

Ref: UHB 17-453

Freedom of Information Request

Date 22 August 2017



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

I would like to request the following information through the Freedom of Information Act 2000:

1. The total number of accident and emergency attendances in each month of the year 2016/17.

Month	Number of ED Attendances
April 2016	10,690
May 2016	11,437
June 2016	10,969
July 2016	11,365
August 2016	10,582
September 2016	10,873
October 2016	11,546
November 2016	11,681
December 2016	11,051
January 2017	10,432
February 2017	9,713
March 2017	11,505
Total for 2016/17	131,844

2. The total number of accident and emergency attendances in which respiratory illness was the cause of admission in each month of the year 2016/17.

Month	Number of ED Attendances
April 2016	1,009
May 2016	887
June 2016	772
July 2016	909
August 2016	665
September 2016	928
October 2016	1,192
November 2016	1,745
December 2016	1,776
January 2017	1,313
February 2017	954
March 2017	1,067
Total for 2016/17	13,217

3. The total number of accident and emergency attendances in 2016/17, 2015/2016, 2014/15, 2013/2014, 2012/13, and 2011/12.

FY Year	Number of ED Attendances
2011/12	119,024
2012/13	116,788
2013/14	118,135
2014/15	123,755
2015/16	129,447
2016/17	131,844
Total	738,993

4. The total number of accident and emergency attendances in which respiratory illness was the cause of admission in 2016/17, 2015/2016, 2014/15, 2013/2014, 2012/13, and 2011/12.

Please note the figures for 2013/14 may not be fully representative of the actual picture as there were different codes used before 2013/14 and the diagnosis field was not well populated. We can confirm however that the data below for 2014-15 onwards is accurate.

FY Year	Number of ED Attendances
2013/14	10,853
2014/15	10,853
2015/16	13,040
2016/17	13,217
All Years	47,963

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,

