

**Freedom of Information Request – Reference: FOI-1231**

**Subject: PSP and CBD**

Request:		
I am writing to request information on NHS Continuing Healthcare in the NHS Bedfordshire, Luton and Milton Keynes ICB area in respect of people living with Progressive supranuclear palsy (PSP) and Corticobasal degeneration (CBD, sometimes referred to as corticobasal syndrome or CBS).		<b>BLMK ICB Response</b>
1.	<p>Please confirm the number of people in the NHS Bedfordshire, Luton and Milton Keynes ICB area with PSP and CBD who were receiving NHS Continuing Healthcare in the years 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. People with PSP</li> <li>ii. People with CBD</li> </ul>	As CHC decisions are based on the assessment of needs undertaken and whether someone has a Primary Health Need, (PHN) and not on the patient's diagnosis, we are therefore unable to provide a response to the questions sought
2.	<p>Please confirm the number of applications for NHS Continuing Healthcare that the NHS Bedfordshire, Luton and Milton Keynes ICB received in the years 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024 in respect of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. People with PSP</li> <li>ii. People with CBD</li> </ul>	As above

3.	<p>Of the above applications for NHS Continuing Healthcare in respect of people with PSP and CBD, please confirm the number which were:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Approved (found eligible for Continuing Healthcare)</li> <li>ii. Rejected (found ineligible for Continuing Healthcare)</li> </ul>	As above
4.	<p>Of the above applications for NHS Continuing Healthcare in respect of people with PSP and CBD that were approved, please confirm the number which were for Fast Track Continuing Healthcare.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. People with PSP</li> <li>ii. People with CBD</li> </ul>	As above
5.	<p>In respect of applications for Continuing Healthcare in respect of people with PSP and CBD that were rejected, please confirm the number of applications that rejected due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Failed initial assessment (NHS Continuing care checklist)</li> <li>ii. Failed full assessment (CHC Decision Support Tool)</li> <li>iii. Other (please specify)</li> </ul>	As above

To assist you in fulfilling this request, in ICD-10 (2019) PSP is coded as G23.1, and in ICD-11 (2024) it is coded as 8A00.10.

CBD does not have a distinct ICD code but may be recorded as corticobasal degeneration or corticobasal syndrome.

**The above information is correct at: 07/10/2024**