

Ref: FOI 2122135- Services

## Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request for Information

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

I am requesting the following information in respect of:

1. Does your commissioning agreement within your CCG inclusive of treatment for Functional Neurological Disorder?

NHS Calderdale CCG (CCG) commissions Neurology services from acute trust hospitals. The main local acute trust hospital is Calderdale and Huddersfield NHS Foundation Trust.

2. Can you please confirm that the commissioning agreement within your CCG provides each of the following services and that people with FND are eligible to be referred and receive this treatment:
  - Neurological physiotherapy
  - Neurological occupational therapy
  - Speech and language therapy and
  - Psychological therapies

A clinical decision will be made in relation to eligibility of the above-mentioned services. The CCG commissions physiotherapy, occupational therapy and speech and language therapy from Calderdale and Huddersfield NHS Foundation Trust and psychological therapies from South West Yorkshire NHS Foundation Trust and Vita Health Group.

3. Can you please provide a list of the services offered and contact details which include both inpatient and Community/Outpatient Rehabilitation Services as advised in Q2?

Please contact the providers for this information:

<https://www.cht.nhs.uk/contact-us>

<https://www.southwestyorkshire.nhs.uk/contact-us/>

<https://www.vitahealthgroup.co.uk/contact-us/>

4. If your commissioning agreement excludes the treatment of Functional Neurological Disorder, can you please provide details of which services in your CCG Areas accepts referrals for treatment for Functional Neurological Disorder?

Not applicable

5. Do you have plans to improve access to treatment for people with FND? If so, can you provide details of what improvements are being implemented?

The CCG does not have any specific plans in relation to improving access to treatment for people with FND, however, improving access as part of our elective recovery plans.

6. Would you or your colleagues be interested in accessing clinical support/education about FND involving specialist clinicians?

The CCG engages with clinicians both as a membership organisation and as part of the overall health system.