University Hospitals Bristol

NHS Foundation Trust

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: UHB 17-477

Date 18 August 2017



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

1) Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 please provide the data to fill out the tables below:- Emergency readmissions broken down by day for the last 5 years.

We do hold this information however given the significant quantity of information being request and the amount of time it would take to compile the information; it is not possible for the Trust to provide this within the 18 hour time limit set by the FOI Act. **Section 12** of the FOIA provides that we are not obliged to spend in excess of 18 hours in any sixty day period locating, retrieving and identifying information in order to deal with a request for information and therefore we are withholding this information at this time.

2) Please provide reason for emergency readmission

We do not hold this information.

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

To view the Freedom of Information Act in full please click here.

Yours sincerely,

