

Data from the national EIP audit

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Benchmarking Network

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Background

Access and Waiting Time standards for First Episode Psychosis

“The new access and waiting time standard requires that, **by 1 April 2016, more than 50%** of people experiencing a first episode of psychosis will be treated with a NICE approved care package **within two weeks of referral**.”

The standard is ‘two-pronged’ and both conditions must be met for the standard to be deemed to have been achieved, i.e.

1. A maximum wait of two weeks from referral to treatment
2. Treatment delivered in accordance with NICE guidelines for psychosis and schizophrenia

Most initial episodes of psychosis occur between early adolescence and age 25 but the standard applies to people of all ages in line with NICE guidance.”

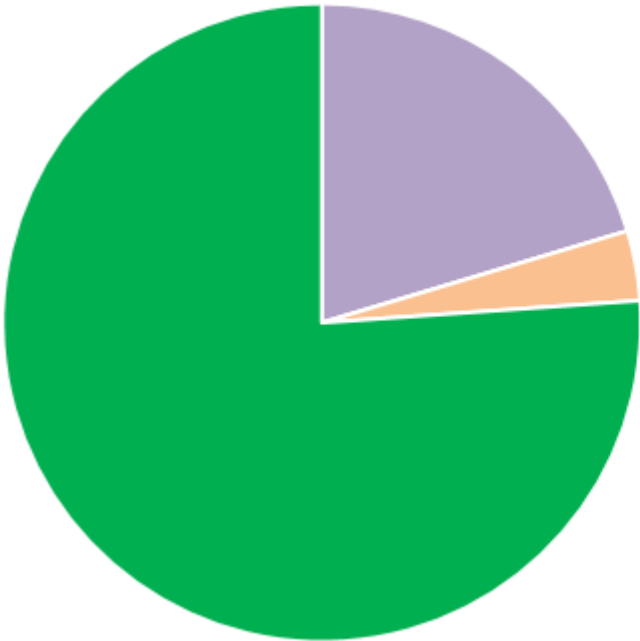
EIP Services

age 14 - 35



EIP Team Start Age

Nationally

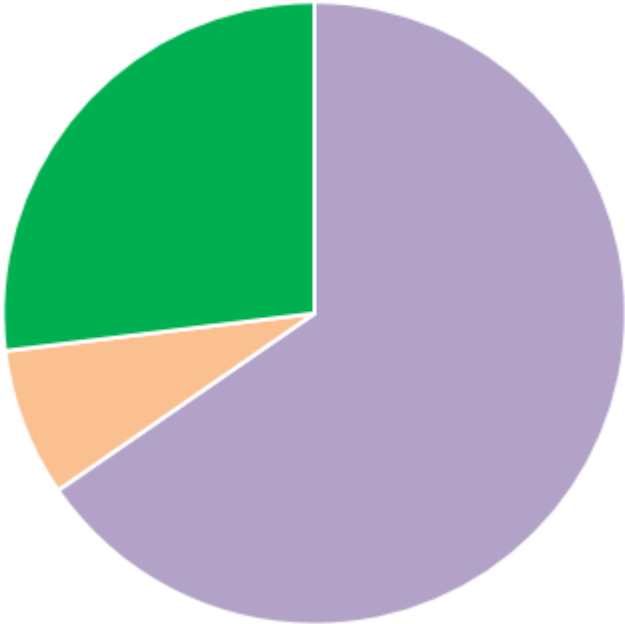


14 years

Other

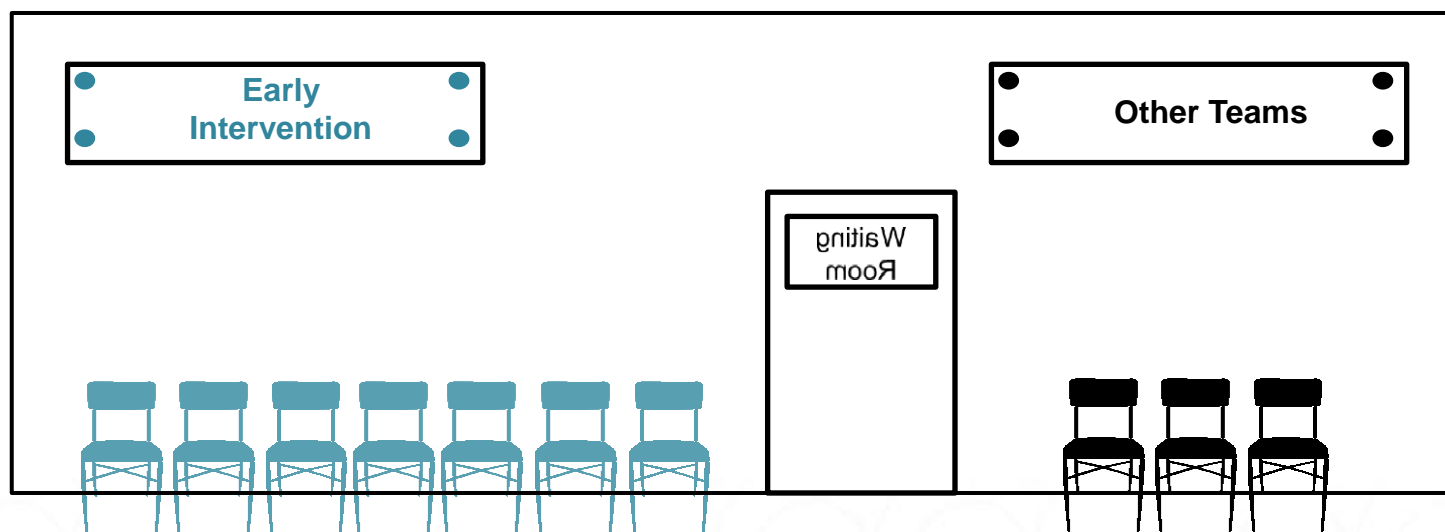
18 years

London



Cluster 10 patients by location

- 70% of Cluster 10 patients were under EIP teams
- 30% of Cluster 10 patients were under other community teams



Referral Pathways



14 days

Referral Pathways

Referrals from primary care

- London is half the national average (9% vs 18%)

Referrals from inpatient care

- London is 40% above the national average (21% vs 15%)

Referrals from other community teams (inc. SPOA)

- London is similar to the national average (37% vs 38%)



Caseload per care coordinator

Target: 15 patients per
WTE care coordinator



National average: 20 patients
per WTE care coordinator



National picture	120 Early Intervention Teams	20 patients per WTE care coordinator	For teams who reported provision:	
			115 patients per WTE trained in CBTp	67 patients per WTE trained in Family Therapy

North of England

38 Early Intervention Teams

21 patients per WTE care coordinator

135 patients per WTE trained in CBTp

64 patients per WTE trained in Family Therapy

5 teams (13%) report no provision

8 teams (21%) report no provision

Central

31 Early Intervention Teams

18 patients per WTE care coordinator

75 patients per WTE trained in CBTp

31 patients per WTE trained in Family Therapy

5 teams (16%) report no provision

8 teams (26%) report no provision

South of England

22 Early Intervention Teams

18 patients per WTE care coordinator

163 patients per WTE trained in CBTp

94 patients per WTE trained in Family Therapy

5 teams (23%) report no provision

11 teams (50%) report no provision

London	29 Early Intervention Teams	23 patients per WTE care coordinator	97 patients per WTE trained in CBTp	103 patients per WTE trained in Family Therapy
			5 teams (17%) report no provision	9 teams (31%) report no provision



What next?

- Health Education England directory of suppliers
- Funding to provide training to existing staff

But:

- Still a shortage of care coordinators against target level
- Organisations need to consider pathway into services to reduce delays from point of clock start

