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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST

Under the Freedom of Information Act could you please provide the following regarding hospital inpatients:

- 1. In your Health Trust how many children (under 18) were detained for assessment under the terms of the Mental Health (NI) Order 1986 during 2022?**

Nil

- 2. In your Health Trust how many children (under 18) were detained for Treatment under the terms of the Mental Health (NI) Order 1986 during 2022?**

Nil

- 3. In your Health Trust how many adults (over 18) were detained for assessment under the terms of the Mental Health (NI) Order 1986 during 2022?**

237 by virtue of a Form 7

- 4. In your Health Trust how many adults (over 18) were detained for Treatment under the terms of the Mental Health (NI) Order 1986 during 2022?**

125 by virtue of a Form 10

- 5. In your Health Trust how many children (under 18) were detained for assessment under the terms of the Mental Capacity Act during 2022?**

Nil

- 6. In your Health Trust how many children (under 18) were detained for treatment under the terms of the Mental Capacity Act during 2022?**

Nil

- 7. In your Health Trust how many adults (over 18) were detained for assessment under the terms of the Mental Capacity Act during 2022?**

Care and treatment

85 adults detained amounting to a deprivation of their liberty in hospital for examination, care and treatment (Short Term Detention Authorisation up to 28days)

8. In your Health Trust how many adults (over 18) were detained for treatment under the terms of the Mental Capacity Act during 2022?

31 adults detained amounting to a deprivation of their liberty in hospital for care and treatment (beyond 28 days)

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