

## Freedom of Information Request 20 004

Our Reference: FOI 20 004 / AA / PB

Name:

Date: 27<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Address:

Dear

Further to your Freedom of Information Request, please find the Trust's response below:

1) In the financial year 2018-19, how many patients presented at your A&E departments (to include major A&E departments, minor injuries units and walk-in centres) with dental health problems? 5 Of these:

a)Of the patients presenting with dental health problems, how many received treatment at the hospital during that visit? 5

- b) Of the patients presenting with dental health problems, can the numbers please be broken down by type of problem e.g. toothache, loss of teeth, bleeding from the mouth. We are unable to provide the information requested as it cannot be extracted from our systems. This would be recorded as free text within the patient attendance record.
- c) Of the patients presenting with dental health problems, can the numbers please be broken down by age of the patient e.g. 0-9, 10-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70-79, 80-89, 90+

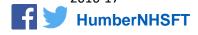
The total number of attendances was 5 however to protect patient confidentiality, we cannot break this down by age.

In order to adhere to best practice in maintaining confidentiality, this Trust does not publish numbers lower than 5 as this could lead to the identity being revealed. Exemption – Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act is applied. To disclose the information requested would be in breach of the Data Protection Act (2018).

- d) Of the patients presenting with dental health problems, how many were not registered with an NHS dentist? We are unable to provide the information requested as our systems do not record this.
- 2) Can we please get the figures above, but for the following financial years (separately):

2014-15

2015-16 0 2016-17 0





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2017-18 0 2018-19 5 2019-20 to Jan 1st 2020 less than 5

Kind regards,

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