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### **Freedom of Information Act 2000**

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to Speech and Language therapy.

*You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust.*

*1) the total number of children under the age of 5 (Compulsory School Age) on your waiting list for speech therapy (including all of those who are yet to receive more than one individual Speech and Lanugage therapy session/assessment)*

*2) what parents are required to do before receiving a block of speech therapy sessions (attend a course, etc.)*

*3) what support you provide for children for whom an AAC device is deemed appropriate*

*4) how many speech and language therapists (full time equivalent) and how many young people under the age of 18 under your service*

Trust response:

This service is run by Kent Community Health FT.