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Freedom of Information Request – Ref: FOI 060-1718

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request about admissions of patients under 25.

I am writing to request the number of patients under the age of 25 admitted for mental health related issues in the past three years, under the Freedom of Information Act (2000).

That is, the number admitted in 2017; the number admitted in 2016; and the number admitted in 2015.

I would also like to request the figures broken down per month. That is, a total for the year, then the figures broken down for each month.

Please find the Trust's response below.

Gloucestershire			
	2015	2016	2017
January	11	16	8
February	8	8	5
March	12	11	10
April	13	7	5
May	10	6	11
June	10	14	
July	16	11	
August	2	9	
September	11	9	
October	6	9	
November	12	7	
December	12	9	
Year Total	123	116	39

Herefordshire			
	2015	2016	2017
January	2	1	3
February	3	2	1
March	6	3	2
April	3	5	2
May	2	5	2
June	1	0	
July	1	3	
August	2	2	
September	3	2	
October	2	5	
November	3	4	
December	2	5	
Year Total	30	37	10

Should you have any queries in relation to our response in this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me. If you are unhappy with the response you have received in relation to your request and wish to ask us to review our response, you should write to:-

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Yours sincerely,

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