

FOI 2906

3rd March 2025

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST

Question:

Please provide the following data for Financial Year (April 1st - 31st March) 2023/2024:

For each Hospital in your Health Board, as well as for your Health Board, the number of admissions for 0-17 year olds into inpatient care, in total and broken down by:

- Gender**
- Ethnicity**
- Level of deprivation**
- Disability/Additional Needs**
- Type of treatment**

Response:

Gender, Ethnicity, Disability/Additional Needs - Please see attachment 1 & 2 for response.

Ethnicity and Deprivation breakdown – This information is not held.

Type of treatment – This information is not centrally located and to do so would require a manual trawl of records. Under section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, Public Authorities are not obliged to comply with an information request where to do so would exceed the cost limit.

Unfortunately we are unable to provide the information you have requested as the cost of locating and retrieving the information exceeds the “appropriate limit” as stated in the Freedom of Information (Fees and Appropriate Limit) Regulations 2004. It has been estimated that it would take more than 18 hours to locate and retrieve the requested information. In order to obtain this information and it would exceed the £450 limit and is therefore cost prohibitive.

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