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Dear [REDACTED]

Request for Information

I write further to your request FOI ID 34251 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding:-

Patient treatment statistics

Your request is set out below:

Could you please provide answers to the questions below for years 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, and if possible, 2022 so far.

- 1) How many patients with mental ill health did your facility attend to, annually?

2017 - 48623

2018 - 47454

2019 - 51673

2020 - 53250

2021 - 57051

2022 – 47918 – as of 17/10/2022

- 2) How long was the average wait time for a patient to receive treatment, annually?

2017 - 61

2018 - 60

2019 - 67

2020 - 64

2021 - 58

2022 – 42 – as of 17/10/2022

- 3) How patients were brought into care by police under Section 136, annually?

2017 – 2632

2018 – 2999

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2019 – 3394
2020 – 2939
2021 – 2268
2022 – 1010 – as of 17/10/2022

- 4) How many patients were brought in by police not under Section 136 (if any), annually?

Answers should include both police responding to someone in a mental ill-health crisis where there is no crime involved, and criminal incidents where someone involved has a mental ill-health problem.

2017 - 7938
2018 - 9257
2019 - 13657
2020 - 22421
2021 - 20805
2022 – 13478 – as of 17/10/2022

I confirm that the information above completes your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I am also pleased to confirm that no charge will be made for this request.

If you have any questions or concerns or are unhappy with the response provided or the service you have received you can write to the Head of Information Governance at the address on top of this letter. If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

Yours Sincerely

On Behalf of
The Information Governance Department