The National Child and Maternal (ChiMat) Health Intelligence Network

Knowledge and intelligence resources on children and young people’s mental health for local authorities and partnerships planning services

Getting started with ChiMat:

• guidance on how to use ChiMat’s knowledge and intelligence resources to improve services and outcomes. It will help you find the right tools, data and evidence to review, plan and improve services in your local area
  www.chimat.org.uk/usingchimat

Knowledge hub – mental health and psychological wellbeing:

• this section of the knowledge hub signposts information resources, initiatives and organisations to keep you up to date with current policy and good practice
  www.chimat.org.uk/camhs

JSNA navigator – children and young people:

• the tool takes you directly to the data which you need when conducting a joint strategic needs assessment (JSNA) locally for children and young people; it is divided into five domains – population; social and place wellbeing; lifestyles and health improvement; health and wellbeing status; and service utilisation
  www.chimat.org.uk/jsnanavigator

CAMHS needs assessment reports:

• the report gives evidence-based information on prevalence and risk factors affecting children’s health and the provision of healthcare services for use as part of children’s and young people’s planning and joint strategic needs assessments. They also help to develop business cases, justify investment, initiate conversations around service improvements and carry out a service review or local audit
  http://atlas.chimat.org.uk/IAS/profiles/needsassessments

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Child health profiles:

- child health profiles provide a snapshot of child health and wellbeing for each local authority in England using key health indicators, which enable comparison locally, regionally and nationally - by using the profiles local organisations can work in partnership to plan and commission services based on local need; the profiles allow you to compare the outcomes in your local population with others in order to identify and learn from better performing areas
  www.chimat.org.uk/profiles

Comprehensive CAMHS integrated workforce planning tool:

- this tool helps you produce your Comprehensive CAMHS integrated workforce plan. It provides a workforce planning template which guides you through the stages of integrated workforce planning in order to successfully complete your own plan. The data workbook, training modules and audit tools support you to engage partners and gain their input and advice as an integral part in the planning process, collect and analyse data and build capacity and capability to workforce plan amongst provider and commissioner organisations
  www.chimat.org.uk/camhstool

Children and young people’s health benchmarking tool:

- the tool brings together and builds upon health outcome data from the Public Health Outcomes Framework and the NHS Outcomes Framework; the information available in the Children and Young People's Health Benchmarking Tool will inform discussions and encourage improvements in services and health outcomes for children and young people
  http://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/cyphof

Children and young people’s mental health profiling tool:

- the tool collates and analyses a wide range of publically available data on risk, prevalence and detail (including cost data) on those services that support children with, or vulnerable to, mental illness. It provides commissioners, service providers, clinicians, service users and their families with the means to benchmark their area against similar populations and gain intelligence about what works
  http://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile-group/mental-health/profile/cypmh
National CAMHS dataset:

- this new dataset is a comprehensive collection of routine data from services; the specification is currently being updated to incorporate the monitoring of waiting times, requirements of improving access to psychological therapies and to achieve alignment with the parallel collection for adults. The central infrastructure for data collection is planned to be in place from January 2016
  [www.hscic.gov.uk/CAMHS](http://www.hscic.gov.uk/CAMHS)

‘What about YOUth?’ survey of 15 year olds:

- a population survey of 15-year olds which covers a range of issues including behavioural risk factors and self-reported outcomes including emotional wellbeing - results will be statistically significant at local areas and will be published in December 2015
  [www.whataboutyouth.com](http://www.whataboutyouth.com)

CAMHS modelling tool:

- the CAMHS modelling tool helps NHS commissioners and local authority partners to plan and improve child and adolescent mental health services (CAMHS) in their area - the modelling tool enables you to devise and test plans to improve your services to meet the needs of under-18s with mental health problems - it is designed to work across all service areas including health, education, local authority and the third sector
  [www.scwcsu.nhs.uk/who-we-work-with/case-studies/camhs](http://www.scwcsu.nhs.uk/who-we-work-with/case-studies/camhs)

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