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## Re: Your request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

I'm doing some home research regarding the number of deaths of covid-19. Under the freedom of information act, I'm looking for the number of deaths between February 20 - December 20. I see the number of deaths are reported as any death within 28 days of a postive test. I'm curious to know how many deaths have been registered as dieing of covid-19 during this time?

**We are unable to answer this request within the s.12 timescale of the FOIA 2000, as it would require the Trust to perform a manual audit of individual patient records.**

**More information on COVID-19 related deaths is accessible, here: https://www.england.nhs.uk/statistics/statistical-work-areas/covid-19-daily-deaths/**

**And via our weekly updates (every Friday) on our website, here: https://www.dbth.nhs.uk/news/**