

## Freedom of Information Request

Ref: 25-247

15 April 2025

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 not hold the information you are requesting

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information regarding the treatment of patients with Anorexia Nervosa referred to your hospital. Specifically, I would like to request:

1. The total number of patients referred to your hospital for Anorexia Nervosa treatment (including inpatient facilities) from Health Boards in Wales, each year from 2018 to 2024, broken down:

a. Into monthly figures;

b. Into age categories (preferably: under 15s, 15-17, 18-20, 21-23, 24-26, 27-29, 30-32, 33-35, and over 35s; however, alternative breakdowns are acceptable if this is too onerous).

2. The total number of patients referred to your hospital for Anorexia Nervosa treatment (including inpatient facilities each year from 2018 to 2024, broken down:

a. Into monthly figures;

b. Into age categories (preferably: under 15s, 15-17, 18-20, 21-23, 24-26, 27-29, 30-32, 33-35, and over 35s; however, alternative breakdowns are acceptable if this is too onerous).

We do not hold this information. Please contact Avon and Wiltshire Mental Health Partnership NHS Trust at <a href="mailto:awp.freedomofinformation@nhs.net">awp.freedomofinformation@nhs.net</a>

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:

Data Protection Officer

University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust

Trust Headquarters Marlborough Street Bristol BS1 3NU

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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