

FOI – 1629

17th May 2023**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST****The number of digital discharge summaries where the terms spiked, spike or spiking is included**

The information requested is not centrally held and a manual trawl of every discharge letter on Patient Centre would be required. 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 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.