

Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing to respond to your request sent on the 29th September 2016. OUH can confirm that it holds the data that you requested.

- Where are patients currently referred for diagnosis and treatment of Obstructive Sleep Apnoea **Sleep and Ventilation Service, Oxford Centre for Respiratory Medicine**
- How many patients are referred annually for sleep diagnostics related to Obstructive Sleep Apnoea **40-50 per week = 2000 per annum**
- What is the current waiting time for Sleep diagnostics related to Obstructive Sleep Apnoea **6 weeks**
- What is the current waiting time for commencing CPAP therapy related to Obstructive Sleep Apnoea **Based from the sleep study that CPAP is needed; the patient comes for a medical/ nurse specialist appointment then CPAP set-up on the same day, 6 weeks from sleep study (i.e. 12 weeks from referral). If a two-step approach is needed (appt to discuss then CPAP at a separate appt) the wait from sleep study is 10 weeks (16 weeks from referral)**
- How many patients currently are using CPAP therapy for Obstructive Sleep Apnoea **In Oxford there around 10,000 patients on CPAP, one of the largest sleep centres in the UK.**

Yours sincerely