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Item No	INNER NORTH EAST LONDON JOINT HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE (INEL JHOSC)
Report title	What we are doing to improve access, outcomes, experience and equity for children, young people and young adults' mental health
Date of Meeting	15 December 2022
Attending	Paul Calaminus, Chief Executive, ELFT
OUTLINE	Mental health services generally are under pressure due to increased demand, exacerbated by the pandemic. Areas of concern include the transition between CAMHS and adult mental health services; delays in receiving care; or being assessed as having no care needs by adult services. Young adults are already heavy users of Increasing Access to Psychological Therapies (IAPT) services in east London (approx. 20%) as well as Early Intervention in Psychosis Services and there are also young adults whose needs cannot be met by these services. Services have also seen a surge in referrals to Children's Eating Disorder Services (CEDS) and crisis presentations of young people. The Chair has asked the CE of ELFT to answer questions on the current situation.
RECOMMENDATION	Members are asked to give consideration to the briefing.