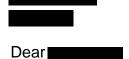


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NHS Foundation Trust

Freedom of Information Request

Date 13 April 2017



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

- 1. How many children (aged 15 and under) have attended services at your trust to get tested for sexually transmitted diseases? Please provide the total number for each year and in addition, break down by age (age band is adequate if the numbers are small).
- 2. Please provide the total number of STD tests that came back positive in children under 16 over the last five years and again, please break down by year, age, as well as the type of STDs that were diagnosed.
- 3. If this has not been made clear in the above response what is the specific age of the youngest child to be diagnosed with an STD over the last five years and what was the STD?
- 4. Within these figures, please also include the numbers of children who were found to have an STD when using hospital services for other services.
- 5. Please separately provide the total number of children under 16 who were a) tested b) diagnosed with HIV over the last five years with a breakdown of people and ages for each year. This includes children who were found to have HIV when attending hospital for another matter.

We do not hold this information. This information is held by Public Health England therefore we would advise you to re-direct your request to FOI@phe.gov.uk.

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:

Trust Secretary
University Hospitals Bristol 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,