**WBCIR:18415**

**1. How many requests have been submitted to WBC for an Education, Health and Care (EHC) Needs Assessment have been submitted each year since 2019 to date.**

**2. How many requests to WBC for an Education, Health and Care (EHC) Needs Assessment have been accepted each year since 2019 to date.**

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|  | Requests submitted | Accepted for assessment |
| 2019 | 215 | 183 |
| 2020 | 268 | 208 |
| 2021 | 354 | 291 |
| 2022 | 424 | 428 |
| 2023 | 468 | 455 |
| 2024 | 250 | 228 |

**3. How many declined requests for an Education, Health and Care (EHC) Needs Assessment from WBC have gone through to the special education needs tribunal for appeal since 2019 to date.**

Data not recorded.

**4. How many declined requests for an Education, Health and Care (EHC) Needs Assessment to WBC have been overturned on appeal since 2019 to date.**

Data not recorded.

**5. On average what length of time is a child's case discussed at a SEND panel at WBC?**

We don’t have an average time.  Every child’s case is considered individually, with some discussions taking longer than others depending on the nature of the request and information to consider (e.g. statutory advice, reports and recommendations).

**6. How often is the SEND panel held at WBC?**

Weekly- every Wednesday