

Ref: 21-194

## **Freedom of Information Request**

14 April 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 do hold the information you are requesting
- 1. How many people died in your hospital from COVID-19 alone, within 28 days of testing positive for COVID-19, between 1st December 2019 8th December 2020.

We do not differentiate to this detail as per national NHSE/I guidance. We are able to obtain this information however we have decided to apply Section 21 of the FOIA as this information is reasonably accessible in the public domain on the following link:

https://www.england.nhs.uk/statistics/statistical-work-areas/covid-19-daily-deaths

Section 21 of the FOIA provides that we are not obliged to provide the requested information is already reasonably accessible and therefore we are withholding this information at this time.

2. How many people died in your hospital from COVID-19 and co-morbidities, within 28 days of testing positive for COVID-19, between 1st December 2019 – 8th December 2020.

We do not differentiate to this detail as per national NHSE/I guidance. We are able to obtain this information however we have decided to apply Section 21 of the FOIA as this information is reasonably accessible in the public domain on the following link:

https://www.england.nhs.uk/statistics/statistical-work-areas/covid-19-hospital-activity/ Section 21 of the FOIA provides that we are not obliged to provide the requested information is already reasonably accessible and therefore we are withholding this information at this time.

3. How many people died in your hospital from COVID-19 alone, within 28 days of testing positive for COVID-19, between 8th December 2020 and 13th April 2021.

We do not differentiate to this detail as per national NHSE/I guidance. We are able to obtain this information however we have decided to apply Section 21 of the FOIA as this information is reasonably accessible in the public domain on the following link:

https://www.england.nhs.uk/statistics/statistical-work-areas/covid-19-daily-deaths/

Section 21 of the FOIA provides that we are not obliged to provide the requested information is already reasonably accessible and therefore we are withholding this information at this time.

- 4. How many people died in your hospital from COVID-19 and co-morbidities, within 28 days of testing positive for COVID-19, between 8th December 2020 and 13th April 2021. We do not differentiate to this detail as per national NHSE/I guidance. We are able to obtain this information however we have decided to apply Section 21 of the FOIA as this information is reasonably accessible in the public domain on the following link: <a href="https://www.england.nhs.uk/statistics/statistical-work-areas/covid-19-hospital-activity/">https://www.england.nhs.uk/statistics/statistical-work-areas/covid-19-hospital-activity/</a>
  Section 21 of the FOIA provides that we are not obliged to provide the requested information is already reasonably accessible and therefore we are withholding this information at this time.
- 5. How many people died with COVID-19 alone, in your hospital within 28 days of receiving their first or second dose of COVID-19 vaccination, between 8th December 2020 and 13th April 2021.

We do not hold this information

6. How many people died with COVID-19 and co-morbidities in your hospital within 28 days of receiving their first or second dose of COVID-19 vaccination, between 8th December 2020 and 13th April 2021.

We do not hold this information

7. How many people sought treatment in your A&E department for symptoms relating to adverse reactions to a COVID-19 vaccination between 8th December 2020 and 13th April 2021.

We do not hold this information

8. Can you say how many patients who presented with adverse reactions to a COVID-19 vaccination had received the Pfizer vaccine and how many received the AstraZeneca vaccine and how many where the vaccination was unknown.

We do not hold this information

- 9. If any patients have died in your hospital after receiving a COVID-19 vaccination, how many yellow card reports have hospital trust staff filled in and submitted to the MHRA.

  We do not hold this information
- 10. In many countries, hospitals receive a payment for each COVID-19 death recorded. Has your trust received any payments from the UK government or UK health department or any other UK organisation for individual COVID-19 deaths.

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
Bristol
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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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