

FOI 2164

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST

Can you please provide a breakdown of the number of physical assaults and verbal abuse against health care staff recorded within your health trust between 2019 and 2023. As well as a yearly breakdown, please also provide a breakdown by location e.g. Craigavon hospital etc. and if possible type of assault/abuse.

Response:

We believe that the information you have requested is already reasonably accessible to you and have not therefore enclosed it with this correspondence. It can be found on the FOI Disclosure Log, on the Southern Health & Social Care Trust website <https://southerntrust.hscni.net/about-us/access-to-information/foi-disclosure-logs/#678-716-may2023> – See Ref. 1634.

Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 exempts the Trust from having to provide you with this information, because it is already reasonably accessible. If you have any difficulties in accessing this information at the source indicated, please contact us again.

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