

**Freedom of Information Request**

**Ref: 21-624**

15 December 2021

By Email

Dear Sir/Madam

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Trust's response is as follows:

- We can confirm that we hold some the information you are requesting

**1) the total number of patients in hospital on 30 November whose discharge was delayed because they were awaiting residential home placement or availability, awaiting nursing home placement or availability, or awaiting a care package in their own home.**

Discharge Service Pathway	30/11/2021
D2A Pathway 1 (Care Package at Home)	54
D2A Pathway 2 (Rehab Bed)	39
D2A Pathway 3 (Nursing/ Residential Placement)	52

**2) For each of the last 12 months (starting with November 2020 and ending with November 2021), can you please provide the number of hospital patients whose discharge was delayed because they were awaiting residential home placement or availability, awaiting nursing home placement or availability, or awaiting a care package in their own home.**

Path	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21	Oct-21	Nov-21
D2A Pathway 1 (Care Package at Home)	131	107	87	103	139	146	131	142	149	126	112	125	144
D2A Pathway 2 (Rehab Bed)	50	84	58	81	81	89	73	87	91	104	97	75	84
D2A Pathway 3 (Nursing/ Residential Placement)	79	70	67	61	63	71	30	42	26	47	48	62	98

This concludes our response. We trust that you find this helpful, but please do not hesitate to contact us directly if we can be of any further assistance.

If, after that, you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to:

Director of Corporate Governance  
University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust  
Trust Headquarters  
Marlborough Street  
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Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

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Yours sincerely

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