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Subject: Upper Age Limit for Paediatric Referrals to Alder Hey

Q1 Does your Paediatric department manage young people aged 16 years to 17 years and 364 days for acute medical, surgical or mental health issues? i.e. would Alder Hey accept referral for a 17-year-old young person not known to Paediatric services at any of your referring DGHs.

(Please note this does not include CYP already under your care for on-going treatment of related condition/s).

A1 No, we only accept new referrals for Children and Young People (CYP) up until their 16th birthday.

Q2 If yes, would you be able to share your SOP for this cohort of patients (aged between 16 years and 17 years 364 days only)

A2 Not applicable, as per A1.