

Solihull ADHD Referrals Pathway

Referral received in to ADHD nurse service or Community Paediatrics – all referrals are requested to be submitted by education setting on the primary or secondary school referral documentation.

For children and young people being home schooled GP can submit a completed referral on the primary or secondary school referral documentation.

ADHD referrals will not be accepted for children under the age of 5 years.

Triage completed by ADHD CNS

If not on ADHD referral form send out ADHD assessment form to school for completion, letter to be copied to parents.

Referral not accepted until full referral information received – record as inappropriate referral to facilitate generation of letter.

Once all information received – add to appropriate New Referral wait list

No additional complexity:
Proceed to Initial Nurse led or Community Paediatric Therapeutic Assessment

Complexity noted: eg LAC, YOS supported, under 6 years, ASD diagnosis, Epilepsy, Learning Disability, Foetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder, family/ medical history of congenital cardiac condition, arrhythmia or sudden death: proceed to Community Paediatrics initial Therapeutic assessment

Discrepancies in assessment information proceed to School Obs /QB

ADHD Diagnosis

ADHD diagnosis

Nurse led Follow Up if no complexity noted during assessment.

No ADHD Diagnosis

Signposting and discharge

Community Paediatrics Follow Up or transfer to Nurse led follow up if no complexity noted during assessment

6-month F/Up to be offered for all ADHD diagnosis patients. SNAP to be repeated at 5 months for review at F/Up appointment. If not proceeding to medication at 6 months - discharge with relevant signposting information and re-referral information