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Equality Impact Assessment (EIA) Template

1. Title of document/service for assessment	Specialist Paediatric CFS/ME Service
2. Date of assessment	14/01/16
3. Date for review	
4. Directorate/Service	RUH Women and Children's Division
5. Approval Committee	Local Health Economy Forum

6. Does the document/service affect one group less or more favourably than another on the basis of:

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Time	
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