellbeing and South West Yorkshire Partnership Foundation Trust, and Kooth plc.

Psychological (talking) therapies (also known as IAPT) are provided by VitaMinds and South West Yorkshire Partnership Foundation Trust (SWYPFT). SWYPFT also provide psychology services for people in Calderdale. The WomenCentre provide a counselling service.